### Wednesday



**Sneak Preview** Be the first on your block to see Sandra Bullock's new movie "28 Days." There's a free advance screening tonight at 8 in Campbell Hall.



Sports The UCSB baseball team took one of three games in a series with Nevada this past weekend, and next faces Big

West foe UOP.



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## **UC Strives** to **Diversify Enrollment** Officials Attempt to

**Reflect State Population** 

**BY ERIC SIMONS** Staff Writer

UCSB offered Fall 2000 admission to the largest number of under-represented minority students since Affirmative Action ended three years ago, mirroring this year's University of California trend that showed an increase in minority numbers at all eight campuses.

Under-represented minorities -American Indians, African-Americans, Chicanos and Latinos make up 17.8 percent of the 12,533 California students admitted to UCSB for Fall 2000, a 1.2-percent increase over last year. The numbers are still shy of those from 1997, the last year of Affirmative Action, when UCSB admitted 20.1 percent underrepresented minorities.

The UC system admitted 42,000 new students for Fall 2000, including 7,336 under-represented minorities - 19.1 percent of the total. While

## Fall 2000 Freshmen Admit Offers

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	UCSB	UCLA	UCB	UCSD
American Indian	86	44	38	56
African-American	330	297	288	195
Chicano	1,345	812	608	931
Latino	465	296	235	314
Asian American	3,253	3,961	2,838	4,953
White	5,756	3,100	2,305	4,650
Other	204	157	115	184
Decline to State	1,094	816	680	1,182
Totals:	12,533	9,483	7,107	12,465
	Information courtesy of UCSB Office of Admissions			

100 more minority students were admitted this year, they made up a slightly higher percentage (19.8 percent) in 1997.

UCSB admitted more Latinos than any other UC campus, and admitted the second-highest number of Chicanos and American Indians. Over one quarter of the 4,373 Chicanos and 1,380 Latinos admitted to the UC system were admitted to UCSB.

Admissions Director William Villa said UCSB competes with the top UC schools in minority admissions; but attracting admitted minorities to the school is more difficult. "The challenge is trying to get

To the Moon, Alice!

[under-represented minorities] to enroll here at UCSB. We have a couple of months now to get them to come here," he said.

To convince students to attend, Chancellor Henry Yang and other UCSB administrators have manned telephones in the admissions office for the past week to work on outreach programs.

"We have more applicants this year, and we have continued making an effort to make our campus more attractive to minority students," Yang said. "We have traveled around the state to host receptions to recruit

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## **Locals To Participate** in Multiple Sclerosis **Weekend Fundraisier**

While many students may be sleeping in, the National Multiple Sclerosis (MS) Society will host a fund-raising walk and run this Saturday at Santa Barbara's Leadbetter Beach.

Scheduled for 8 a.m. on the downtown beach just south of the Santa Barbara Harbor, the 5- and 10kilometer walk and run are part of a national drive that has raised \$26 million for the fight against MS. National MS Society Special Events coordinator Jeff Hoberts said this will be the first year that both the 5and 10-K events are offered.

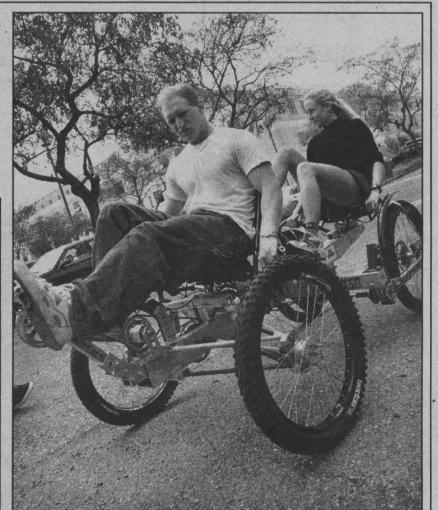
"There's a \$10 registration fee, and people are encouraged to go out and get donations. On average, between 500 and 750 people show up. You get everybody from little kids to the elderly, with students in there as well," he said.

According to the Channel Islands Chapter of the National MS Society, approximately 2,500 residents of the tri-county area are afflicted with the devastating and unpredictable disease. Most people with MS are diagnosed between the ages of 20 and 40; the progress, severity and specific symptoms of the disease cannot be foreseen.

Hoberts said 10 UCSB sororities and three fraternities will be involved in Saturday's walk. He added that the registration fee is well worth it.

"For the \$10, you get breakfast and lunch. There's a big party on the beach after it's all done where awards and all sorts of stuff are given out."

For more information, call 1-800-Fight-MS. - David Downs



**A.S. Leggies To Consider Cigarette Ban, Road Work** 

BY BRENDAN BUHLER

Staff Writer

Associated Students Legislative Council will look to clear airways and highways in its first meeting of the quarter.

The council will decide tonight whether or not to place a plebiscite on the spring ballot asking students if they want to ban on-campus cigarette sales. The road to campus will also be up for discussion, with the leggies planning to take a stance on the proposed renovations to Highway 217. Another position paper endorsing the Earth Day 2000 Clean Energy Agenda to reduce greenhouse gases will also be voted on.

Rep-at-Large Courtney Ross-Tait is proposing the cigarette plebiscite after her position paper endorsing a ban was voted down last quarter. "When we tried to pass a position paper, it failed," she said. "We then realized it would be wrong to take a position on this without asking the students."

Ross-Tait expects the council to approve putting the plebiscite on the ballot. "I don't expect any opposition to this," she said. "Since our job is to represent students ... there's no better way to do that than to find out what they

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human-powered lunar rover they helped build for a NASA-sponsored competition. Below: Anderson makes repairs to one of the rover's axles for Friday's and Saturday's competition in Huntsville, Ala.

Right: Team Captain Eric Anderson, a

junior mechanical engineering major, and his co-pilot Deborah Detch, a senior

mechanical engineering major, show off a



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## Supreme Court To Hear Debate on 'D&X'



BELLEVUE, Neb. (AP) - Nine years after his home was burned down, Dr. Leroy Carhart is in the middle of another incendiary dispute over abortion.

On April 25, the U.S. Supreme Court will hear his challenge to Nebraska's ban on a procedure that opponents call "partialbirth abortion." The case will be the high court's first major decision on abortion in eight years.

Carhart, a 58-year-old former Air Force surgeon who is one of only three doctors in Nebraska known to perform abortions, maintains the ban is written in such a way that it could be used to outlaw all abortions.

People on both sides of the issue agree that the

could safeguard or significantly erode abortion rights in the United States.

Similar laws against partial-birth abortion are on the books in 30 states, but courts have blocked enforcement of most of them. President Clinton has twice vetoed a federal ban enacted by Congress.

decision in Carhart's case ing its contents before extraction.

"It shocks the conscience that in the United States of America, a human child can be literally pulled from the womb and cruelly killed by having his or her skull punctured and brain suctioned out," Stenberg said. For Carhart, the dis-

I think we're going to lose [the abortion] issue eventually ... The population seems to be willing to listen to a very arrogant and vocal minority.

Nebraska Attorney General Don Stenberg, who will defend the law in front of the high court and is using the case as the cornerstone of his U.S. Senate campaign, argues the ban is limited to a procedure doctors call "D&X," or dilation and extraction,

a barn.

which involves cutting the skull of a fetus and drain-

pute is personal. In 1991, his family's rural home and belongings burned in a fire apparently started by an abortion foe. The family dog and cat were killed, as were 17 horses trapped in

- Leroy Carhart

doctor

Carhart performs more than 1,200 abortions a year, of which he says about 20 involve the D&X procedure. The procedure is estimated to be used in one out of 1,800 abortions performed nationwide, yet it has become the rallying point of anti-abortion groups.

The procedure is used most often in cases where the woman has developed heart disease, diabetes or other life-threatening ailments.

said - the Carhart method is one of the safest abortion procedures because it reduces the risk of leaving parts of the fetus inside the woman.

Carhart said he fears he may someday be ordered to stop performing abortions altogether.

"I think we're going to lose this issue eventually - at some point in time, abortion will become illegal in the United States," he said. "The population seems to be willing to listen to a very arrogant and vocal minority."

## **Controversy Surrounds Teen Gay Awareness Club**



ORANGE, Calif. (AP) -Anthony Colin wanted to create a club at his high school where students could get together and promote tolerance of homosexuality. His idea for a Gay-Straight Alliance club has

divided the community, generating threats, courtroom battles and heated school board meetings. One student was arrested for biting a principal.

"This whole thing has stopped being about my club. It's become this debate about sex," said Colin, 16, a sophomore at El Modena High School.

Although homosexual concerns have been discussed for decades, dealing with them in public schools is a recent development.

Since 1989, students have formed more than 700 Gay-Straight Alliance clubs at high schools across the country - about half came after the beating death two years ago of gay Wyoming college student Matthew

Shepard.

The clubs, supported by the Gay, Lesbian, Straight Education Network, or GLSEN, promote education and tolerance of homosexuality. They also advocate some activism, such as amending anti-bias policies at schools to include sexual orientation.

The Orange Unified School District board unanimously rejected the club in December. Colin sued, accusing the board of violating the Equal Access Act, which gives students the right to form clubs.

A federal judge granted Colin a temporary injunction earlier this year, allowing the club to meet on the 2,000student campus while his lawsuit against the board goes through the courts.

Things have hardly been quiet.

Many El Modena students just want the controversy to go away.

I think it needs to be decided and over with, so people can get on with their lives," said 15-year-old Emily Burningham. "I don't like being known as the girl who goes to the school with a gay club."

STUDENT TRAVEL

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### Weather

Britney Spears was on campus Tuesday checking out the school. It's true, she really does want to attend this fine university. As Chancellor Yang's specially appointed goodwill ambassador, yours truly got to have lunch with Ms. Spears. She's actually not as hot as people say. Her boobs are lopsided, and she's only 4 feet tall. She told me her final choices were between UCSB and some dance school in Pensacola, Fla. I would have tried harder to endorse UCSB, but she had broccoli in her teeth. So I told her she'd be better off at Pensacola.

Wednesday's forecast: Not that hot. She'll be eating at Chilito's today with Chancellor Yang.

## **Police Report**

#### Well, If You Want to Go to Jail ...

At approximately 12:30 a.m. Sunday, April 2, Isla Vista Foot Patrol deputies observed a 21-year-old male stumble across a lawn on the 6600 block of Del Playa Drive. The suspect then turned around, put his hands behind his back and said, "Arrest me, I'm drunk."

According to reports, the suspect could not maintain his balance, and had wet stain marks on the front of his pants, as if he had urinated on himself. The suspect again told officers, "I'm completely drunk."

The suspect was arrested for public intoxication and transported to Santa Barbara County Jail, where he was housed pending sobriety.

You Need to Respect My Authorité!

On Sunday, April 2, at approximately 12:56 a.m., deputies were dispatched to a house on the 6700 block of Sabado Tarde Road after receiving reports of a fight. When they arrived at the scene, they found a large, outdoor party. According to reports, as the officers entered the party, the crowd began yelling, "Fuck the pigs! Fuck the cops!"

One of the officers pointed out a 19-year-old male that he intended to arrest for public intoxication. Reports

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state that the suspect walked out to the street and began running westbound. The suspect was arrested for public intoxication because he was "extremely argumentative, uncooperative and belligerent," according to reports.

Reports state that when the officers grabbed the suspect, a crowd of approximately 15-20 people in the street rushed the officers. The crowd stopped after an officer pulled out his baton and began to slowly advance.

According to reports, a 19-year-old male in the crowd became "extremely agitated and boisterous," and was yelling obscenities.

The suspect continually challenged the officers to fight, yelling, "Come on, bitch, let's go! Let's go right now!" The suspect was told he was under arrest three to four times, but would not comply with the officers. The suspect continued to resist, raising his fists to face level when one officer grabbed him. Reports state when the officer struck the suspect with a baton on his outer thigh, he continued to resist and struggle. The suspect was arrested for challenging to fight the officers and transported to the Isla Vista Foot Patrol Station.

> — Compiled from Isla Vista Foot Patrol reports by Marisa Lagos

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Highway 217 will be addressed when the council votes on a position paper supporting a faculty-sponsored alternative to Santa Barbara County's proposal to renovate the highway with stoplights.

Off-Campus Rep Matt McMillan said he favors the position paper. "[The faculty's plan] proposes a reasonable alternative to the stoplights," he said.

The alternative plan would install an off-ramp at Ekwill Street, close the on-ramp to the highway from Hollister Avenue, and raise 217 to continue Ekwill Street underneath, according to committee member Harry Nelson.

In other business, the Earth Day position paper would urge California senators and representatives to endorse the Earth Day Clean Energy Agenda a plan that seeks to halt global warming and fund renewable energy research.

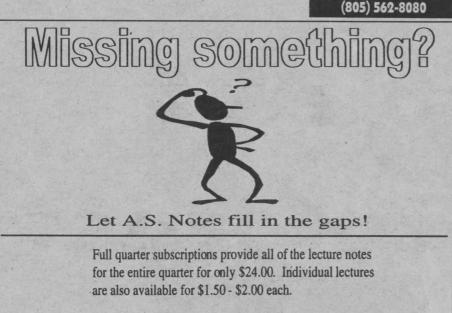
Off-Campus Rep Shilen Patel anticipates a quiet meeting tonight. "Everything looks pretty much like housekeeping stuff this week," he said.

The meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the Flying A Room of the University Center.



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## 2000 University Award Nominations Being Accepted for Outstanding Graduating Seniors & Graduate Students

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### Thomas More Storke Award

The Thomas More Storke Award is awarded each year to one graduating senior who has demonstrated outstanding scholarship and extraordinary service to the university, its students, and the community. The basic criteria are courage, persistence, and achievement. Nominees must have earned a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or above.

### Jeremy D. Friedman Memorial Award

This award is presented annually to one graduating senior who has demonstrated outstanding leadership and superior scholarship, and who has—in a particularly innovative and creative way contributed significantly to the quality of undergraduate life on campus. Nominees must have earned a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.

### **University Service Award**

Service Awards, presented annually to graduating seniors and graduate students, acknowledge a depth of involvement in several different areas of campus life. GPA requirements are based on academic performance that is equal to or higher than 2.925, which is the scholastic average of the undergraduate student body as a whole.

## University Award of Distinction

These awards are presented annually to graduating seniors and graduate students who have made an outstanding contribution to a particular (perhaps fairly narrow) area of UCSB student life. The awards recognize in-depth or focused involvement and significant achievement in campus or community activities. As with the Service Awards, GPA requirements are based on academic performance that is equal to or higher than 2.925, which is the scholastic average of the undergraduate student body as a whole.

student body, and the community, or has succeeded while facing extraordinary challenges. Additionally, it is expected that nominees are role models to the campus community.

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SUBMIT NOMINATIONS FOR THE AWARDS.

### Alyce Marita Whitted Memorial Award

This award is presented annually to one nontraditional graduating senior who has demonstrated endurance, persistence and courage in the face of extraordinary challenges while in pursuit of an academic degree.

## NOMINATIONS ARE DUE WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 5 PM

IN THE OFFICE OF STUDENT LIFE (SAASB 2201) Nomination web site: http://www.sa.ucsb.edu/osl/awards

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## **Bush's Record Is Filthy** Don't Trust George W. on Environmental Policy

### **BRENDAN BUHLER**

As governor of Texas, George W. Bush contributed to global warming by leading his state to the top of the air pollution charts with 904,000 tons of emissions per year. Now, as a presidential candidate, he contributes to the warming of the air by merely speaking.

Bush, however, is too dedicated to turning up the global thermostat to "toasty" to rest idly upon such laurels as having presided over a state number one in airborne carcinogens and developmental toxins. No, the prodigal wastrel pledged this Monday that, if elected, he

Judging by the sky over Houston, ... when Bush says "cleaner," he means "a more charming shade of brown."

would reduce those ever-bothersome federal regulations and rely on the good will of businesses to clean up the environment.

In Tuesday's Los Angeles Times, Bush criticized what he called "the old Washington, D.C., way of doing things."

Damned government, always making busybody regulatory agencies like the Environmental Protection Agency, with its stodgy air monitoring and eccentric groundwater testing.

Bush's plan focuses on developing "brownfields," abandoned industrial sites with heavy pollution. The dance has three steps: exempting potential developers from responsibility for inherited pollution problems, giving a permanent tax-incentive for redevelopment of polluted land

and — this is the oddest step in Bush's lessening environmental mambo clean-up requirements.

Currently, our own fine state works with brownfields in a similar way, the only difference being that regulations aren't loosened, making it a policy that actually helps the environment.

But Bush is far too visionary for that. The man who had the vision to let two sitting Texas oil company presidents draft the regulations for their industry wants to reduce federal oversight. "The idea of suing our way or regulating our way to clean air and clean water is not effective public policy," he told the Times.

In Bushany (as I think we ought to rename America if we elect a man who called the Greeks "Grecians"), we would return to classic American values, to a day when we relied on the wise and kind private sector to look after nature in a way that meddlesome public servants never could. And just think of the tax dollars we would save by not paying the

salaries of all those worthless bureaucrats! Indeed, privatizing the environment does save money. When the rivers catch fire, you can turn off the streetlights and take a romantic stroll down by the Love Canal.

At least until the fumes cause you to pass out and develop a Texas-sized tumor. Perhaps Bush has already developed such a tumor in his brain. That would certainly explain the piss-poor grasp he has on his own record in Texas.

Last May, Bush colorfully set his rhetoric phaser on "stupefy" and said, 'You've got to ask the question, is the air cleaner since I became governor? And the answer is yes."

Judging by the sky over Houston, which has had the highest ozone levels in the nation for the past two years, when Bush says "cleaner," he means "a more charming shade of brown."

You know, like in those old sepia-toned



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In Texas, Bush carried out his vision, which seems to extend for about 50 yards on a windy day, by appointing three charming gents — John Baker, Ralph Marquez and Barry McBee - to the state's environmental agency, the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission.

Baker previously worked at the Texas Farm Bureau, which sells insurance to Texas farmers and has a stock portfolio heavy with agricultural chemical companies. Marquez worked for the Monsanto chemical company for 30 years and testified to Congress that ozone is "benign," which it is, except for the respiratory problems. When McBee was deputy director of the Texas Dept. of Agriculture, he dismantled a right-to-know regulation that informed farm workers when fields were being sprayed. An evangelical Christian given to public prayer before

votes, McBee is colorfully known in the Texas Senate as "the skinny Hitler" for his mannerisms.

Bush insisted in Tuesday's Times that, when it comes to the environment, "I've got a good record." Taking a snipe at that notorious polluter Al Gore, he said, "Our state didn't wait for Al Gore to wave his magic wand and clean up our environment. We did it ourselves."

Now he plans to bring this same magic to the nation in a plan that has yet to meet with the enthusiastic endorsement of the Sierra Club.

"What, in effect, he is proposing is to weaken the existing Superfund law to allow companies to do less cleanup, and that poses a potential threat to health and the environment," said

the club's political director, Daniel J. Weiss, in Tuesday's Times.

That Sierra Club, always bitching and moaning. Can't they give a guy a chance?

Brendan Buhler looks around, leaves are brown, and the sky is a hazy shade of winter. His column appears every other Wednesday in the Daily Nexus.

## Elian Belongs With his Father in Cuba

### **CHRIS AUSTIN**

Keep him here. Let him go. On and on and on. This is what the case of Elian Gonzalez has sounded like the past four months. Since his arrival in the United States on Thanksgiving Day 1999, this 6-year-old Cuban boy has turned into every politician's dream, and it is absolutely horrible to watch. The fighting on both sides over Elian's fate is incredible. His relatives in Miami want him to stay, to grow up in a free society where he can realize his full potential and to have a wonderful life. The entire nation of Cuba, it seems, wants Elian back with his father and in his home country. Now his father is coming to the United States, accompanied by dozens of Cuban government officials, other relatives and friends of Elian. Thousands of Cuban refugees now living in Miami have threatened to block any access to Elian, and it looks like some major problems might occur.

seen and will ever see in the future. Nothing can be or should be held above that. Therefore, Elian should be returned to his father.

We, as Americans, have grown to take the family for granted. We get divorces faster than we can blink an eye. We send our children off to daycare while we go to work, then when we do see them, all we can think to do is physically or sexually abuse them. We have sex with people we up and live a free life and turn into a successful stockbroker or Internet tycoon, but is that really better for him? We seem to think that people cannot be happy unless they have money.

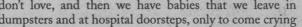
But that is not the way of the rest of the world. Elian would be leaving a world that he has known since birth. He would leave behind friends, relatives and a culture he is accustomed to. Maybe if he had never set foot on American soil, he would still live a wonderful and happy life, just by different standards.

Arguments to keep Elian here in America have also focused on reports by psychiatrists and psychologists that say Elian would suffer from post-traumatic stress it he is dumpsters and at hospital doorsteps, only to come crying forced to return to Cuba. It seems clear to me that we brought that upon him by making him the poster-child for every politician and media outlet in the world. Returning him to Cuba is not going to cause permanent harm at all. Think of it as summer camp. I'm sure everyone who went away to camp in the summer had such a wonderful time that when it was time to go home, they cried and didn't want to leave. After a week or so, these kids are no longer wishing they were back at camp because they see their old friends again back on the playground. This country of ours still thinks it is the greatest gift to this Earth since, well, the Earth itself. But our idea of a good life is motivated mostly by financial success. I am sure most of us would be miserable if we had to go live in a primitive culture that had no system of

I must admit this is the most intriguing case involving a Cuban refugee I have ever heard of, but to me the answer is still simple. Elian came across from Cuba with his mother and her boyfriend, who both perished during the journey. Legally, the United States has the power to

grant him immunization and to keep him here. Attorney General Janet Reno, however, has ordered that the boy be returned to his father in Cuba.

Why is this such a difficult decision to make? The family is the most basic and most important ideal we have as human beings. Ever since man first walked the Earth, the family unit has been the one factor that has kept us going. The love between a father, mother and child is the most wonderful creation this planet has ever



back 10 years later taking the adoptive parents to court to get the child back. We have lost our vision of the "family," and it is influencing our decision in this case.

How can we say that a child does not belong with his father? Unless the father is unfit to parent, which in this case is not true, we have no right to take the child away. How can we continue to speak out from our national "soapbox" about how this boy would be so much better in this country than in Cuba? Sure, he may be able to grow

SHADI MUKLASHY / DAILY NEXUS money, no technology and no industry, and I am sure people from such a culture would be miserable if they had to live here. This boy can live a long and fruitful life amid the communism and harshness of Cuba, just as a boy can live a long and fruitful life here. The family comes before anything else, and that is why Elian Gonzalez should be returned to Cuba. He has already lost his mother; do we really need to take his father away

Chris Austin is a senior communications major.

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them. Our faculty is sponsoring phone-a-thons to recruit them. We have both reached out to visit them in their home territory and invited them to our campus."

Although the number of under-represented minorities admitted has not returned to its high in the last year of Affirmative Action, university recruitment after the passage of Prop 209 - which enacted a state law banning Affirmative Action - has helped the number increase over the last three years.

"The goal is to have a university that looks like California ... the regents are committed to that policy," Villa said. "Affirmative Action up to 1997 was a means to help us achieve that goal. With the elimination of Affirmative Action, we're out aggressively recruiting -[recruitment] is just another means to achieve that goal."

The \$250 million systemwide recruitment process includes sending personal letters to minority students from UC President Richard Atkinson, and a youth outreach program.

"As a University, we had to really put on our best thinking caps and say, given [the end of Affirmative Action] as a fact, how can we best help students know about the University and how can we help them?" UC Undergraduate Admissions Director Carla Ferri asked. "What we did from the very beginning was to send a message out to say the UC has now changed, and we are looking for students."

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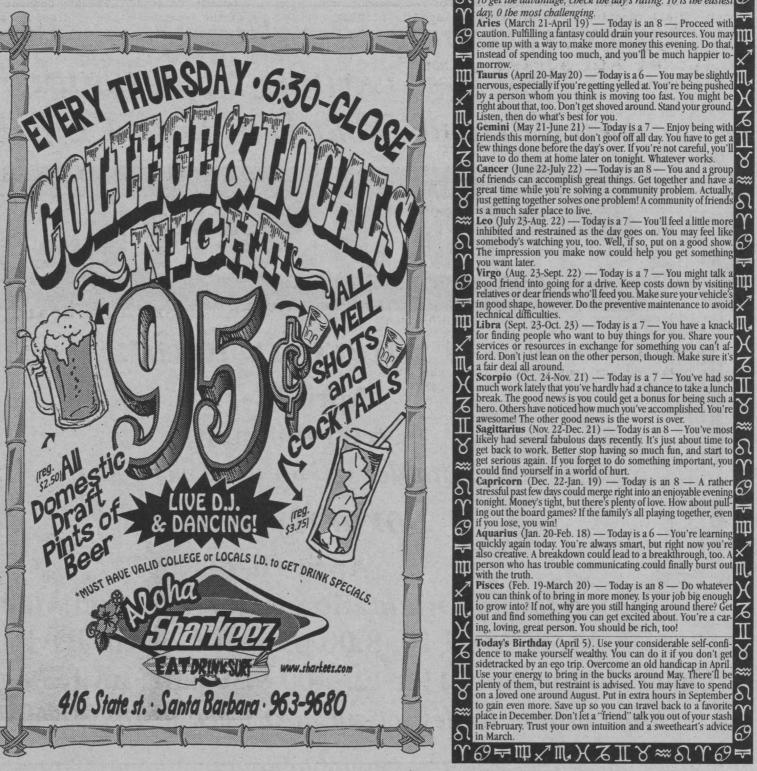
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## POLO

**Continued from p.12** match ever for senior twometer Holly Rodrigues and senior driver Lynn Nisbet. To finish their UCSB careers with a win at home and a solid performance against a #1 team, they admit, was an added bonus.

"It was a positive weekend for us," Rodrigues said, adding, "I'm going to miss the girls, but in the four years I've been here, I've been really proud of what the team has accomplished."

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### **SBCLOAUDITIONS**

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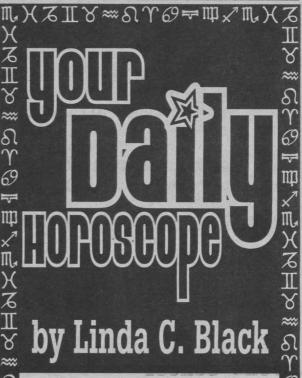
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knowing it can, at the very least, compete with the Bears. In their meeting at Campus Pool last Saturday, the Gauchos led 7-6 well into the third quarter before Cal showed Santa Barbara why it is the nation's top-ranked team, reeling off three straight goals and taking the match, 9-7."

One positive for UCSB in its loss to Cal was the fact that the Gauchos had a balanced scoring attack. Each of the seven goals was scored by a different player, proving that even against the best team in the country, UCSB has multiple scoring threats.

"We're not focusing on one person," Holmberg said. "We're passing the ball around, finding whoever is open and scoring a lot."



### KIRBY-JONES SCHOLARSHIP

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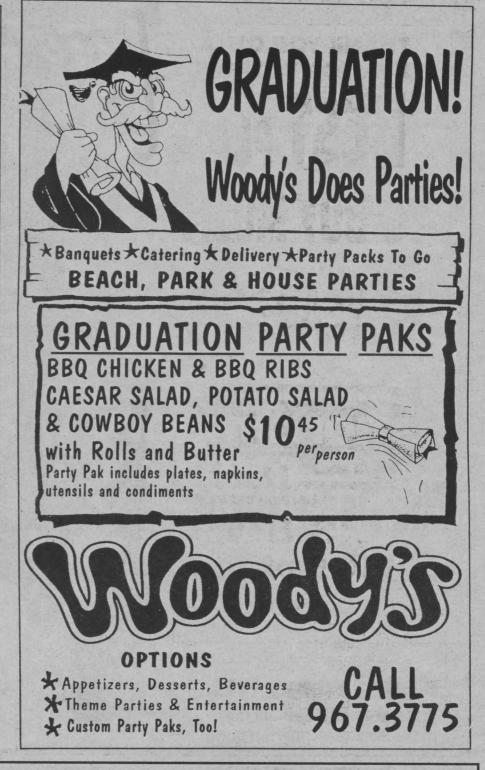
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## Call for Pro/Con Statements

Three measures asking for student fee increases will on the Spring 2000 ballot. These initiatives will be on the Associated students and Graduate Students Association ballots as indicated below. These initiatives are NOT sponsored by Associated Students and, if passed, will not be paid to A.S. This is your opportunity to make your opinion known!

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### RECREATION CENTER EXPANSION INITIATIVE

Expansion of the Recreation Center (Rec Cen) is planned to include:

- Doubling current weight training/cardio space
- Doubling current locker room space
- New cardio and strength training equipment
- Large three-court multi-activity complex which should accommodate

In-line skating Indoor soccer, basketball, volleyball Hockey Climbing wall General recreational activities, including dances and special events.

No

Do you approve a mandatory student-imposed fee to support construction and maintenance of an expanded Recreation Center? The debt portion of the fee will continue for approximately thirty years (depending on availability of financing terms) after which the per student/per quarter amount collected will be reduced to cover maintenance and ongoing costs.

If this measure passes, which of the following payment options do you endorse?

\_Yes

\_\_\_\_\$34.50 per quarter beginning in Fall of 2003

\$37.75 per quarter beginning fall of 2004

### INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS STUDENT SUPPORT FACILITY REFERENDUM

Construction of an Intercollegiate Athletics Student Support Facility is planned to provide a permanent home for Intercollegiate Athletics on campus and to enhance UCSB's athletic programs. The Facility will include training and academic support facilities for student-athletes, meeting space for Athletic satellite student groups (including the Gaucho Locos, Band, and Cheer), a Hall of Fame, an Assembly Hall, and administrative space for UCSB's athletic programs. The facility will also display UCSB's athletic traditions in an attempt to aid recruitment.

Do you approve a mandatory student-imposed fee of \$34.03 per quarter for undergraduate students to begin Fall, 2003 to support construction and maintenance for the Intercollegiate Athletics Student Support Facility? The debt portion of the fee will continue for approximately thirty years (depending on availability of financing terms) after which the per student/per quarter amount collected will be reduced to cover maintenance and ongoing costs.

### \_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No

### UCSB/MTD SUPERTICKET

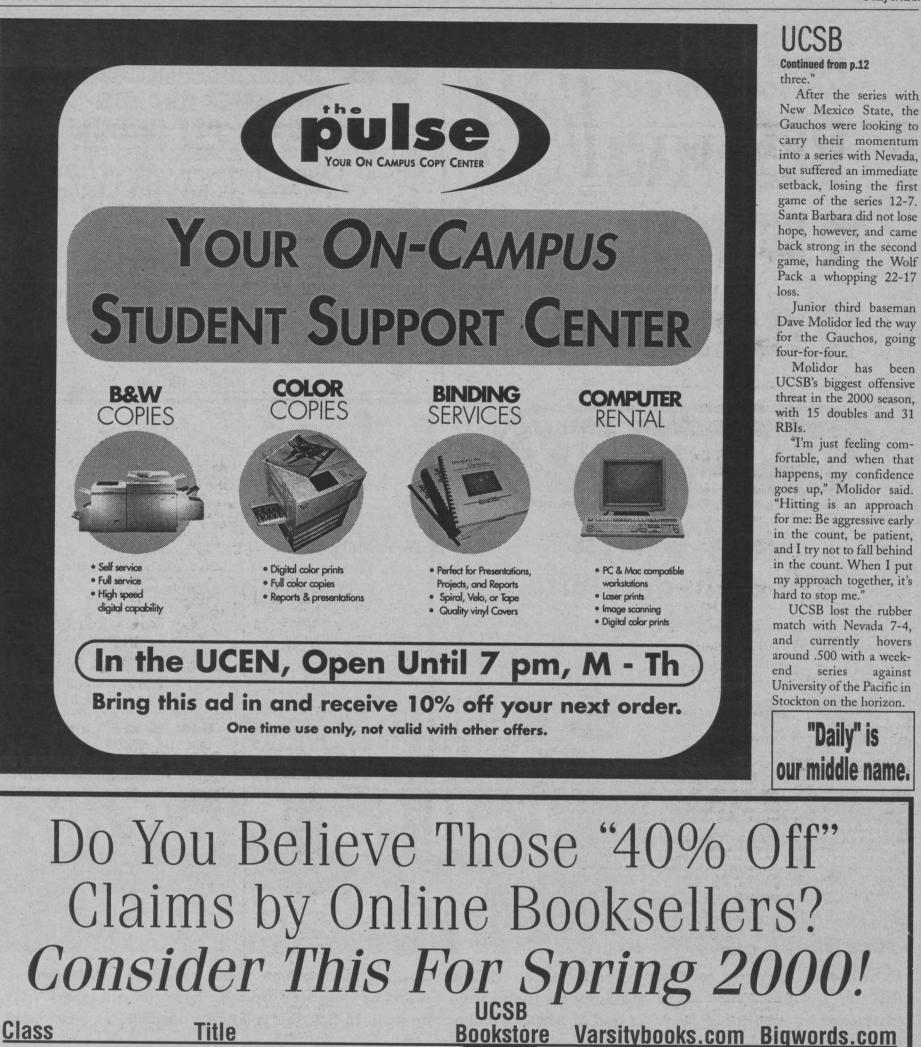
### BUS PROGRAM SPRING QUARTER 2000

Do you approve the reaffirmation of a \$7.50 per student per quarter mandatory fee (for four quarters including summer) to fund the UCSB/MTD Superticket Bus Program? Any fee increase will be indexed to the current MTD adult fare. The contract will be subject to reaffirmation by ballot voting every four years.

Yes

No

All registered students are invited to submit written statements of support or opposition (not to exceed 250 words) for publication in the Daily Nexus. Pro/Con statements must include the author's name and be submitted by e-mail to navarro-j@sa.ucsb.edu or by disk to Joseph Navarro at the Office of Student Life, SARSB 2201, by 12 noon on Tuesday, April 11, 2000 Statements will appear in the Daily Nexus on Tuesday, April 18 and Wednesday, April 19.



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## **UCSB in Middle of the (Wolf) Pack**

Gauchos Drop Two of Three to University of Nevada in Home Series

### By BRIAN CHONG Reporter

The UCSB baseball team's Spring Break was not a time of rest and relaxation, to say the

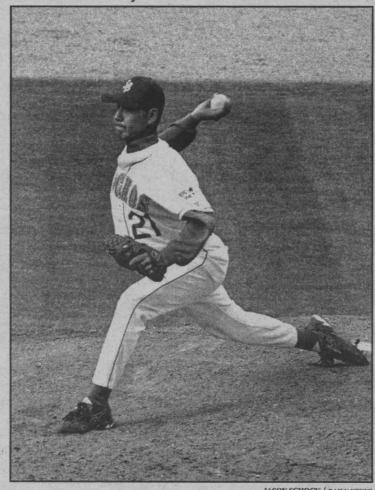
least. The Gauchos were busy all of last week, traveling on the road as well as hosting several games at Caesar Uyesaka Stadium.

Santa Barbara (15-14 overall, 5-4 Big West) went to Arizona on March 10-12 for a threegame series and was bookended by the Wildcats, who won the first and third games of the series, 12-8 and 10-4, respectively. However, UCSB managed to edge Arizona in the second game 15-12 and avoid a series sweep.

Junior infielder Jeff Bannon played a crucial role in the Gauchos' lone victory, displaying his best offensive game of the season. Bannon went three-forfour with a home run — his second of the year — and a double, racking up five total runs batted in.

"I've been on and off all season, and I was on (in the second game)," said Bannon. "I was battling the pitcher all day, and I was just trying to be patient with him, and he threw me a fastball up, and I just got barrel on it."

The Gauchos got their Big West schedule underway when they traveled north to contend with Sacramento State in a three-game series on March 17-19. Once again, UCSB snagged only one of the three games,



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**STEADY PLAY:** Senior Gabe Neboyia and the UCSB baseball team went 4-2 over Spring Break, including a three-game sweep of New Mexico State.

winning by a small margin of 2-0 in the first game of the series. In the second and third games with SSU, Santa Barbara was crushed, 13-0 and 13-5.

After their games with Sacramento, the Gauchos were in dire need of a series victory, which they accomplished when New Mexico State rolled into town on the weekend of March 25-27. UCSB swept the Aggies ee-game sweep of New Mexico State. 9-5, 15-9, 11-9, its first series sweep of an opponent since Cal State Northridge in mid-February.

"We had to play well and compete the whole weekend," UCSB Head Coach Bob Brontsema said. "I was very pleased that we weren't satisfied with just winning two out of

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### Gauchos Feast On Anteaters in Conference Win at T-dome BY BROOKE ROBERTS

Staff Writer

While UCSB students basked in the sunshine during Spring Break, the UCSB men's volleyball team was on the prowl for a playoff spot.

The Gauchos (10-11 overall, 6-9 in the Mountain Pacific Sports Federation) have split their last six games, bringing them two victories away from making the cut for postseason play. Santa Barbara scored its most recent win Tuesday night, when it faced the UC Irvine Anteaters.

The Gauchos faced the Anteaters on Jan. 18 in their conference opener, where they flexed their muscles in a 3-0 shutout. Santa Barbara's early season victory over UCI set the tone for the second matchup between the two squads, although this time around Irvine was a bit more of a threat.

"I had a lot of confidence going into the game," senior opposite Kevin Collins said. "We beat them before, and we are a better team."

UCSB opened up the game strong, winning its first match 15-6. The second match proved to be a close-scoring one, with the Anteaters coming out on top, 15-12. The back-and-forth action continued through the rest of the game, with the Gauchos winning the third set, 15-7, and UC Irvine nosing out the Gauchos in the fourth, 15-12. In the end, a burst of energy helped the Gauchos to win the final match, 15-9, bringing the overall score 3-2 in UCSB's favor.

"I thought that we were going to beat [UC Irvine] in three matches," junior middle blocker Wes Badorek said. "In games two and four we really let down, and I was disappointed. We need to work on our passing and teamwork."

Collins led the Gauchos with 36 kills, followed by sophomore outside hitter David Kohl, who chipped in 15 kills of his own. Senior libero Blake Cantrell led Santa Barbara in digs with 16, and Collins trailed closely behind Cantrell, tacking on 13 digs.

Santa Barbara travels to Provo, Utah, this upcoming weekend where the Gauchos have a pair of games against Brigham Young University. After facing BYU, UCSB has only two more regular season games left.

Despite their sub-.500 record, the Gauchos are in the running for the playoffs, but they need to win at least two of their last four to claim their spot.

"Right now, we're in the hunt for a playoff spot," senior middle blocker Chris Komer said. "We are competing against LMU and Pacific for a spot. The win [over UC Irvine] was a good thing because it tied us with LMU. Now we're playing teams that we can beat."

## Santa Barbara Dives Into Conference Playoffs at San Jose on Friday

BY ZACK O'NEILL Staff Writer

After a two-month season that started in Hawai'i and ended in Campus Pool, it is tournament time for the #9 UCSB women's water polo team. The Gauchos (8-14, 2-7 in the Mountain Pacific Sports Federation) went 2-4 over the past three weeks, including a close-but-no-cigar 9-7 loss to #1 Cal. With their regular season behind them, the Gauchos now prepare for the MPSF Championships in San Jose, which open with a rematch against the Bears on Friday.

and downs, and things we need to work on, but there's no reason we can't keep our momentum going and do well this weekend." Santa Barbara's most recent

Santa Barbara's most recent victory was a 12-6 drubbing of #16 University of the Pacific last Friday at Campus Pool. UCSB's 12 goals in the contest were the most the team has had in over a month, and it is needless to say that this is a positive sign for the Gauchos at this point in their season.



"I expect us to do really well," UCSB Assistant Coach Chuck Roth said of the upcoming tournament. "We still have our ups "We've had solid defense all season," junior driver Cathy Holmberg said. "But lately, our offense has really come together. It's a great sign for us going into this weekend."

Sunday's contest with the Tigers was also the last home

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**DUEL IN THE POOL:** The #9 UCSB women's water polo team lost to top-ranked Cal 9-7 last Friday, and will face the Bears in the first round of the Mountain Pacific Sports Federation Tournament this weekend in San Jose.

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