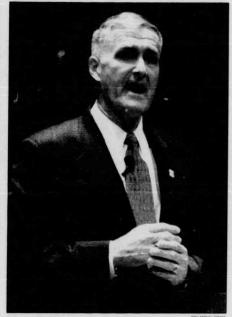


Shelton puts leadership in forefront of initiative



N.C. State alumnus Gen. Hugh Shelton visited campus on Monday.

 Gen. Hugh Shelton's new initiative will bring him back to N.C. State to help conduct seminars and meetings th other leaders

Perrin Fourmy

In one short sentence, General Henry Hugh Shelton explains what leadership means to him and what he hopes to pass along to others in his new H. Hugh Shelton Initiative for Leadership. The initiative tor Leadership, which at a ceremony or Jan. 14, will attempt to teach value-based leadership, which Shelton says is crucial to success in all fields, from the corporate world to the battofield. Although many of the details have not

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resents Shelton's home district, Chancellor Marye Anne Fox, the deams of several colleges and many students and alumni. Vice Chancellor Steve Jones of Extension and Engagement gave Shelton's introduction, where he pronounced the new initiative as an opportunity of "learn leadership skills from a man who is one of the most powerful symbols of excellence." Shelton recently retired from the Army after serving 40 years. The gen-eral graduated in 1963 from NCSU with a degree in textile engineering, and he then went on to serve two tours

nd he then en went on to serve m, later commanding Airborne Division at Fort Brage. In addition, he led the Armed Forces Special Operations Command in Tampa, Florida. As a former Green Beret, he was the first member of the U.S. Arm Special Forces to reach the usion's bighest military post. Shefton said that in his entire military avoing the chance to represent all the men and women in uniform," as the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs. When talking about his small-town roots. her proved

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Loud and clear Political rapper talks issues



Researchers invent robotic insects to perform surgeries

The new technology will be used in minimal invasion surgery inside a patient's body, say researchers.

Philip Brenneis

While a beetle might not seem like nature's perfect model for a lifesaving device at first glance, two N.C. State researchers would say it deserves a closer look.

Closer look. Gregory Buckner, assistant professor in NCSU's mechanical engineering department, and Jason Stevens, a grad-uate student in the same department, are in the early stages of developing a mechanical analogy of an insect to be used in surgical procedures. This micro robot would have tiny appendages useful for the delicate tasks involved in repaining the body's inner workings. According to Buckner, the machine

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developed across the world, according to the researcher. The little bug will cost a fraction of the larger machines. Furthermore, in the event of a failure, it ean easily be replaced rather than repaired. Also, a robot that fits in the page over one that would take up most of a garge. It was while working on one of these larger machines that Buckner and Stevens got their first look at surgical robotics. "Thragine, instead of having sti milion robot, you have a whole drawer fail of \$10,000 robots," Buckner said.

Buckner said. Stevens, an undergraduate at the time, studied the failure of a component of one of these systems, the da vinci, and offered a solution that was later used to remedy the problem as part of an engi-neering class. An East Carolina University surgical team discovered that wires serving as tendons on the See INSECT. Page 2

Belinda Borelli, a senior in architecture, utilizes her metal working skills in class on Wednesday afternoon.

Chuck D., authority on hip-hop culture and its evolution, spoke to a fascinated crowd at N.C. State

Public Enemy spoke Tuesday night "conversation." Teanevista in the program of the images where the program of the images thas of being mindful of the images where bombarded with every day. We shouldn't trust a piece of information text because we hear someone say if on the text is a piece of information text because we hear someone say if on the text is a piece of information text because we hear someone say if on the text is a song, said Chuck D. "Hear them out and weigh it," he said. "Don't believe the hype' means to challenge information, especially in inday's culture was another of Chuck D's to topics of discussion. "Compaines don't want you to be the growing presence of technology inday's culture was another of Chuck D's to topics of discussion. "Compaines don't want you to be advertisements and music videos. Th's advertisements and music videos. The said technology companies are trying to the real estate of your own mind." Met he real estate of your own mind." Technology companies are trying to the text of your own mind." Met he real estate of your own mind." Met he real estate of your own mind." Met he heat he attributed to music of technology. don't let technology be out technology. don't let technology be met of your. Met add 30s," referencing the sa symbol of the stunded mental mati-sa symbol of the stunded mental mati-sa symbol of the stunded mental mati-sames, he dud, however, support the

uration of people who play too many video games. Though Chuck D condemned video games, he did, however, support the downloading of music off the internet, saying "college kids are not trying to buy music." games

buy music." Chuck Do spoke extensively on the evolution of rap music and the hip-hop subculture, warning us against "respect-ing rap and hip-hop more than the peo-ple it came from." He went on to say. See CHUCK D. Page 2

Standing on stage behind a podium, with a bottle of water in hand and a sea of college students on either side of him, Chuck D, considered by many to be the absolute authority on hip-hop culture and its evolution, captivated a capacity crowd Tuesday mght in the Talley Student Center Balloroom. Despite the candid nature of his pres-natation, the former Public Enemy member and political spokesman cov-ered a wide range of poignant topics crucial to today's ever-changing socie-ty. bucknot of body secret-changing socie-by. His words were hard hitting and his ideas were powerful. And the audience listened. This free event was presented by the Society of Afrikan American Culture. And it was cosponsored by the Black Student Board, the NCSU Student Senate, the Nubian Message, the Student Media Authority, the Office of Diversity and African American Atherican Affairs, the African American Student Affairs, the University Scholars-Program and the UAB Issues and Ideas Committee. Though the issues he discussed were

on Tuesday night.

Colin Hickey

Togenitate the Constitute of the discussed were serious. Chuck D had the audience rolling in the aisles for much of the 2.5-bour forum. The widespread manipulation of young America by mass melai corporations and the overemphasis placed on with the African American culture as a whole were just a couple of the many topics that Chuck D covered in his

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dle on his path to success, Shelton said that "my background gave me ethics and integrity, and my family values were reinforced by my church, the pub-lic schools I attended, the 4-H club and

The schools I attended, the 4-H club and this university." "I have been to 47 states and over a hundred countries, but North Carolina is what provided me a great founda-tion," said Shelton. He said that this initiative is about providing those people with an oppor-tunity to succeed where they otherwise would not get the chance. "Many indi-viduals have the potential for leader-ship but no opportunity. The results will the back into the economic devel-opment of the whole state, because when you produce leaders, the odds of them working hard and coming back to North Carolina is very high." After Shelton spoke about the future of his new initiative, he took time to accept questions from the audience. Brad Dixon, who is an NCSU stu-dent, fellow constituent of Edith Warren and also a member of the 4-H club, asked how this initiative would help to develop rural North Carolina, where he is from. Shelton replied by syning that the goal is to try to bring in

help to develop rural North Carolina, where he is from. Shelton replied by saying that the goal is to try to bring in people from rural areas, including Eastern North Carolina, who will then return to those areas to develop the sur-rounding areas. Shelton mentioned areas like the Global TransPark and said that this is a long-term program meant to develop the leaders of tomor-row.

Mean to develop the teaches to tome two. Crispin Burke, a member of the NCSU Army ROTC, asked about Shelton's thoughts on the idea of whether leadership and potential lead-ership abilities should be considered as admission to NCSU. Shelton, who had previously discussed this situation in relation to admitting people into the military, said that it was important to keep a high standard, but that there are definitely something that should be taken into consideration. There were a few questions about Shelton's thoughts on the current war on terrorism and the opposition that has

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CommentemPage 1 arms of the da Vinci robotic system failed, calling for the replacement of the component after about 10 surgeries. ECU has no engineering school and as a result, Buckner and Stevens stepped in to work with the team and solve the problem. Stevens is currently working on a similar problem for da Vinci's future insect cousin as his master's thesis, with help from Buckner and the ECU team.

with help from Buckner and the ECU tam. "The largest hurdle to overcome is that of actuation in the smaller robot," says Stevens. The traditional gears, stootors and pulleys used in common machines would not do for a machine coughly the size of a peanu. Stevens is currently investigating the properties of several materials that could be used as the hug's muscles and indows. These materials such as shape model respond with a contraction when given an electrical or chemical signal. According to Stevens. "the tricky part at the moment is finding the right mat-rial: different materials offer higher or they contract." Tuesday, Backner demonstrated a simple working model of the proposed

sprung up on college campuses aroun the nation. He repfied that while h strongly disagreed with them, h served in the military for years to pre-serve their right to free speech.

serve their right to free speech. He also mentioned that in his final days in office after the Sept. 11 attacks, he saw the entire government mobili-ing to use every tool at their disposal to combat terrorism, not simply use mil-tary. Although he is no longer involved in the campaign, he said that he is sure that for everything people see happen-ing on the new, like the recent terror-ist arrests in Singapore, much more is happening benath the surface to keep the country safe.

the country safe. As an NCSU alumnus, Shelton said, 'my education here opened doors. I was required to take ROTC for two years, which gave me a great sense of discipline.' A combination of that edu-cation and discipline is what Shelton considers the greatest things he got from NCSU. Descent

from NCSU. Recognizing that there is a money shortage in the university system right now, a number of endowments have been started in Shelton's name to raise money for the program, charted by for-mer presidential candidate and Texas billionaire H. Ross Pert. Making use of the connections he made throughout his career, the money donated will be secure.

Although Shelton will not have a los Although Shelton will not have a lot of time to devote to the initiative in the first 12-18 months, he said that he has not ruled out taking a full-time position with NCSU at some future time. Dr. Tom Stafford, vice chancellor of stu-dent affairs, said that "the relationship between Hugh Shelton and N.C. State is evolving, but it will be limited in the first few years, eventually developing more"

More. Shelton shared his current plans with students, saying, "Right now 1 am going to use my experience and skills that Hearned in the armed forces and in the corporate world, and then maybe in five or six years I'll retire."

Currently, Shelton works with a com-pany in Virginia that has a worldwide patent on mobile trailers used in build-ing fabrication,

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Special to relatively to this article. robot's "leg," which utilized shape memory alloy wires. This material, explained Buckner, "is an alloy that can be deformed at room temperature, but will return to its original shape when heated up," When an electric current is passed through the robot's leg, it curls up, then returns to its relaxed position when the current is switched off. A computer model of the machine put together by Stevens showed a small mechanical down to place a suture between them. And when should the public expect to see this technology in the local hospi-tal? Not anytime soon. "We hope to have a working proto-type in about five years," said Backner, "and the first sugical trial in 10 to 15 years."

"and the first surgical trial in 10 to 15 years." These steps would come well after Stevens finishes his current goal of demonstrating the viability of mnia-ture actuation techniques. Also, the ini-tual stages of searching for funding must be complete as well. When these obstacles are overcome, the two will come closer to the reason stevens admits he entered the engi-neering field in the first place. "Yve been interested in [surgical robotics] since 1 entered college." he said, "and I'm interested in how we, as engineers, can use our skills to improve the quality of life for everyone."

Mistah, all I'm askin' is another chance. Recycle me.

CHUCK D

"Hip-hop is entertainment; quit treating it like the best thing since sliced bread." The word "rhyme," he said, is some-times said to be an acronym for "rap has your mind empty

your mind empty." He spoke about the marketability of death, especially the death of young black men in America. Using Tupac Shakur as an example, Chuck D quoted the sales figures of Tupac's ablums before he died at 5 milion, whereas now, after Tupac's death, more than 32 milion albums have been sold. "Big business is still profitting," he said. Chuck D urged the audience not to let fantasy overtake reality and emphasized the joint that life should not imitate art.

"Hip-hop is not a gun culture; it's not a jail culture; it's not a drug culture; and it's not a thug culture; 'he said. He reiterated that these aspects of urban life have been romanticized by young America because of their overeinphasis in many popular hip-hop acts, thus causing a rift between what hip-hop actually is and how it is per-ceived.

He also called for us to get our priori-tics straight, saying that more people in America know about Anita and Michael Jordan's divorce than they know about what happened at the World Racism Conference in Durbin, South Africa, in August According to Chuck D. Colin Powell and Condoleerza Rice, our representatives at the conference, walked out, claiming that the United States doesn't have a problem with racism.

Chuck D said Americans, particularly college students, need to be more aware of what is going on in the world ourside of our national borders, saying many of us are "world dumb."

us are "world dumb." He also spoke about the need for a stronger black community in America, stressing better black education and a more solidified black job supply. It is for these reasons that he said college is important, because college students have been given the opportunity to be in a position to change things.

Though Chuck D is currently running four studios as well as a company that makes scores for movies, he speaks reg-ularly at colleges across the nation.

"This is the time of your lives," said Chuck D. "Have fun, but get your money's worth."

The bottom line After Sept. 11: Forget business as usual

Michael A. Hiltzik

Les Angeles Times Although he was 3,000 miles from Ground Zero on Sept L1. Roland Furtado has felt the effects keenly. As the owner of a Los Angeles air-reight service, Furtado makes his his-ing placing cargo in the bellies of pas-senger jets. Even before the attacks, his business was off more than 20 percent tor he yaz. The terrorist strikes dealt the econ-mus of the second second second second many others, they also altered the busi-ness landscage in fundamental ways. In early October, for instance, the Federal Vaviation Administration dramatically tiphtened roles on airfreight. Among where restrictions, freight forwarders were permitted to place a package on a passenger flight only if the sender was a long-term customer or one whose the measurement. forced Eurado's

premises they had personally inspect-ed to requirement forced Furtado's small operation, Roland International Freight Services, to turn away business by the crate load. "Lately, we've said no to so many shipments because we can't visit the customer," said Furtado, an India-born U.S. citizen. "I had a young kid from U.S. citizen. "I had a young kid from France who wanted to ship a stereo set, books and clothes to Europe. I had his passport, his green card, hid siver's license. But we couldn't handle it." Furtado's plight is one of numerous echoes of Sept. II resounding across the business world. Although the reper-cussions for some high-profile indus-ries have been widely publicized_ air-lines and cruise lines threatened with bankruptcy, vacation resorts begging for customers _ the broader effects on U.S. industry run deeper and may last longer. Protecting employees, buildings and

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longer. Protecting employees, buildings and data has become a paramount concern and a significant expense. Importing goods and supplies from overseas is more complex, more costly and more prone to delay. On the labor front, the attacks have raised unexpected questions: Should fear of flying qualify as a disability protected by the Americans With Disabilities Act? Are businesses violat-ing federal law by opening employee mail in search of anthras spores? Perhaps the most important change is the increasing intrusiveness of govern-ment in the reliationship between some businesses and their customers. This is particularly evident in financial services.

businesses and their customers. This is particularly evident in financial services. Federal laws enacted within weeks of the attacks will require banks and other financial institutions to searcelly scruti-nize more private transactions and report to government agencies any activities that appear even faintly unorthodox. often without informing their customers. Other industries may find the govern-ment less involved in their affairs to their regret. Testile and pharmaceutical makers that have relied on the U.S. government's big stick to advance their interests oversas will have to adjust to a new foreign policy. Post-Sept. 11, the United States is defining its friends and enemies less by how closely their economic and trade systems resemble ours and more by their cagerness to embrace America's anti-terrorism doctrine. Agencies that promoted U.S. corporate interests abroad will be otherwise engaged. "The Treasury and Commerce departments will focus on monitoring and surveillance of finance and trade with terrorist networks." Jeffrey E. Garten, dean of the Yale School of Management and a former Commerce department official, said shortly after the atacks. "It is hard to believe that these and other agencies will have the time ad energy to pursue normal com-mercial goals."

me and energy to pursue normal com-nercial goals." This shift in priorities was brought ome to pharmaceutical companies fter October's anthrax scare. As cases f exposure proliferated, the U.S. gov-

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transmission service. "One has to won-der if even the most sophisticated com-puter systems we have can look at all that data and come up with useful information."

In a conta and come up with useful Skeptics point to the transactions con-ducted by the Sept. 11 hijackers. Many were so routine that some industry observers say they might not have raised red flags even under tougher reporting rules. "The popular myth is that this will allow (the government) to identify ter-rorist activities," said James Rockett, a San Francisco bank lawyer." I think that belief is misplaced. The more like-ly impact on banks is that they're not going to be able to identify terrorists

San Francisco bank lawyer. I tunus that belief is misplaced. The more like-ly impact on banks is that they're not going to be able to identify terrorists any better, but they're going to be held accountable." As for the shipping business, some say they hope Sept. II will spur ar-recognition of the need to move cargo and vehicles in and around ports faster and more efficiently. Import entries have increased by half incucks and containers a year, according to the General Accounting Office, while the number of Customs employ-ees has remained at 19,000. A comput-erized system meant to identify and to track risky shipments is several years behind schedule and far over budget, the GAO has reported. The heightened security imposed after the attacks has challenged the sys-tem even more. Customs unploy-tend the due of alert. Not only has that meant more inspections, but it also has forced Customs to shift its tradi-tional emphasis from contrahand drugs and counterfeit merchandise to the search for weapons of mass destruc-tion. Shipping professionals say Customs, the coast Guard and other agencies have mained to tighthe security without significantly slowing the flow of goods. But just as financial services companies are waitung for Congress' companies are waiting for Congress' text move.

companies are waiting for Congress next move. Proposed regulations run the gamut, from a plan by Rep. Duncan Hunter, R-Calif., to inspect every truck and con-tainer entering the United States to one by Sen. John F. Kerry, D-Mass., to cooperate with foreign port operators to ensure the security of U.S.-bound containers. But they all have the potential to dis-rupt the delicate balance among ship-pers, importers, brokers and authorities that enables ports to handle a huge vol-ume of traffic.

ume of traffic. "Ninety-five percent of what we eat, drive with and consume comes to us by vessel," said John Vickerman, a con-sultant on port design. "If we tamper with it, we'll affect our quality of life."

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TECHNICIAN'S VIEW **Centennial need** CAMPUS NEEDS A NEW TENANT FOR THE LUCENT TECHNOLOGIES BUILDING: ONE APPEARS TO BE ON THE WAY, AND IT CAN'T COME FAST ENOUGH.

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move in, one needed to be success-ful. Lucent was not. That's why it's so vital that a new tenant be found, one big enough to fill the hole left by Lucent. The most likely candidate to carry out that task appears to be Durham open source computing firm Red Hat, according to reports in the News & Observer in to reports in the News & Observer in recent weeks. Red Hat and Lucent recent weeks. Red Hat and Lucent are negotiating, and Red Hat could move into the facility as early as March, according to Centennial Campus Coordinator Bob Geolas. Founded in 1994, Red Hat was one of the companies that grew with the tech boom of the late 1990s. It is the leader in none source commutine and

leader in open source computing and reader in open source computing and provides its Linux software to N.C. State. Beyond the fiscal synergy that comes with NCSU's use of Linux technology provided by Red Hat, there is the obvious philosophical connection between the university's open source computing policy, adopted in February 2000, and the fact that Red Hat specializes in open source computing Red Hat appears to be a good fit for

niversity must fill, so a need the rather than late

Remember the deeds of all civil rights heroes Indeed, all of Stanford should celebrate

Staff (U-WIRE) Editorial STANFORD, STANFORD, Calif. — As University students look forward to the really one start of the start of the really one start of the start of the start of the start of the really one start of the start Standard Call, — As Stanford Parting Call, — As Stanford Students look forward to the upcoming three-day weekend, few really stop to think about the man and the phenomenon that made this holiday possible. In response, the Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration Committee has planned a two-week program entitled. "Just Plain Folks: A Celebration of Unsung Heroes," to cel-ebrate and reflect on the leages of King and the civil rights movement in gener-al. As the title suggests, this year's pro-gram will focus on the unrecognized activists and participants in the civil rights movement, and the members of the black community that made King's achievement possible. Barine Luther King, Jr.'s leadership skills were forged in the fires of segre-gation, Stanford seems like an unlikely place to find a strong connection to King and his followers. However, Stanford is actually uniquely situated to celebrate the leage of King, and King continues to influence the Stanford community. Stanford is the site of the Martin Luther King Papers Project, which houses an extensive collection of King's writings and records. It also is the ortener of important research on the man and the era. History Professor Clay Carson, head of the project, is one of the pre-eminent sholars on King and his works.

and his works. In addition, this holiday is a chance for Stanford's vibrant and active African-American community to dis-play its unity and celebrate its heritage.

Indeed, all of Stanford should celebrate and commemorate those who con-tributed to the civil rights movement. King's impact, however, is broader han simply as an important African-American leader. King is truly an our collective American history, for people of all races. The civil rights movement set the tone for the modern conception of social movements and eaters, and King himself became a legend, both in life and death. This tends to obscure the fact that King was just a mer human. Like gengration takes King's contributions for granted. We treat them as if they were inevitable, a fait accompli. We fail to comprehend the faitures and set-he very tenuousness of all these accomplishments, and the fact that they were used to the fact that they were well could not have happened without the fait and preserverance of users. Thus, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Thus, Marin Luther King, Jr. Day offers us an opportune time not only to effect on our pask but also to consider the present state of race relations in our community and in our country. It is easy to feel complacent when we see how far we've come, but the bleak truth is bigotry and ignorance are still virulent, if not blatant, economic inequalities still embedded in our social structure, and inspiring leaders can be few and far between. The civil rights movement is history but its mes-sage is not. It would serve us well to model our own actions upon the spirit and declication of King and the many, many faceless heroes of that time.

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For the most part, I don't really mind that perception probably because it's largely true. I didn't wake up being



able to handle stuff the way I do; I have deliberately worked for years to achieve the skills necessary to handle addition, the keylik necessary to handle addition, the people who need to know other spects of who I am do, so it's not like nobody knows me; that's not read-ly what I'm feeling here. Thather used to them. In fact, that is my world; it is shaped by the expectations people have of me — that is my reality, ast might I thought of myself the way everyone cleab thinks of me. Lately, Fve been having some problems with my parents, and I was expecting to deal wetwork the thinking of myself as. However, that didn't go ver so well and it is a start of the start of the start only human, and there is only so much on Lately, and the start of the start only human, and there is only so much on Latels, aget with it, you're tough, such it up? I told myself. But why awan't this working? I can deal with exp, hut hat's nor really true. Some usa catually do get to me. Latels in the first of the first of the start who the first of the first of the start is not reality true. Some usa, actually do get to me. Latels in the start of the start of the start who does that the not only the first work of the the start of the start of the start of the start is the start of the start of the start of the start is the start of the start of the start of the start is the start of the start of the start of the start of the start is the start of the start of the start of the start of the start is the start of the start of the start of the start of the start is the start of the

to take some crap from some people. I realized that J have to let myself hurt and feel and ry (could you believe it!?) in order to deal with this — not just do it by being tough, but rather by being a human heing and expertencing the pain that comes with certain things. For only after acknowledging that something actually does hurt inetead of inst moshing it away can I really deal

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something actually does hurt inclead of just pushing it away can I really deal with it. Last nig⁴. I had to do that, and that was dealing with it. (South Park, "sson)" guess being truly tough isn'i just being a hard-ass. Sometimes, it's hurting and feeling and then dealin, with what's at hand. In the end, "m still going too be tough and bitchy and pairfully honest, but now I will try to keep in mind that isn's not all I am and that that is not the only way of dealing. Now, I'm going to feel and hurt, and I will deal with that as it comes.

Don't feel sorry for Larisa or ask her if she's okay; she's tough, and she'll be all right. E-mail her to tell her this just another symptom of pansiassification

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It's all about economics. E-mail Robert with comments at evilbobNCSU@yahoo.com.



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Mothersbaugh returns with "Royal" treatment

Mark Mothersbaugh, et al. "The Royal Tenenbaums" soundtrack

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John Boles

I remember when I was a young sapling working at the movie theater in the spring of my junior year of high school. Whenever I was having a par-teularly crappy day or was just bored, I would go to the theater and watch what was quickly becoming one of my favorite movies, "Rushamore." Not only was this movies finled, acted and writ-ten well, but the music was outstand-ing.

ten well, but the music was outstand-ing. Mark Mothershaugh, of Devo fame, wrote the original score along with a number of mostly British Invasion tunes. Certain songs in the course of "Rushmore" were chosen so well that I'm positive that had any other songs been used for many parts, the movie wouldn't have been nearly as special.

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Such disparate musicians as Nico The Ramones and Nick Drake grace the soundtrack — and the listener of the album would wonder how many of these tracks could possibly fit together. But these tracks share the breadth of emotions of the many varied characters in the movie. Amazingly, even without having seen the movie, these tracks are arranged in such a way on the soundtrack as to make for an enjoyable listen. Unfortunately not all of the sourge could be included on the soundtrack, and The Ramones and Nick Drake grav

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standouts like the koning stokes while the deft out. The main selling point of both the "Rushmore" and "Tenenbaums' sound-tracks is that the songs are actually from the movie ... imagine that. In days where soundtracks consisting of songs "inspired by" movies are released before the movie sevens atmost novel. And not only are these songs from the movie, but the songs fit their corre-

image from Tacchatone Petunos sponding scenes so well to begin with that every time you listen to the sound-track you think of the movie. So, while I may not especially want to pay 57 over and over again to buy a ticket for "The Royal Tenenhaums" (alas. I no longer work at a movie the adr. I can just pop in the soundtrack and remember most of the movie from its virid music. And besides, I don't think I could get away with singing along to the songs in my local multi-plex.

Tomahawk keeps the faith

Tomahawk is a post-grunge super-group of epic proportions. Duane Demnison of The Jesus Lizard is on gui-tar, Kevin Rutmanis of the Melvins and Cows is on bass. John Stanler of Helmet is on drums, and of course Mike Patton (Faith No More, Mr. Bungle, Fantomas, Lovage, Maldoror and countless other projects) does the vocals. Tomahawk *** Jamie Proctor

It's been four years since the last Faith No. More release, and you've completely worn out your copy of "Angel Dust," If you hear "Epic" one more time you're going to find whatev-er "it" is and shove it down Mike Pation's roaring throat. And yet, for some strange reason, you can't seem to set enough.

some strange reason, you can't seem to get enough. You tried Mr. Bungle, you tried Fantomas, you even tried the Mike Patton solo records, but there was always something missing. Why can't someone combine the vocal machess of Patton with some rock 'n' f-rol? Fear not for relief is here, and if you're not careful it might just scalp you

and commess other projects were use vocals. The music is close to what you might expect from this combination: mostly rocking, but with plenty of melody and attention to detail. As for the vocals, they're Pation at his best — a constant juxtaposition of whisper and scream with the vocal styles of both opera and lounge singers and the lyrical wisdom of a grizzled old man. The album opens with 'Flashback,' a song about bad memories with a hook that will be forever implanted in your psyche. The second track, '101 North,' has a very spacey sound with a medley of strings and computerized bips accompanying the verse, after which it breaks into a chorus straight out of

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System of a Down's "Chop Suey"). The album ends with "Narcosis," more of an outro than a song, which combines whistling, slide guitar and monk-like chanting.

nonk-like chanting. An unknowing listener might confuse 'Tomahawk' with a posthumious Faith No More release — and with good rea-style guitar and dramming with synthe-sized notes and samples can be found in both, and, of course, they both have Mike Pation.

Mike Patton. However, upon closer listening, the influence brought by the other mem-bers of the band becomes increasingly evident. Duame Dennison's melodic-yet-leavy guinar style can be found throughout "Tomahawk," as ean Kevin Raturnansi driving bass-lines and John Stanier's intricate beats.

Manter's intricate beals. In other words, this isn't just a record for Faith No. More fans, While the album admittedly has its shortcomings, it is one that fans of these musicians will not want to miss.

~ follow the continuing adventures of Matajuro, Oskar, Maxine, Gabriel, Chalkhydri, MekaOscar, and Zathael



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Off-campus events

The Lincoln Theatre will start off the weekend with Messenger Camaro, a Pearl Jam tribute band, Thursday, On Friday, Weekend Excursion and Blue String will play here, followed by Chairman of the Board on Saturday.

Ining will play here, followed by Chairman of the Board on Saturday. The Brewery will bring in rock bands The Peoples Front and Brandon Harvey this Thursday, Jan. 17. They will then have metal bands Mimic and Blister on Saturday before Vigilantes of Love and Nova Nancy on Sunday. The Cat's Cradle will open their Sriday, Jan. 18, at 10 p.m. They will follow the show up with Fin Fang boom on Saturday and finish with Desaparecidos and Sorry About Dresden of Sunday. Three big films will open on the big finally knocking "The Lord of the Registron Sunday. Three big films will open on the big forges out of the top spot after four consecutive weeks. First is the Jerry Black Have Lown, "arring Ewan Black and Eds Dosh Hartnett in this real-life drama about the 1993 Somolia campaign. Next is the Kevin Spaced on hest-selling novel and co-starring Julianne Moore. Finally, all those with kids five and under can enjoy "Snow Dogs" with Cuba Gooding Jr., while the rest of us hang our heads in disbelief that this movie got made.

Weekly Calendar



Miramax misses the boat

"The Shipping News

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22 Starring: Kevin Spacey Julianne Moore Director: Lasse Hallström

Joel Isaac Frady

It's Oscar senson again, so to no one's surprise Miramax put heir mirale-director Lasse Haltström io work, and who can blane them? For two years in a row, he's made films that were either medioere ("Chocolad") or terrible ("The User and Oscar nominations. Add to this Oscar winners Kevin Spacey ("American Beauty") and Judi Dench ("Shaksspeare in Love"), Oscar-nominees Julianne More ("Boogie Nights") and Cate Blanekti ("Filizabeth"). Best Editing nominees Andreh Wondsheit ("Filizabeth"). Best Editing nominee Andrew Mondsheit ("Brane Andrew Mondshe

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ning and a non-existent ending, all you end up with is a mon-tage of good scenes that don't o anywher. What plot it actually has involves Quoyle (Spacey), a man who may or may not be mentally challenged. He meets Petal Bear (Bhanchett), a prosti-tute that he falls in love with and even has a child with ... which she obviously isn't happy about. She mistreats pionible things about him and your bings her "clients" over to his house. They fate intervenes and

even brings her "clients" over to his house. Then fate intervenes and Quoyle moves to Newfoundland, along with bunny and his long-lost auni (Dench) to start a new life ... in a very old house. Quoyle gist a job at the local paper writing the shipping news, and Bunny starts going to a school faught by Wavey Prowse (Moore), a woman whon Quoyle has a lot in common with. Even the cast gets bogged down, especially Spacey and Blachett. Spacey, playing out of type, does what he can, but the character is slightly uneven. At

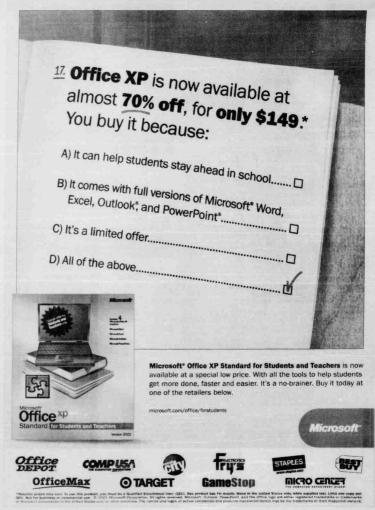
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the film's beginning he seems handicapped, speaking in a slow manner and having poor oscial skills. Once they get to Newfoundland he's still not the hightest of gives, but suddenly he's semi-witty and has enough social skills to get along at work and start a romance. Some people say that variety is the spice of life, but Spacey has enough-spice playing his usual roles not to try attempting to add hife to a drag like this ... where was Gabriel Byrne? Blanchett, in a smaller role, Blanchett, in a smaller role,



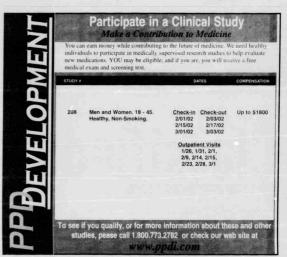
plays a tasteless hooker with no real depth. After seeing her give real depth. After seeing her give many great performances in both comedy and drama, her tad-ent isn't much to the role. The only major player in the finth or really get anywhere is Moore, who plays her role so well and with so much depth she seems out of place. Another thing that the fitm

she seems out of place. Another thing that the film does repeatedly wrong is make the mistake of showing the viewer disturbing images unnecessarily. This is most

apparent in — spoiler — a rape that's part of the film's plot. A character tells the film's plot. A character tells the story of the rape, but insite ad of just telling the story, they cut to a rape scene with the dialogue playing over it. It's gratuitous and would have played much better without showing the rape. The story itself is disturbing enough. Finally, after all of this has taken place, the movie ends. There's no warning, no climax and no real resolution. It just abruptly ends, throwing the oth-erwise good pacing of the previ-ous hour down the drain.

film's look and feel, which is without a doubt top-class, but in without a doubt top-class, but in the end it's not what anyone is left thinking about. People go to movies like this for the charac-ters and the story, both of which this film is heavily lacking. Without that, who cares about a good soundtrack and great cine-matography? matography?

There is an upside though: maybe, after realizing that the third time isn't a charm, they'll start focusing on making start focusing on making movies again instead of awards.



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6. Florida State (9-6, 2-2) — Grade: B-

B Coming into the season, who thought Florida State would do anything? Not I, that's for sure. Despite six losses, the Seminoles have had a fairly successful season. Monte Cummings and Delvon Arrington are having good senior sea-sons, and freshman Anthony Richardson is playing well. It's been a long time since Florida State has picked up wins against both Dake and North Carolina, and it's a positive step for Steve Robinson's pro-gram.

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7. Clemson (11-7, 2-3) - Grade: C

C+ The Tigers have been an enigma this year. They have beaten Virginia and won at Georgia Tech. They gave State all it could handle for 40 minutes. They have also lost to Yale and Winthrop, however.

however. Clemson seems to have a decent inside-outside game. Jamar McKnight is a solid senior for the Tigers, and sophomores Chris Hobbs and Tony Stockman have the potential to be real-ly good players. Clemson just needs to be more consistent.

8. North Carolina (5-9, 1-4) — Grade: F While it was obvious the Heels could have a down year coming into this sea-son, no one expected such a complete collapse. UNC does have four McDonald's All Americans on its ros-ter.

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Georgia Tech (7-10, 0-4) -Grade: (

Grade: C² Georgia Tech is not a good team this year, however, it's somewhat excusa-ble. In his second year on the job, Paul Hewith has been hampered by the 5.8 recruiting rule in college basketball. Entering the season, he only had 10 scholarship players. Then Michael isenhour was lost for the season with leademin. leukemia.

leukemia. Tech has managed to pick up big wins against Wisconsin and Syracuse. Those two wins, coupled with a poten-tial ACC upset in the upcoming weeks. could be something for the Yellow Jackets to build on for next year.

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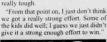
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State finally got another victory at the 165-pound division as Pierre Pryor soundly defeated Jake Reynolds 6-1. With the victory. State closed the gap between the teams to 18-6.

Deriven the teams to 18-6. The Pack's Dustin Kawa then carried the momentum into the 174-pound class, winning handily against Mark Canty, 13-6. Kawa had five takedowns in the match, more than the rest of his team combined to that point.

Jon Godwin finished up the match for the Wolfpack but couldn't close the distance between the Pack and the Heels, losing to Nick Richmond 10-4.

The defeat dropped State to .500 for the season and frustrated Guzzo. The season and trustrated Guzzo. "Well, Ngozi did good I thought," said Guzzo. "We got off to a good start with Gore winning a close match, and that was a key bout. Ngozi wrestled really tough. "Brow that point on Units don't third."







Center Kaayla Chones (50) has played well for the Pack since the team's leading scorer Carisse Moody went down with an injury

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"I know they need a win as much as us, so it will be a very tough game or the road," Yow said.

in a week. The Seminoles have strug-gled in the ACC, however, and are tied with Wake Forest for last place in the

which wake Forest for has place in the conference. Florida State is a more experienced team than in years past, starting two seniors and only one underclassman. Head coach Sue Semrau, the 2001 ACC Coach of the Year, led her team to an NCAA Tournament berth last concern. seaso

Last year, FSU defeated the national-ly ranked Wolfpack 74-70. State will try to avoid a repeat performance this

FSU possesses a strong scoring punch Senior guard April Traylor, a member of the All-ACC Third Team

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Contrad torn Wage 8 Iong time," said assistant coach Laurie Henes, "so this should be a good year. Kristin, Katie, Megan, and Amy should be really strong." All four of them have either run national marks before or have shown they have the capability to. Beth Fonner, Josie Lauber and Kara Price are also all looking really strong." Renae Robinson finished sixth at the ACC Outdoor Championships in the \$00. 800

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Graham and Lamont Reid can do." Graham and Lamont Reid can do." State's percentially strong distance team has several athletes capable of performing well this season. Dugan, though sick last year during the ACC Championships, is a seasoned veteran with experience at the national level in both indoor and outdoor track. Senior Ryan Woods is the defending ACC champion in the 3,000 and 5,000. The boasts personal indoor bests of 8.16 and 14.16 in these events. Chad Pearson is another runner who

He boasts personar muon. An and 14-16 in these events. Chad Pearson is another runner who could potentially do very well on the track. He received All-America honors in cross country after redshirting both track seasons last year. "We're led by the distance crew of Dugan, Woods and Pearson," said Geiger, "Andy Smith is an All-American who redshirted last indoor season and should be strong, Ricky Brookshire made the finals in the mile last year, and David Christian keeps getting better, and I think he!'l help us." Even without Oglesby, State's throw-ing team is strong. An experienced crew of James Rowell, Ryan Furlough

said. "For the first few meets I'm going to test the waters with her and see if she has the ability to be a factor in the 400 as well as the short sprints at ACCs." Sophomore Kristen Pace finished second in the high jump at the ACC Indoor Championships two years ago before redshirting last track season. She earned All-America status in the hub iuma as infrashman

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before redahting has track season. She carred Al-America status in the high jump as a freshman. "Kristen certainly is one of the high-er-level performers for us," said assis-tant coach Gail Olsen. "She is a high-level athlete who has the potential to have a big impact on the conference and national levels." Desiree Mitman finished eighth at the ACC Indoor Finals in the trple jump last year, especially considering her marks coming out of high school.", "Olsen said. "The improvement she showed during indoor last year was termendous." Bhe sufford some injuries during the outdoor season, but so fit he is looking stronger than she did last 'year."

she is rooking stronger man site due has war: Katie Bolae, State's top pole vaulter, missed some training at the end of the fall due to an injury but has been jump-ing very well in practice, according to Olsen. Bolae finished 11th in the con-ference last year. "Even after a very short time training after that injury. Katie has been jump-ing extremely well — probably better than she did last year at this time," Olsen sad, "Her practice vaults are probably a foot ahead of where she was last year." proto-last y

and Randy Cass will try to compensate for Oglesby's absence. Rowell is State's best returning thrower, having finished thrid in the 35-pound weight throw at the ACC Championships last

throw at the ACC Championships last year. "James is very athletically talented," said assistant coach Gail Olsen. "And I think he can help fill he void. The other guys on the team are also capable of scoring." Justin Farmer will likely lead the pole vault team this season. David Kessler, one of State's top vaulters, has a back injury and will have to miss some train-ing at the beginning of this indoor sea-son.

Ing at the beginning of this indoor sea-son. "Eric Hoverstad, a freshman, has a lot of ability, but he still has a lot to learn," Olsen said. "He has to make some changes from high school, but he cer-tainty has a lot of ability." Jason Veira competed with the indoor track team for only three weeks last year, but he progressed to the finals at the ACC Championships. "I think that's a good indication of how much talent Jason has," said Olsen. "But the league has gotten better at the triple jump, so he will have to improve with them. It takes some time to develop the technical aspect of jump-ing even when the talent is there, but he is coming along well."

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member of the All-ACC Third Team last year, leads the Seminoles in scor-ing, averaging 15.5 points per game. Sophomore forward Tashicka Morris adds 14.9, and junior forward Shinikki Whiting puts in 13.4. FSU is also third in scorng in the ACC as a team, aver-aging 72.2 points per game. State will also have to watch the Seminoles from behind the arc. FSU is second in the ACC in three-point per-centage, shooting 41.7 percent from behind the three-point line.





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Wrestling struggles against Heels

The Wolfpack dropped its fourth match in a row, los-ing to North Carolina in disappointing fashion.

Jay Kohler

CHAPEL HILL — The N.C. State wrestling team began its defense of the ACC wrestling title Thursday night against peremial rival North Carolina. After tough losses to Wrestling Hofstra and Wyoming at the Virginia Duals meet Friday. State was hoping to break its three-match skid and get back to its winning ways.

ways. Unfortunately for the Wolfpack, the Tar Heels dom inated the match, winning 21-9 in a low-scoring

"Well, it was a disappointing loss," said head coach Bob Guzzo. "We didn't wrestle very well, we just got outvrestled through the whole match. Carolina did a great job, and we didn't. They just outvrestled us. "In some matches there was a lot of offense, and in some matches there was none. A lot of times it has to

Men open

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The men's indoor track and field team gets back one standout performer but loses another to injury.

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effort basically." State (4+0, 0-1) got off on the right foot against the Heels (4-2, 1-0) with Jason Gore winning 5-4 over Dustin Heist in the 197-pound class. The match was-n't decided until a Gore takedown late in the third

The total and a short lived, how-ever, as the tides quickly turned against the Pack. At heavyweight, Ngozi Collins wasn't able to upset Matt Kenny, losing a close 5-3 match to the defending ACC cham-tion.

Track launches indoor season

Dave Miller lost to Mike Booth 3-1. Kevin Gabrielson got the first State takedown in five matches against James O'Conner but couldn't hold onto the momentum, losing 6-2. WRESTLING P

Women

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Distance runners provide the foundation for the women's indoor track and field team.

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Thursday, 7:30 p.m. THE Tallahassee, Fla. PLACE N.C. State leads 16-4 seems

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Unfortunately in sports, a sea-son's success or failure is often determined by win-loss record games praised for having a good sea-son, with the converse holding true as Sometimes a more

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on, with the converse holding true as well. Sometimes a more interesting gauge of a team's success is to compare how it should' have performed with how the season actually progressed. Thate when pro-fessors grader and the season actually progressed. Thate when pro-fessors of this proper of the season actually progressed. That when pro-fessors of this proper of the season actually progressed. That when pro-fessors of this proper of the season actually progressed. That when pro-fessors of this proper of the season actually progressed. Season actually progress



Maryland (13-2, 3-0 ACC) — Grade: A-Maryland was supposed to be good this year, but I wasn't sure how consis-tent they would be. Last year, for example, the Terraphins struggled through much of the year before yundi-cation came in the form of a Final Four runn.

cation came in the form of a Panar Pour trip. This year, Maryland looks solid. Aside from a couple out-of-conference hiccups — both against good teams — the Terps have shown the ability to either grit out a win or simply blow the other team across the court. Maryland has the best bench in the ACC, which enables it to be one of the few teams in the nation that can compete with Duke.

the nation that can compete with Duke. **2. Duke (14-1, 3-1) — Grade: B+** Dake lost one game by one point. They are the top-ranked team in the nation. But I expected a little more from the Blue Devils. Dake has the best starting lineup col-lege baskeball has seen size, well, last year — when Duke also had a dominating starting five. Even on their worst night, the Devils shouldn't have way problems with Florida State. Nor should they have to labor to beat San Diego State Osteon Hall. Recently. Duke has shown the desire that has been lacking for much of the season. If the Blue Devils maintain this swefound hunger, I'd he suprised if their search for another title went uncompleted.

3. Wake Forest (13-4, 3-1) -Grade: B-

Grade: B+ Everyone knew the Demon Deacons were returning an experienced, talent-ed team. What was a question coming into this season was whether the play-ers would take to the pressing style of Skip Proser. The answer has been a resounding yes. The Deacons came out of the gates quickly by reaching the finals of the Prosesson NIT. They've shown the

ability to be a dominating team, thrash-ing their first three ACC opponents before Tuesday's setback at Virginia.

4. N.C. State (13-4, 3-2) - Grade:

A-On the verge of ending its 10-year exile from the NCAA tournament, the Wolfpack is the surprise team of the ACC so far Despite starting the season slowly with losses to Ohio State and Massachuestre. State has responded. A traditionally poor road team, State has won four in a row on the road, with two of the wins coming on last-second shots.

Anthony Grundy has been the mos consistent performer, but Archie Miller, Clifford Crawford, Marcus Melvin, Scoter Sherrill, Josh Powell, Julius Hodge and Iian Evtimov have all had big games to help lead the Pack to wins. With such a diverse squad, State has thrived.

State has thrived. **5.** Virginia (11-2, 2-2) — Grade: C The Cavalies returned four of their statters from a year ago and were expected to challenge Dake and Mayland in at least some aspect. An early 9-0 record pushed Virginia into the top five, but the Cava loss their first two ACC games and are now strug-ging to stay in the upper checken. Wriginia has relied too heavily on the shooting of Roger Mason. For Virginia to be a great team, it needs to get the all to Travis Watson more often and rely less on the outside shot. Watson has the ability to dominate the low post, but he seems to be absent from yriginia's offense for long stretches of games.

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<text><text><text><text><text><text> Pack travels to Florida State

The N.C. State women's basketball team will attempt to maintain its intensity against the Seminoles.

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favortic things to talk about is improve-ment. The N.C. State women's basketball team will get another chance to show how much it has improved in recent days when it travels to Tallahassee, Florida State tonight at 7:30 p.m. State coming off a fiercely contested, emotional loss to Duke in Reynolds Colseum Sunday, looks to return to its winning ways. The Pack grabbed an impressive road win earlier in the week at North Carolina. Despite an injury to leading scorer Carisse Moody and the departure of

veteran guards Ivy Gardner and Daphne Hatcherson, the Pack has played with increased intensity recent-lay, winning big games against UNC and Georgia Tech. "The real test now is to go to Florida State and see if we can play with the same kind of emotion." Yow said. "Sometimes, playing rivals like North Carolina and Duke can help to bring about that emotion. Now we need to take that emotion to the rest of our games."

games." State, led by sophomore center Kaayla Chones and freshman Rachel Stockdale, has had to make adjust-ments in the wake of Moody's injury. Yow has been relatively pleased with the result.

Yow has been relatively pleased with the results. "I like the attitude we have right now in practice and in games," Yow said. "We are just focusing on being com-petitors. We need to continue to improve in the execution of our sys-tem."

tem." Yow stresses the importance of win-

ning the battle of the boards, and the Pack is listening. The team is one of the ACC's top rebounding squads, ranking first in defensive rebounds with 28.8 per game. Chones is ninth in the ACC in

Chones is ninth in the ACC in rebounding. averaging 6.1 per game, and Talisha Scates is 18th in the league, averaging 5.1 per contest. Chones is also second on the team in scoring, averaging 11.3 points. Amy Simpson, who contributed 11 vs. Duke, averages 8.4 per outing. With the departures and the injuries, several young players have been called upon to step up, and they have respond-ed.

ed. Kendra Bell had career highs of 11 points and six assists against Duke. Stockdale also came off the bench to contribute hustle and 12 points against the Devils The Pack will face a well-rested Florida State team that has not played

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