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# The Bell Tower story Students' sweet treat



The Bell Tower has become a symbol of the university.

### ♦ The recognizable N.C. State icon has an interesting history.

Amy Bissinger

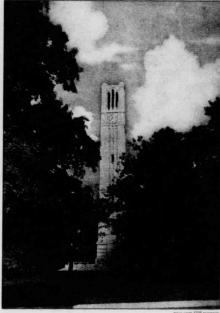
N.C. State's Bell Tower has been around for a long time — longer than most alums can remember. The venerable symbol of one of North Carolina's largest and most prestigious public universities is easily recognized and adorn most a N.S.E. Toker and each

versities is easily recognized and adorns many an NCSUT-shirt and cof-fee mug.

Its road to prominence has not been an easy one however, as it took 27 years to complete construction on the massive tower.

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The idea for the Bell Tower started with a letter from Vance Sykes, who graduated from NCSU in 1907, to E.B. Owen, the current alumin secretary, Sykes wished to construct a monument to NCSU alumin killed in World War I. The Alumin Memorial Committee was formed, chaired by Dr. Carroll Mann, for whom Mann Hall was named, and architect William H. Deacy was asked to design the tower in 1920, Deacy blended Gothic and



This photo of the Bell Tower was taken in 1938, only one year after the completion of the building's top half.

Romanesque features for a look that has been noted for being reminiscent of the military academy at West Point.

Charles Vance York, president of the NCSU General Alumni Association, NCSU General Alumni Association, helped raise funds for the tower's construction. His company, York Construction, began work on the memorial in the mid-1920s after a dedication and cornerstone laying three years after the end of World War I. The first 10-foot section of Mt. Airy granife was land in 1924, and subsequent sections were added in 1925 and 1926. The tower was built atop a 700-ton concrete base, which supports the 1,400-ton, 115-foot tower.

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## Summer groups bring in participants of all ages

This summer, campus housing will provide lodging for 79 groups aging from 7 to 101 years.

Sharolyn Banks

Shaft Reporter

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This summer more than 13,000 people will occupy N.C. State's dorms and student housing through camps, orientations and conferences that are being hosted on campus. Justine Hollingshead, coordinator of conferences and quest services said.

Of the 79 different groups that will dwell on campus, their purposes range from arts and sciences, church and career-oriented conferences, athletics, girl scouts, Special Olympics, computer-related events and more. Their ages range even more drastically; the oldest person is a 101-year-old group member of the Presbyterian Church Conference, while the youngest are a part of a 7-years-and-up group.

The members of these many groups come primarily from North Carolina and the Mid-Atlantic States, though there are some who have come from several states along the Eastern Seaboard.

The martial arts conference brought in participants from all over the world, said Hollingshead. The industrial engineering department brought in students from Tawan, while the student from



During the summer, N.C. State serves as home to many camps and their participants. These young athletes are taking a break after a tough work out in soccer camp.

Sweden.

The smallest group to come thus far had five participants, while the largest group was the Special Olympics with 1,800 participants staying on campus. Hollingshead said that most of the youth groups that come during the summers are all considered potential future students, and information regarding the campus is left in each room, at the start of each conference,

orientation and camp.

Staff for conferences and guest services have a fast turnover and are equipped with a fully automated system to allow for a faster check-in for the different groups.

Hollingshead also said that the processing for each group has been made easier for the public due to on-line registrations and new marketing that is Internet-based.

## Campus Police urge caution in light of recent events

♦ Two incidents at Raleigh-area apartments have raised awareness abo safety in the area surrounding car

Jerry Moore

A pair of recent incidents has raised oncerns about safety at Raleigh partment complexes.

In the most recent occurrence early Sunday morning, an intruder entered the first-floor residence of a female N.C. State student at the University House apartments near Centennial Campus. According to police, the perpetiator tried to rape the victim, but she screamed, causing him to flee from the scene. from the scene

The suspect may have entered the victim's apartment through an unlocked sliding glass door. Police

are now searching for a white mal between 25 and 30 years old in con-nection with the crime. He is believe to be six-foot-two, about 185 pounds with a muscular build and shorter hair.

Sergeant Jon Barnwell of the NCSU Campus Police said that to his knowledge, police have not linked this inci-dent with the rape and murder of

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wins competition



tudents display their invention from left to right: John Firebaugh, landy Flint, Mary Whetstine, Brian Lloyd, and Pablo Coronel.

♦ Eleven N.C. State students worked for months to create an award-win ning coffee creamer.

Diane Cordova

Shart Reporter

Sweet and tempting could describe the interesting invention of 11 food science students at N.C. State.

The students, consisting of both graduates and undergraduates, recently created a new type of coffee creamer duibbed Mocha Royale. With their invention, the students entered the Student Product Development Competition at the 2002 Institute of Food Technologists Annual Meeting and Food Expo in Anahetin, Calif., in June. Their invention took first place and earned them a \$1,000 prize.

The competition, which has grown more intense each year, is open to all universities and colleges to enter a new food product idea. This year 22 teams from across the country competed. Experienced industry product developers judge the products.

At the competition, the judges seemed impressed by Mocha Royale because the NCSU students received a 7,5 on a 9-point scale for their invention, said Mary Carunchia Whetstine, a graduate student in food science and one of the team leaders.

"Mocha Royale looks similar to a confection or chocolate candy that one could buy in a Godiva store," said Whetstire.

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Mocha Royale is similar to other coffee creamers in its nutritional information. The product contains 3 grams of fat and 60 calones per serving. Mocha Royale also contains real dairy ingredients, and it is 60 percent sugar with added artificial sweetene.

"Mocha Royale sweetens and whitens ordinary coffee and has the benefit of chocolate," said Whetstine.

Mocha Royale's appeal is that it "adds indulgence and elegance to your daily cup of coffee," said Whetstine.

The idea of Mocha Royale came about last fall in a graduate class, Food Research & Development and Ingredient Technology, taught by Dr. Tyre Lanier, professor of food science.

Itoyd, and Pablo Coronel.

The overall process of creating this sweet treat took about nine months. According to Brian Lloyd, a doctoral student in food science and one of the team leaders, all-new food products start out as a bench-top prototype. Mocha Royale was made by hand in the Food Science plot plant facilities. The NCSU Food Science department has a dairy pilot plant where some of the necessary machinery was available. According to Dr. Lanier, before the competition even took place the students had to perform many months of market research, bench and lab level development, focus groups, taste panels, stability trials, lots of writing, a professionally designed poster competition, a three-man presentation and interview session, and finally, a tasting session with the judges to win. In January a focus group visited the class. The students questioned the group, which consisted of about 10 individuals, in an attempt to understand current consumer desires, and the focus group told the students what product they envisioned. The students were specifically targeting female consumers aged 18 to 35, who are the main consumers for flavored coffees.

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make Mocha Royale available in stores. In addition, this group of students won another recent competition — the Dairy Management Inc. product devel-opment contest in February. In this competition, the students field for first place for most marketable product and won a \$1,500 ptrze. Other students involved with the pro-duction of Mocha Royale were Pablic Coronel, Jon Firebaugh, Mandy Flint, Todd Katz, Tara Kurtz, Lacey McKlem, Melody Milroy, Jacob Thompson and Nikki Young, For more details, visit the group's Web site at http://www.mocharoyale.com.



HOT DOG DAYS

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## BELL

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The Great Depression caused a decrease in fundraising, and construction on the Bell Tower was not completed until 1937, when President Franklin D. Roosevelt's Works Progress Administration stepped in with federal funds to aid in the tower's completion. The final price tag for the tower topped \$150,000.

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Mann led fundraising efforts for roughly three decades during the construction of the Bell Tower. "My greatest experience has been the work! I have done on that tower," Mann once said. "When the time comes for net of die, the last thing I want to hear are the chinnes on Memorial Tower at the College."

The class of '38 and various student honor societies provided for the clock, and the class of '39 donated the spotlights to illuminate the Bell Tower.

Finishing touches on the tower were delayed until after World War II, but chimes, the shrine room and the plaque were all completed, and the Memorial Bell Tower was dedicated on Nov. II. 1949. Armistice Day.—31 years after the armistice that ended World War II. The plaque originally listed 34.

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The plaque originally listed 34 names, although the actual number of alumni who died in

World War I was 33. Before the armistice, G.L. Jeffers, class of 13, had been wrongly reported killed in action. Many years later, when the list of alumin killed in the war was given to the engraver, Jeffers' name was not removed. The error was noted on the finished plaque, and the decision was later made not removed. The error was noted on the finished plaque, and the decision was later made to alter the name to G.E. Jefferson, as a symbol of the unknown soldiers from NCSU and elsewhere who died defending their country.

The original carillon was replaced in 1986, and rededicated in 1986 and rededicated in March of that year to honor former Chancellor Dr. Carey Bostian and his wife Neita.

In 1998, Chancellor Marye Anne Fox proposed lighting the Bell Tower in red to commemorate Wolfpack athletic victories, certain academic events and celebrations, and national holidays honoring veferans.

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honoring veterans.

The Bell Tower has been a focal point for many campus activities, including the March for Education, which took place May 2, 2001. Approximately 2,500 students from NCSU and other UNC-System campuses met at the Bell Tower before marching down Hillsborough Street to the legislative building in protest of proposed budget cuts.

Philip Carter, Chair-elect the faculty in 2000, stated, " Bell Tower memorializes th

## CRIME

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Stephanic Renee Bennett. 23, who was found in her apartment near Lake Lynn on May 21. But as with all incidents, the authorities are looking for similarities.

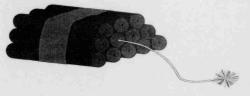
Barnwell stressed that although these incidents have not occurred on the university's campus, they should serve as a reminder to students to be careful.

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"In lieu of recent events, we just want to tell students to lock their doors, be aware of their surroundings and report suspicious activities to the police," Barnwell said "Most people lock the doors when they're not at home, but you should really lock them when you're in or out, and expecially when you're is espenja." Barnwell said that must of the crime on NCSU's campus actually occurs during the daylight hours because people tend to let down their guard. He stressed that it's always a good idea to be aware.

ignited.

The fire alarm and sprinklers were set off, but the flame was quickly contained, damaging only the stoye itself. There was minimal water damage to the sprinkler activation. The building was evacuated for nearly one hour but then reopened.



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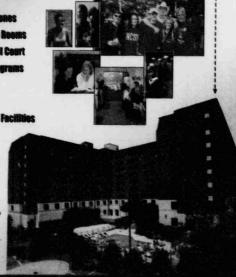
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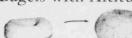
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# Opinion

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## **University Web site** makes needed improvements

N.C. STATE UNVEILED A NEW WEB SITE DESIGN, AND THE CHANGES ARE WELCOME.

dents about the changes. The adjust-ments made to the site mark improve-ments from the current site, which was alunched in February of 2001, includ-ing a new homepage design and an entirely new search engine that uses Google. The NSSU Web site receives over five million visitors each day, and improving the site only improves the image of our university as a whole.

improving the site only improves the image of our university as a whole. Some of the major changes to the Web site are meant to allow easier access and decreased waiting time, such as a more streamlined look for faster downloads, a multi-column page design to reduce scrolling, and the use of Google technology for searches. These changes will make navigation user-friendlier and improve the accessibility of the site. "N.C. State's existing search engine has, repeatedly, for years, been cited as the greatest short-coming of the N.C. State We site." according to Dr. Brad Mehlenbacher, associate professor of technical communications in the Department of English, in a previous Technican article: Google, notably, is the 2000, 2001 and 2002 winner of the Webby Best Practices and Technical Achievement Awards. I think students, faculty, staff and visitors will be really excited about P.

this change." And we are excited, because individuals both on and off campus use the NCSU Web site for a variety of reasons; therefore improving the speed at which they can access information is an important change for both students and members of the community who are searching for information.

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The new site will also include news items updated daily. This feature will allow students to have more access to the issues affecting campus, and it will keep other visitors informed of the daily events across NGSU. The improved graphics, emphasizing students and school landmarks, bring a more personal feel to the Web site and to visitors looking at the school.

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When prospective students click to a Web site and are greeted with pictures of smiling students and recent head-lines, it portrays a sense of an up-to-date community. Then, when they are able to search for the topic of their choice with a faster, more dependable system, it lest them know that NCSU is on the cutting edge of technology. It is important to note that the university will not be changing the informational structure of the site, only the way which it is navigated. To view the site and contribute comments of your own, view waw.nosti.edu/new\_click the view www.ncsu.edu/new, click the "About This Site" link and then

### ULEOF THUMB Powell staying put



Secretary of State Colin Powell has been quietly insisting lately that he has no intention of quitting his post despite often finding himself on the opposite side of the table from hardliners such as Defense Secretary Don Rumsfeld, to whom President Bush often defers. "Twon't let the bustards drive me out," said Powell. "Twe made a cushion fort, and Twe got rations for weeks."

## Indonesian karaoke bar burns

A karaoke bar in Jakarta, Indonesia, caught fire and burned for nearly 12 hours this weekend, killing at least 23 patrons, according to local fire officials. "Someone started singing that Ricky, Martin song. "She Bangs," and it was just too hot," said the club's owner, fighting back tears.



## Bond attacks Bush in speech



Julian Bond, chairman of the board of the NAACP, opened the group's national convention in Houston this week, themed "Freedom Under Fire," with a speech roundly criticizing President Bush and Attorney General John Asheroft, When Bush learned of the speech, his advisors quickly calmed his fears, saying, "Don't worry, sir. If s just the blacks again."

### Corporate accounting problems abound

Following on the heels of several major corporations, Bugs-Be-Gone Exterminators on Lake Wheeler Road announced that they had overstated revenues by \$253.18 since last August. "We just hope our shareholder can still respect us. Please forgive us. Mack," said Cecil McMurray, owner and chief extermination technician at Bugs-Be-Gone.



### Ted Williams on ice



The son of baseball great Ted Williams, who died last Friday of cardiac arrest, is having his father's body cryogenically frozen by a company in Scottsdale, Ariz, much to the chaggin of commentators and fans. Some were excited by the prospect, however. T've got my hammer and chisel ready, in case I ever get a chance to grab a piece of 'The Kid.' said one loyal Bostonian.

## Quebec fires clouding northeast

Smoke from several forest fires in Quebec began drifting into the northeastern United States this weekend, hovering at about 12,000 feet above sea bevel. While New Englanders urged Canadians to "keep their smoke to themselves." Canadians in turn quietly pointed to the pollution drifting up on their Great Lakes shores from the American side.



## AIDS vaccine on horizon



VaxGen, an American biotech company, has reported that an AIDS vaxcime developed by the firm has produced positive results in chimpatraces. While it may be five years before the vaccine is available for human use, the company says it is happy in the interim" to have helped alleviate the scourge of AIDS in the chimp population," where unprotected sex is the unfortunate norm.

## Jacko has publicity spasm

Michael Jackson, the reclusive king (Lear) of pop, attended a demonstration against record giant Sony in Harlem this weekend, calling the company's chief, Tommy Mottola, "devilish" and a "racist." "Go back to hell, Mottola," said Jackson at one point. "But all you fine people stay put and buy my album. I love you all, Where's Bubbles? I own a ranch!"



### Independence Day goes well



This year's Fourth of July holiday passed without major incident, according the Federal Office of Independence Management. No territories or citizens used the day to proclaim their own independence from the United States, in marked contrast to last year's holiday, on which some 3,100 people and a chunk of southwest Texas all attempted to secode from the Union.

Warm out today. Warm yesterday, too. Even warmer today. robably gonna be warm tomorrow. Yep, sure is warm.





# **Talking about God**



Twenty years ago, in a hospital in Greensboro, on the day before the Fourth of July, I was born. Twenty years later, I was on an airplane. High green was a summer of the part of July, I was born. Twenty years later, I was on an airplane. High green was a summer of the part of July and July

to hike for twelve days, completely removed from modern conveniences. Just my pack, my friends and myself. I spent twelve days away from all of my troubles and all the troubles of the world, and I hoped to figure out what was important. One of the few things I missed was reading the newspaper in the mornings. So, of course, the first thing I grabbed when I hit the airport was a copy of the New York Times and a USA Today. Which brings us back to that moment on the plane.

I read the article quickly and desperately tried to get my mind around it. Our currency in this country speaks simply of religion. Our founding fathers all appreciated that while we as a nation don't need the same God, we should all understand that there are governing principles of our lives. The 12th and final point of the Boy Scout Law is that a Scout is reverent. The Scout Oath includes that a Scout foes this duty, to God and his country. All of these things include references to a higher moral being, and I would be outraged if they came under fire because of it.

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But not as outraged as I was that a federal judge would undermine the Pledge of Allegiance. I remember as a child watching a segment of Red Skelton explaining the Pledge. He took it apart, word by word, and I remember being moved as this man of comedy, who had touched so many people's hearts, was serious about this. The words of this Pledge were so important that one of the funniest men alive had nothing but reverence for them. Now, however, after our nation needed to pull together as short ten months ago, some would return to the same old stupid games. If I met this judge, I would ask him to explain to me the harm in

saying these words. Who has the Pledge of Allegiance ever offended? If anyone is hurt by the words therein, it is only out of ignorance and a lack of respect. Under the flag that you salue, with your hand over your heart, many men have died. Men have gladly given up their lives, hoping to make the world a better place and to ensure a longer life for America. Those men were reverent. Those men knew what is important. Never once would you hear such a man contest the Pledge of Allegiance or the simple epithet on our currency. In God we trist.

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Our government is one of majorities, While this minority of people may not believe the same things when it comes to where they are on Sunday morning, the majority of us all share the same moral principles. We all flown right from wrong. On some level, we all put our trust somewhere higher We all put our trust shart our country governs by what is correct and morally right. Is if just a coincidence that the words "God" and "good" look so similar? I like to think that the two are nearly interchangeable. So, we should pledge allegiance, for we have shown that we are one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all. If you don't want to, then don't. No one have ever been forced to, but everyone should want to.

Maybe our friendly California federal

should want to.

Maybe our friendly California tederal judge should look into issues that are important and worth his time, like what a federal judge has to go through in order to resign from the bench.

# Stop hating on them and work on beating them



Ngongang

I have thorough-ly enjoyed these past couple of weeks as summer sports reach the heat of competi-tion. Baseball fans again marvel at individual records attemptat individual records attempt-ing to be broken in the middle of team pennant races. We see the tennis season's

grand events showcasing extreme athletotism and grace, and then we see the golf world attempt to compete with Tiger Woods. In all these great events, the joy and entertainment is precluded by the hatting from media and fans who, rather than observe the athletic genius, decide to unjustly criticize this summer's best athletes.

Serena and Venus Williams have been ripped apart because they are the best two players in the game of women's tennis, and they fail to show a stellar performance when they play each other. It is ridiculous that we ask two sisters to play irrespective of their kinship. They grew in this game in a time when neither the media nor the tennis community wanted to accept them, making each others' company on the court the only consolation. Now we as "fans of tennis" want them to rip each other apart on the court ... it's not going to happen.

People claim that the game of tennis can't respect the number one and two when they play each other and it is not entertaining. Venus absolutely murdered every single opponent she played on her way to the Wimbledon final. Serena dujkly was the Wimbledon final. Serena dujkly made playdon of her Capriati understands this, and if you look closely, you can see she keeps her comments or reservations about the two to herself. If anyone else has a problem, then they should genetically come up with a player that can beat either of them. Until people realize that complaining on paper is useless and something must be done on the court, Serena and Venus will own their other opponents, he game of tennis and every single grand slam final will be a family affair.

Thank God Tiger Woods doesn't have a brother on tour. Over the past five years or so, the has transcended the

"hateration" he experienced when he first came on the scene. He came out of Stanford having dominated collegiate golf to the pro tour, where the world wasn't quite ready for this Cablanasian golf genius. He was hated not so much by society or the media, but more so by the golfers who weren't ready to change the game to which they were accustomed. Tiger made them hit longer, put more accurately and suck in their guts when they were walking on the course. Tiger Woods elevated not only the game of golf but the game of sports business. He saw how much money is made from athletes these days, and he took action. He told which he would play on their team, but he told them he was the coach and general manager in a sense. If Nike was making money off of him, he wanted a cut — a big cut. He went to the PGA tour and told Tim Finchen the same thing — if you are going to charge people more money to see me, then I want either more money or I want you to stop it. People hated on Tiger, claiming he was an egotistical young minority trying to taint golf. Tiger could be the

stop it. People hated on Tiger, claiming he was an egotistical young minority trying to taint golf. Tiger could be the youngest greatest golfer in the history of the sport — the PGA tout hew it, and Tiger knew it. He only did what any of us would do — took centrol of his name, his game and his fame.

The number-one name in hating over the past two years might be Barry Bonds. I will say it out loud right now that he is a jerk to the media and probably to a lot of his teammates. The hing I remind everyone is that he is a good player, and many years from now some people will consider him one of the greatest. He is the best player in the greatest. He is the best player in

something we all are familiar with—stubborn. We all have sports figures we love to hate. Mine is the Los Angeles Lakers because they are so daming good and win championships effortlessly. I dislike Kobe Bryant with a passion, I hate his attitude and the way he thinks he is the greatest. There is one thing Lean't deny in this argument, and that is the fact that he is, in fact, good. He is one of the most dominating two-guards in the NBA, and no matter how much I hadmouth him, I will lose my argument if I even try to discount that. So I say hate, just don't negate, the obvious talent.

Decker knows that half the fun of sports is hating the opposing team. If you also despise the Lakers, let him know at dingonga@unity.ncsu.edu.

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# Hot fun in the summertime

aong the byways and highways of rural West Virginia, a young musician — riding a steep and quick path that appears aimed at musical stardom — is about as far removed from that world as one could imagine. Last Monday morning, Jerry DePizzo, saxophone extraordinaire for the rising band ... of a revolution (O.A.R.), found himself trekking across those very roads on his way to the birthplace of his dream, a rehearsal room fitted with the instruments and friends that have at long last propelled his band to a chance at the big time.

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propelled his band to a chance at the big time.

That chance is a slot aboard the main stage at this summer's Jeep World Outside Festival. With an almost tangible excitement in his voice, DePizzo raves, "This is exactly what we were looking for this summer. When the offer came to the table, we were really excited to do it. The chance to play alongside people like Sheryl Crow ... and Train ... that's really great for us."

After opening in Charlotte on Tuesday and swinging through Atlanta on Wednesday, the inaugural run of the somewhat underrated and underpublicized Jeep World Outside Festival will pull into Raleigh on Friday with a list of artists that speaks not only about chapters of the present but shouls volumes of the future.

Though eight-time Grammy winner Sheryl Crow, fellow radio standout Train and reggae powerhouse Ziggy Marley are the major names that will draw crowds to all of the Festival's 23 stops, the two remaining main stage acts — O.A.R. and Silvererish — may be what eager fams go home talking about this year.

be what eager fans go home talking about this year.

Following the release of their largely successful live album "Any Time Now," O.A.R. seems poised to knock on the nation's door this summer. The

homespun rhymes and raw voice of Marc Roberge combined with the flawless funk of Benj Gershnan on bass and the jazz-inspired DePizzo bring to O.A.R. a sound quickly reminiscent of a frat party or a backyard barbeau. The sound is contagious; the raw, impolished delivery is as refreshing as the band's do-it-yourself business approach. The band's vibrancy of Deteding reggae and influed cross-seems quite fitting for the outdoor restrict. The band's vibrancy of bleeding reggae and influed cross-seems quite fitting for the outdoor restrict. The band's recently released national debut, "Stand," has led to nascent rave reviews that have retrieved than one of the base of the party of talent bookout and emerging rock fans rabid with anticrpation. If the main stage falls short on sonic revolution, the second stage does more hand on the hookout and emerging rock fans rabid with anticrpation. If the main stage falls short on sonic revolution, the second stage does more hand or mpensate with its stout lineup of talent bound for rock "n' roll royalty. Perhaps the most enthralling musician to come onto the singer-songwrite cene in the past decade, young Howe Day molds sweeping, driving lyries to simply chorded acoustic pops ones in a manner that evokes the emotion and complexity of Jeff Buckley's "Grace" and the simplicity and charge of "Freewheelin" Bob Dylan," His debut defirmed the summer of the farman of the farman of the past decade, young Howe Day molds sweeping, driving lyries to simply chorded acoustic pops ones in a manner that evokes the emotion and complexity of Jeff Buckley's "Grace" and the simplicity and charge of "Freewheelin" Bob Dylan," His debut defirmed the summer has a strategation of the study of the strain of the farman of the defirment of the farman of the farman of the strain of the farman of the



boarders and clumbers. With the festival beginning at 3:30 p.m. and ending around 11 that night, nearly an entire day of fun, sun and music seems to be in store for Raleigh this Friday. With tickets as low as \$22.50. the Jeep World Outside Festival seems like a cheap way to discover some of the best emerging music in the country while discovering at least 22 good ways to break bones.

For a few of those bands, this festival may be that long-awaited opportunity at success for which a man would drive across West Virginia, even on a

## A note from I-Fi

Step one for throwing a glam Fourth of July concert: give proper directions. I can't stress how important his is, people. If any of you are planning on having any big musical festivals in the near future, please make sure to do that.

I bring this up because on Thursday I found myself in the middle of the capital-G ghetto in Atlanta, You see, the directions to the I-Fi music festival were a bit off. Following the instructions on the Web site ("Click here for custom directions! Now!"). I was given a carefully plotted path between Raleigh and Atlanta. All the way from my little house to a big of 'music venue six hours away. Oh, the wonders of the technology.

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Mapquest did give me flawless directions to 695 North Avenue. However, the concert I was attending was at 695 North Street, which is a totally different place. After contacting various associates and asking the nice people on the street to please not shoot me, I finally made it to the proper location for the big show.

So here's the one big difference between Raleigh and Atlanta — at Cat's Cradle, they don't feel your blkinin region to make sure you're not carrying any firearms. There could be other differences too, but as far as I could tell this was the only major one. After the long drive and pleasurable frisking. I was ready for some music—and that's what I got, more or less. The first band to perform, The Kingsbury Manx, was just boring. That's okay though, for it gave people time to buy 53 water and die from heat exhaustion (both fun things to do on a warm summer afternoon).

With the second act, things started looking up. Let By Day, on a mission to give people some really good vibes, was a wonderful surprise. Although a description would likely fall short (The instrumentation consisted of a guitar and trumpet.). Jet By Day is definitely a band to check out.

Following Jet By Day was The Sunshine Fix Electric Blues Band from just down the road in Athens. Always a good live band. The Sunshine Fix played the proper ratio of original creations and covers to make everybody happy as clams at a rock concert. As an added bonus, singer Bill Doss likes to scream "Electric blues." every now and then between songs. That's always mice.

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scream "Electric blues!" every now and then between songs. That's always nice.

After Sunshine Fix came Live on Arival, a Christian rap group that was somewhere between very and completely out of place. They sort of sounded like A Tribe Called Quest, but, you know, really white. And speaking of which, I'll leave the description at that before I make a total fool of myself using words like "flow" and "illin."

The true gem of I-Fi was Ugly Casanova, a current project of Isaac Brock (of Modest Mouse fame). Ugly Casanova, a current project of Isaac Brock (of Modest Mouse fame). Ugly Casanova gave, in a word, just about the best performance I've ever seen. After playing their songs for about an hour, they finished off the set with an amazing rendition of "Styrofoam Boots." everybody's favorite Modest Mouse song (or at least everybody with good taste). It was really a special performance and certainly the highlight of the festival.

The next 10 hours were filled by former Dinosaur Ir. frontman J. Mascis, He started out by playing lots of Dinosaur Ir. songs, and after that he played lots of Dinosaur Ir. songs, He attempted to play his band's songs, He attempted to play his that of songs, so the only way to tell he was starting a new one was when the hard-core fans started clapping. Here's a tip: Get some friends to come and play the other instruments next time.

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By this time, the sun had come and
gone, and there was one act left.
Stephen Malkmus (formerly of
Pavement and Silver Jews) and The
Jicks. While not as good as Ugly
Casanova, The Jicks was the perfect
and for a great day. They even played a
Pavement song (but sadly no Qassil
Big Steve, as the ladies call him, sure
knows how to end a party right.
Despite getting lost and suffering
severe radiation poisoning from the
burning sun, the world's very first I-Fi
festival was a big hit. It will hopefully
happen again next year and in the years
to come. Until then, however, I'll be in
the burn ward recuperating.

# Saving the day!

The Powerpuff
Girls
Directed by Craig McCracken

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So now, seven years after the first cartoon aired, they've finally made the jump to the hig screen, and fans of the show (tike this writer all had one big concern. Would the movie, like other recent hig screen adaptations, only prove to be a super-long episode of the television show? Can the girls actually stay entertaining in a full-length film?

If any of you are still worried, feel

better knowing that you can relax, for "The Powerpuff Girls Movie" is better than even the optimistic fans thought it would be. The animation, a combina-tion of the hard-drawn animation used in the series and some peppy computer-arimated special effects, tooks incredi-ble. The missic works perfectly with the film, the pace is fast enough to keep everyone interested while the show's demented sense of humor is perfectly intact.

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The film tells the tale of how the three super-heroes originated, beginning with a sad professor walking through the dark streets of a crime-ridden Townsville. Around every corner he sees evil of all sorts taking place, and

he decides to finally do something about it: he wants to create three "perfect fittle girls."

Of course his lab monkey, Jojo, manages to push the professor into the vat of Chemical X that gives the girls their superpowers. I but it also gives Jojo superior intellectual powers, turning him into — Mojo Jojo!

From here the plot — one I'd feel had spoiling — takes the usual number of turns and twists you'd expect from an animated film and provides a goods turn of the plot of the colorful action sequences and jokes that we've come to expect from "The Powerpoff Girls." It's also not aimed at kids, while they're the age audience that's going to this movie, the numerous references to "Planet of the Apes" and Kevin Smith's Jay and Sident Bob characters will fly right over their heads.

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The animation is better than expected, The animation is better than expected, as well—at all times it's crisp, clear and incredibly colorful. It doesn't stick with just the bright, flashy colors found in fight sequences, for much of the film is told in blacks and blues in a town where evil runs rampant. One particular scene that sticks out takes place in outer space, where the rejected girls are taking refuge, and much of the color has been replaced with gray to create a lonesome, deserted tone.

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In films like this the real question concerns whether or not it remembers the audiences that it's aimed to and if it manages to appease them, and this is something that it easily does. It's fast, It's funny, It's a really good time. This is one that's worth the trip out to the theater, whether you're seven or 37.



# Shadow returns with 'Private Press'

Ghassan Hamra

**DJ Shadow** 

When we last got a full-length album from DJ Shadow, we were treat-When we lost got a full-length album from DJ Shadow, we were treated to one of the best albums to come out in 1996. "Entroducing" revolutionized the world of electronic music by fusing aspects of hip-hop and electronica, with plenty of samples. With two turntables and a mixer, Josh Davis has provided us with the results of an experiment whose results are nothing less than outstanding.

Since "Entroducing." Shadow has spent his time working with a cavalicade of stars. Producing the debut CD from U.N.K.L.E. gave Shadow the

chance to work with artists such as Thom Yorke and Richard Ashcroft, as well as other others from his home label, Mo'Wax. In fact, Shadow produced the latest release from Blackalicious, "Blazing Arrow," another album worth everybody's attention. This isn't to say that Shadow did nothing but produce in the time between 1996 and now. He also released a slew of EPs, as well as "Preemptive Strike," an album that documented his singles prior to the release of "Entroducing." In 2000, DJ Shadow gave us the soundtrack to a film entitled "Dark Days," a documentary on homeless life in the train tunnels beneath Manhattan, Though the soundtrack may not be as enjoyable on its own, it goes perfectly with the film and sets a tone that characterizes the film better than any other artist could have.

Before "The Private Press" came out, we were treated to a sample of the album via the "You Can't Go Home" single, which included some previously unreleased tracks. Though this EP was pretty good, it did not come close to fully representing the wide array of sound that is captured in his latest effort.

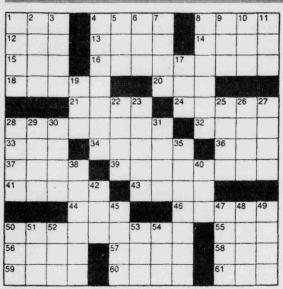
Moving from fast-paced brake beats to ambient to quirky funk, "The Private Press" fully displays Shadow's already well-known ability to fuse various gen-res to create an intelligent, inventive dance environment. This is an album whose place is in a recliner with a stereo and a set of headphones or in the background of a party.

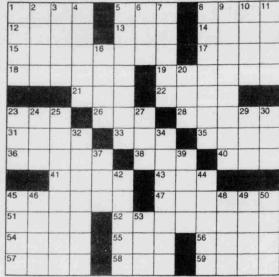
At first, the album grabs the listener as disappointing in how little it differs from "Entroducing" Beats, samples—everything is pretty much in line with his previous work, which could be

taken as a lack of ability to progress or change. However, one cannot expect too much variation in an area of music whose increased change would lead to an overhaul of the genre itself, which Shadow almost single-handedly creat-ed.

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Additional exposure to the album reveals more and more samples, layers and genre-hending that you will surely fail to completely grasp the first time around, allowing fibs album to stand the test of time.

Overall, this album is pretty much what one would expect from DJ Shadow. For most artists, this would be a bad thing. Shadow's ability to askight variation to his signature style without completely revamping allows his latest work to keep listeners happy without boring them and without leaving them with a longing for the DJ Shadow of old.





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## WOMEN

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the second consecutive year.
"It's going to be well-attended
if we [State] play here, obviously," said Finch. "If we are not in
the tournament, either Duke or
North Carolina would play here,
which is what you want to have:

**NOTES** 

son.

Stinson is currently averaging 14.4 points, 5.6 rebounds and 2.7 assists per game, while Melvin boasts 12.9 points per game and 5.3 caroms per con-

schools from geographically close places. It's a home run any way you look at it."
With other locations including Knoxville, Tenn., and Stors. Conn., it is clear the committee believes Raleigh to be a highly involved area for women's athletics. With a Hall of Fame coach in Raleigh and a proud tradition in the Trlangle's three ACC women's programs, it's hard to argue with such a conclusion.

field and scored 13 points. She also yanked down six rebounds and dished a couple of assists.

## a father

"J.W. Isenhour has meant so much to tennis in North Carolina that we feel honoring **TENNIS** Carolina that we feel honoring him in this way is only natural." said former player Andy Andrews. "I met Coach [Isenhour] when I was nine years old, and the things he taught me on and off the court made a major impact on my life. He commands respect and approval from the University Board of Trustees, which will consider the proposal at its next meeting in September, accord-ing to Bass.

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points on 6-of-12 shooting from
the floor to go along with two
assists. Erb played six minutes,
grabbing one rebound.

Stinson's best game of the
week came on Friday against
the Miami's Ool, agame Charlotte
won 72-of8. Stinson had an
impressive all-around game
with 18 points in 28 minutes on
A-for-14 shooting. The former
Wolfpack star went 2-for-2 from
the 3-point line, grabbed seven
rebounds, dished two assists and
fifted two steads. Erb saw 10
minutes of action, contributing
two points and three rebounds.
Charlotte's final contest of the
week came on Sturnday in a 7867 beating of Melvin's Rockers.
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to assists. Erb played seven
minutes, scored one point and
blocked two shots. Melvin
poured in 11 points in 30 minutes on 3-for-7 shooting, pulled
down four boards and posted
three assists.

In Cleveland's first game of
the week, a 68-64 loss to
Portland, Melvin played 37
minutes, went 5-of-10 from the

Charlotte had the busiest week of any team in the league with four games, beginning on Monday with a 90-68 demolition of the Phoenix Mercury. Stinson scored 13 points in 24 minutes, shooting 5-for-9 from the field, while dishing out five assists. The Wolfpack's Summer Erb played 17 minutes, the most for her since a 69-64 loss to the Utah Starzz in the second week of the season, scoring four points and snaring five caroms.

On Wednesday, Charlotte suf-On Wednesday, Charlotte suf-fered a 76-73 loss to the Portland Fire. Stinson saw 32 minutes of action and scored 13 "It's a huge statement about N.C. State women's basketball to be included in this process," said Finch.

said Finch.

Other first- and second-round sites include: Manhattan, Kan:.
University Park, Pa.; Norfolk. Va.; Boulder, Col.; Norman, Okla; West Lafayette, Ind.: Stanford, Calif.; Eugen, Ora Athens, Ga.; Ruston, La.: Lubbock, Texas; Albuquerque, N.M.; and Cincinnati.

expects excellence from all that have played for him. We were not the most talented group, but you could bet that J.W. would have us better prepared than any other team. He knows how to get the best from anyone."

Andrews, who played for Isenhour from 1977-81, is the chairman of the executive committee for the fundraising effort.

on Friday, Melvin scored 10 points, posted three steals and went a perfect 4-for-4 from the line in a 73-65 loss to the Seattle Storm, before falling on Saturday to Charlotte.

Saturday to Charlotte.
Former Wolfpack star Tynesha
Lewis played 13 minutes for the
Houston Comets in Saturday's
61-40 victory over the Detroit
Shock. Lewis grabbed four
rebounds, dished two assists and
blocked two shots in her time on

## Rivers becomes

N.C. State junior quarterback Philip Rivers and his wife, Tiffany, are the proud parents of a baby girl. Halle Elizabeth Rivers was born Saturday morn-ing in Raleigh, and mother and daughter are both doing fine, Halle weighed in at 7 lbs., 8 oz. and is 20-1/2 inches long.



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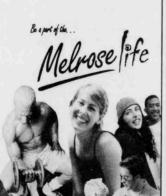


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# Wednesday Sports



No games scheduled

# Pack, Reynolds set to play host



Reynolds Coliseum will once again host an inaugural event

♦ N.C. State will host first- and second-round games of the 2003 women's basketball tournament in the first year of the new format.

Matt Middleton

For the past 21 years, the women's NCAA basketball tournament has mimicked the changes set forth by that of its male counterpart. First, it was expansion of the field to 64 teams fol-

lowed by signing a television deal that calls for all 63 games to be televised. calls for all 63 games to be televised.

Now for the first time ever, teams will play their first- and second-round games at predetermined sites, and N.C. State's Reynolds Coliseum has been awarded one of the 16 presigious bids. The Wolfpack will be eligible to play on its hot, 2 court during the first and second rounds as long as it qualifies for

the tournament, regardless of seeding.
"I feel fortunate to have been one of
the schools chosen for the first and second rounds," said State head coach Kay
Yow. "Going to predetermined sites for
the first time is another first for
women's basketball, and this program
is proud to be a part of that. We've been
a part of a lot of firsts, and this is just
another one of those. Every school
would like to be a host, and hopefully
we can take advantage of this wonderful opportunity."
This past season, the Pack failed to

ful opportunity."
This past season, the Pack failed to qualify for the tournament for the first time since 1994. Getting back to the tournament this year to play on its home court could prove to be some added motivation to the team.
The predetermining of first- and second-round sites is a step in the right direction in the ultimate goal of having an entirely neutral tournament much like that of the men.
After many called for a jump straight

into neutral sites, the NCAA approved the budget for predetermining first- and second-round sites this fall, according to N.C. State Senior Associate Athletics Director Nora Lynn Finch. All Division I members were then asked to formally submit a bid to host first- and second-round games before the committee selected 16 locations. State is the only ACC school to land a bid, something that surprised Finch. "UNC, Duke and Virginia all put in bids, and I'm not sure why one of them wasn't included with us to represent the ACC." said Finch.

Hosting these kinds of events, howevert, is nothing new to the Raleigh area. The Entertainment and Sports Arena was the site of last season's East Regional that was won by Duke in front of just over 8,000 people. Finch believes that lack of attendance will not be a problem even if the Pack fails to

## BASEBALL There goes the ...

t was once written of former Boston Celtic great Bill Russell that he led the city to 12 NBA championships, yet they named the cight-lane traffic tunnel that runs under the Boston Harbor after.

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But the number of championships one brings to a historically star-crossed baseball city isn't how Boston measures the importance and impact of a sports hero. Baseball city isn't how Boston measures the importance and impact of a sports hero. Baseball championships, to it, are both scarce and elusive, with the absence of them balmed on the departure of a certain orphaned Sultan named Babe. Twenty years after the infamous selling of Babe Ruth to the Yankees, Williams entered Boston as a tall, skinny kid from California who worked irrelessly on his hitting from the left-hands side of the plate. Ted Williams didn't exactly embrace Beantown with open arms; rather, he entered with a chip on his shoulder. Ted Williams didn't exactly embrace Beantown with open arms; rather, he entered with a chip on his shoulder, allegedly spitting in the crowd three times during a game and also refusing to tip his cap and acknowledge the fans after each and every one of his \$21 home runs.

And oh yeah, he also wears the mythical distinction of the being the greatest hitter that ever lived, something that was allvays a goal of Williams. He is often quoted as saying that, as he walked by, he wanted people to say, "There goes the greatest hitter that ever lived."

Williams was never about doing the customary thing — his will requests that there be no luneral processions for himself, and even in his final at-bai, in which he smacked a home run in storybook fashion, he promptly trotted around the bases and into the dugout, refusing to fake a how or tip his cap to the crowd, which was on its feet in appreciation.

It was of this incident that American

But Williams was also about being the best at anything he ever did — the best fisherman, the best fighter pilot and, above all, the best hitter that base-

and, above all, the best hitter that base-ball had ever seen.
Williams burst into the league in 1930 when war in Europe was loom-ing, and baseball had seen the careers of Babe Ruth come and go. It would be that war in Europe that cost Williams three seasons in his prime, but he made the most of the three years in between.
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years in between. In his rookie season, Williams recorded 145 RBI and belted 39 homers, doing both while having deal with the deep right-field fence in Fenway Park. In 1941, he legendarily playing out the final two games of a doubleheader instead of sitting them out with his average already at a rounded-up 400. All he did was go 6-for-8 to Irinish the season at 406. No one has come close to hitting 400 since.

since.
Old-fashioned and sometimes at odds with the press, just like his fishing buddy Bobby Knight, Williams is a hero we can all appreciate not only for his baseball feats but because of his commitment to his commitment had been seen for the property of the committee of the high commitment had been all the high commitment had been seen for the high commitment had been even more remarkable. Old-fashioned and sometimes

the plant. Williams and his achieve-season, Williams and his achieve-ments become even more remarkable because we all know that they are in no way tainted. Ted Williams died Friday, fittingly

one can conclude, the day after America patriotically celebrated the holiday of independence he himself helped to protect. I guess we can all finally say, "There went the greatest hitter that ever lived."

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# Tennis facility in the works

♦ With the construction of a new tennis center, N.C. State's facilities will finally be on par with the rest of the ACC tennis powers.

Matt Middleton

It's no secret that the N.C. State tennis programs both struggled mightily this past season. The two teams combined for one conference victory and were both eliminated on the first day of the ACC Championships.

But with the announcement of a new indoor tennis facility in the works, the future looks considerably brighter for both the men's and women's programs as they try and catch up with the rest of the ACC in both performance and in faccitities.

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The Wolfpack Club kicked off fundraising for the complex in early June and is in the process of finalizing an executive committee to spearhead the fundraising effort.

"We are excited about being able to step up and improve the tennis facilities at N.C. State," said Bobby Purcell, executive director of the Wolfpack Club. "We are in partnership with the university to provide the best athletics facilities for all our student-athletes. This new tennis complex joins a growing list of improvements at N.C. State that we are proud to be a part of."

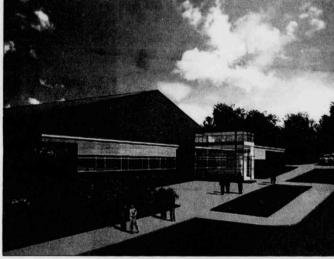
To illustrate the point that premier indoor facilities breed winners on the court, look no further than the other three ACC programs that reside within the borders of the state.

Wake Forest boasts a 64,000 square foot tennis facility complete with several indoor courts. Recently, Demon Deacon women's star Bea Bielik was the NCAA champion in women's singles.

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gles.
North Carolina opened the Cone-kenfield Tennis Center in September of 1992. The facility boasts six indoor and 12 outdoor courts. This past spring the Tar Heels took home the ACC titles in both men's and women's tennis.

in both men's and women's tennis. The two tennis programs at Duke have long been the earmarks for success in ACC tennis. The men's program has lost one conference match in the last five seasons, while the women's team has lost one ACC tournament match since 1987. The Blue



Devils' Sheffield Indoor Tennis Center opened in 2000 and was awarded the United States Tennis Association Outstanding Tennis Facility in February of 2001.

"There are very few schools without an indoor facility; all you have to do is look around the ACC and other conferences like the Southeastern Conference," said Jimmy Bass, associate executive director of the Wolfpack Club.

Club. The facility is tentatively going to be named after former State coach J.W. Isenhour, who led State tennis to its most glorious years in the late '70s. The naming rights are pending

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## Wolfgack Notes

### Pack to face Northwestern in the fourth installment of the annual ACC/Big 10 Challenge

The fourth annual ACC/Big Ten Challenge match-ups have been determined with the even fonce again featuring several top college basketball programs playing for conference supremary and the Commissioner's Cup, ESPN and ESPN2 will combine to televise the mine-game Challenge on Dec. 2-4 from seven different college campuses and two neutral sites.

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It will mark the first time in the four-tear history of the event that every time will be televised nationally sulting in a new three-day schedule.

ESPN and ESPN2 will each present a doubleheader on Dec. 3 and 4. N.C. State, which has posted a 2-1 record in its previous Challenge appearances, will entertain Northwestern in this year's event. The game will be played at the Entertainment and Sports Arena on Dec. 4 at 7:30 p.m., and the contest will be shown on ESPN2. This will mark the first meeting between the Wolfpack and Wildcats since the 1969/70 season. N.C. State has won both games played in the series. Northwestern appeared last season in the ESA, gamering a third-place finish in the BCA Classic. The Pack's lone loss in the event came last season against Ohio State, a team that would later win the Big 10 championship.

Last year, the ACC prevailed in five of eight games to win the Commissioner's Cup for the third

### Former Pack corner Tony Scott signs with champs

It didn't take long for former Wolfpack defensive back Tony Scott to regain employment in the National Football League. Less than two weeks after being released by the New York Lets. Scott has been plucked off the waiver wire by the defending Super Bowl champions, the New England Patriots. Scott, who spent two seasons with the Jets, signed a deal that will pay him a base salary of \$375,000. Scott roamed the defensive backfield

for the Pack from 1996-99, spending a majority of his career playing opposite All-ACC cornerback Lloyd Harrison in the "Rough Riders" secondary. A sixth-round pick in 2000, Scott appeared in 23 games with the Jets, picking off one pass and making 10 tackles on special teams.

### Wolfpack WNBA roundup

N.C. State's WNBA contingent forged through another week of action with the league's All-Star break on the horizon. Last season, Charlotte's Andrea Stinson and Cleveland's Chasity Melvin were chosen as All-Stars for the Eastern Conference, Both

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