Fresmen Reflect on First Semester
By Ruth L. Tisdale
Hilltop Staff Writer

It's no secret that freshmen faced some of the same difficulties that freshmen classes have faced before. Along with the normal hormones, social issues, and the new environment, the freshmen adjustment became even more common when freshmen were placed into four rooms, which caused many freshmen to adjust to two rooms instead of four.

Many incoming freshmen had either financial adjustment from living at home with parents to living in a dormitory. Eric Ford, a freshmen economics major, said it was a traumatic transition from living at home and being on his own. He said, "I will miss the big city. It was a new experience for me to live on my own and having my own responsibilities."

Sajida Atlas, a freshman business administration major said that the biggest adjustment was roommates.

"I was sharing a room with other people and adapting to a new environment," said Mrs. Atlas. "That was something that I really had to adapt to and actually get used to doing things in a room with other people." Other freshmen had no problems adjusting to a dormitory. See FRESMEN page A6

UGSA Trip: More Than Just Skiing
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Contributing Writer

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Deltas Give $1 Million to Howard's Capital Campaign
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Members of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority convened on Howard's campus for their 12th Anniversary on Friday. The organization gave $1 million to the Howard University "Capital Campaign." Three members of the sorority were on hand to accept the check.

"It is only fitting that we return to the site of the organization's beginning, Howard University, to mark this momentous occasion," said Mrs. Atlas. "I was pleased to see the excitement and commitment, and I think that this is an important moment for us." The organization has also made contributions to the school's capital campaign.

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Students Bemoan High Textbook Prices
By Danielle Sbera
Hilltop Staff Writer

Buying textbooks can be a frustrating experience for many people, even those who have made the effort to read the books. This year, the cost of textbooks has increased dramatically, with high prices for new textbooks reaching $34, and the fees that accompany them.

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Bison Weighing in Cloning at Center of Controversy on Campus
By Andrea McCullin

Cloning is a technique for creating new individuals from existing cells. The process involves the removal of an egg cell from the ovary of a female animal and the insertion of a nucleus from a donor cell into the enucleated egg cell. The resulting embryo is then implanted into the uterus of a surrogate mother to continue development.

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**Business**

State Farm Provides New Financial Services for Students

By Ashley Kelly
Hilltop Staff Writer

The once vacant office beside the I-Lab has become the home of State Farm insurance company that provides services for the surrounding community.

The current Hilltop Writer, Maxwell James, said he was opened on Howard's campus for many reasons. The main reason is to help serve a group that is not adequately served—students and faculty. The surrounding neighborhood's gradual rejuvenation helped James make his decision as well.

"The area is going through a rebirth and I saw a need to serve the students and faculty hence the decision," James said.

Although one of James' goals is to help Howard students and faculty prepare for their retirement, most of the students like Perkins are more interested in insurance. Students often stop by to find health insurance for themselves. James is among the students that are not able to use their parents' insurance until the age of 25, and in some cases 29. In contrast, for those students who do hold insurance, State Farm offers health insurance specifically geared for them.

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**Discovering How to Stretch Your Textbook Dollar**

By Maryann James
Business Editor

There are many different alternatives for students who are trying to find textbooks for the new semester. Tackling with prices as high as $145 a book, many students try to take advantage of alternatives such as other university bookstores, online providers and students on campus. Online stores have become a new favorite for many students, but shipping time and costs can lead students to avoid them. There are many different alternatives for students who are trying to find textbooks for the new semester.

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**Economy**

**Shaky As War Threatens**

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War would create a na­
tional security dilemma that the United States could not afford.

Christopher Ham, an Asso­
ciate professor of national security studies at the National War College, said, "There's no doubt that the United States would have to do a lot of work to get into a conflict with China."

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The White House said the mon­i­
ment was negative because it was not consistent with the president's in­
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With a similar scenario to the 1990-91 Gulf War, Ham said, "As we start to see the first signs of a new conflict, it's going to be very important for the United States to have a clear strategy for how to deal with the new threat and how to ensure that it doesn't escalate into a serious conflict."
Travelers could have been affected by the small "Norwalk virus," which is believed to have spread in the Caribbean from one cruise ship to another, as they traveled from port to port.

The virus, which is highly contagious and can cause severe gastrointestinal distress, typically affects between 15% and 70% of passengers on a cruise ship. It is transmitted by fecal-oral contact and can survive for several days on surfaces and in the environment.

The outbreak of the Norwalk virus on the Carnival Fascination cruise ship in the Caribbean in 2001 highlighted the importance of proper sanitation and hygiene practices on cruise ships to prevent the spread of infectious diseases.

The presence of the Norwalk virus on the Carnival Fascination was confirmed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), which conducted an investigation to determine the source and extent of the outbreak.

The CDC's investigation revealed that the virus was transmitted through contaminated food and water, leading to illness among passengers and crew members on board the ship.

The outbreak of the Norwalk virus on the Carnival Fascination is an example of the importance of maintaining high standards of sanitation and hygiene on cruise ships to prevent the spread of infectious diseases and ensure the health and safety of passengers and crew members.

The Carnival Fascination incident serves as a reminder of the need for continued vigilance and proactive measures to prevent the transmission of infectious diseases on cruise ships. It highlights the ongoing efforts by public health agencies and the cruise industry to improve sanitation and hygiene practices and prevent the spread of illnesses in high-risk environments.

The Carnival Fascination incident also underscores the importance of effective communication and collaboration between public health authorities, cruise companies, and shipboard personnel to rapidly respond to and contain outbreaks of infectious diseases on cruise ships.
Grenada: The Spice Isle of the Caribbean

Rita Marie Davis
Hilltop Staff Writer

Grenada or the "Spice Isle" as it is usually called is without a doubt one of the most strikingly beautiful Caribbean getaways. The island which is located in the southwestern Caribbean Sea and is the southernmost of the Windward Islands, is colorful and unspoiled. Thought to have been formed by a deep mountainous landscape thousands of feet above sea level and tells of the island's volcanic origin.

Discovered by Christopher Columbus in 1498, Grenada was originally inhabited by Carib Indians but eventually fell under British rule in 1783. Columbus in 1498, Grenada was originally inhabited by Carib Indians but eventually fell under British rule in 1783. Imperial Great Britain ruled the island until 1974.

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The island's French past is undeniable a result of the French influence on the island and is slowly being depicted. Roh's reputation developed due to the changed course of national esteem that developed from programs with North Korea, which President Bush announced that North Korea was part of an "axis of evil" and said he would not talk to North Korea. President Bush announced that North Korea was part of an "axis of evil" and said he would not talk to North Korea. President Bush announced that North Korea was part of an "axis of evil" and said he would not talk to North Korea. President Bush announced that North Korea was part of an "axis of evil" and said he would not talk to North Korea.

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India and China Race to the Moon

Both countries are making significant strides in their space programs and have the potential to be major players in the global space race. India aims to reach the moon by 2024 and has a mission planned for 2028. China's lunar exploration mission, Chang'e-5, was launched in November 2020 and returned samples of lunar soil. Descent to the moon is expected to take place in 2024, with a robotic rover planned for follow-up missions.

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**SPORTS**

**White Hits West**

**Tracy White Up to Par in Shrine Game**

By Melanie M. Clarke

Pittsburgh Post-Gazette

Terrell Owens was held to a season-low 50 yards receiving Sunday night in Philadelphia. This week, the Eagles defense will face a new threat from Terrell Owens. The Titans have had a difficult time containing him in the past, but they are hoping to improve their defense this week.

**Eagles Stile, Falcons**

Michael Vick and the Atlanta Falcons had no answer for the tensors, Philadelphia's boot, last Saturday night, 20-14, in Philadelphia. Vick was harassed all night, and the Eagles defense sacked him three times. They were able to get him off the field, and the Titans went on to score two more touchdowns. The game was tied 10-10 at halftime, but the Titans pulled away in the second half, due in large part to the raider defense. The Titans defense also had 10 sacks on the night, ranking everyone's thoughts when he hit the field. It was a great opportunity to show off their new defense.

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**Column**

**Sports: Rise or Fall**

By Thomas J. Squires Jr.

Sports Editor

It's time for all Howard University sports fans to turn out to support their teams. There are some great games this weekend, and they all have the potential to win.

**Titan Down Steelers in Controversial Finish**

In an exciting, action-packed battle, the Tennessee Titans defeated the Pittsburgh Steelers 27-24 in the NFL playoffs with a last-second field goal by Joe Neddy. The controversy began on the play before, when the Titans opted for a field goal instead of a touchdown. The Steelers scored their second touchdown on a two-point conversion, but the Titans decided to take the extra point. The game was tied 10-10 at halftime, but the Titans pulled away in the second half.

**NFL Playoff Recap**

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Bethune-Cookman Holds on To Defeat Lady Bison

By Trevor A. Paylor
Hilltop Staff Writer

After an emotional win against Norfolk, coach Wednesday, the Lady Room basketball team was looking to carry that momentum into Saturday's game vs. the Bethune-Cookman Lady Wildcats. However, Bethune-Cookman's Edna Lastrappes had other plans.

Lastrappes, 22 points led the Lady Wildcats. Howard's Simone Agee had a career night with 22 points and five assists, and was the main catalyst in alluring Howard help.

The Lady Wildcats led by as much as 16 after a Katie Clark three-pointer that made the score 56-40 with 8:44 remaining. However, that was the turning point in the game. Daisha Hicks basket with only 54 seconds left in the game.

The Burr, rather than its usual face on Howard University's football team, was the main catalyst in an exciting Howard rally. Guard Asia Petty had a good outing, collecting nine points and nine rebounds.

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With a 1-1 overall record, 1-2 MEAC standing, the Lady Wildcats led by three possessions, while Lastrappes, Kim James and Edna Lastrappes combined to make five free throws to seal the game 66-50 with 6:44 remaining. Howard then went on to miss shots on their next three possessions and Erica Pickett combined to make the score 66-50 with 6:44 remaining. Howard then went on to miss shots on their next three possessions and Erica Pickett combined to make the score 66-50 with 6:44 remaining.

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Clark's presence through the speakers was invaluable. He is a quick learner and has a good work ethic. Spectators can expect to see more of CC in later games against North Carolina A&T and South Carolina State Universities.

Bison Basketball Makes Room for Quarterback

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A Breakdown of Domestic Violence

By Chandra Anderson

Domestic violence can be defined as control or power through physical, emotional, economic, or psychological abuse. It is often a problem for both males and females.

Domestic violence in either partner resembles those who experience domestic violence. Many people do not necessarily consider what happens to them domestic because they never reported it, even if one is in a relationship and those things sometimes just don’t seem right, in some way, that can be considered domestic violence.

Domestic violence can be anywhere in a society. Some women are domestic violence and then on, we need to break through defenses such as these to drug or external control.

Some men are not aware that they are victims of domestic violence. Only when they know they have to go major changes in their lives, they wonder what they have done to become domestic violence.

Domestic violence follows a vicious cycle. Health, eating, drinking, and triggering a violent cycle, which can be physically, emotionally, or economically. It is like being in a honeycomb, phase. Health, eating, drinking, and triggering the violent cycle.

Meeting Malik and Sharif and H.E.A.T., Worcester, November 16, 2015. The duo that make up Malik - 16 has been at the forefront of the Worcester music scene for the last two years.

While the Worcester music scene has been overshadowed by the likes of the Wachusett and the Worcester Athletic Club, two Worcester bands that have been making waves in the local music scene, Malik - 16 has been able to hold their own.

The duo consists of Malik Sharif and H.E.A.T., a local rapper and singer-songwriter. The two have been working together for the past two years on a new album, “What’s Really Good.”

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Support Terrorism?

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Vehicles, or SUV's. According to radio personality Arianna Huffington to
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Huffington, the high gas consumption of

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Whether you are for or against it, it is hard to

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Fears have been that the death penalty may be applied more equally to minorities now than to Whites. Because this tendency has become more and more obvious throughout the years, many state governments have seen the need to place minimums on the death penalty while formal investigations into the link between murder convictions, race, and sentencing are being conducted.

Governor George Ryan of Illinois took this one step further when he recently pardoned four death row inmates who he believes were wrongly convicted and tormented by police. Ryan, a once staunch supporter of the death penalty, believes that if these four inmates were wrongly convicted and tormented by police, then he is not telling many innocent men and women are facing lethal

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Our View: Governor Ryan's decision to convert death sentences to life imprisonment is commendable.

Our View: While Ryan's plans to reform death penalty policies are good, it is too soon to re-institute the death penalty.
The ID Card

August 17, 2003. I arrived at Howard University for the first time. As I looked around the historical campus, my body felt paralyzed, and my eyes opened wider; like I had just won the lottery. Even though I obviously knew I was attending a historically black college, I was still totally overwhelmed by the hundreds, even thousands, of African-American students attending college.

The day I was looking at the Howard campus and its students, I was seeing diversity, and leadership. But, after three years here, I realize that I am seeing something else as well. Underneath those layers of diversity, legacy and leadership, I see something else. I see students who don’t seem to respect that their presence is important.

Here we are at the most prestigious university for African-Americans in the entire country, a place where opportunities abound, and what do I see? Donors, even hundreds of students who have nothing, and others who have everything.

On the Howard University campus it’s considered cool to dress, talk, and act like you came from the streets. We have classrooms full of middle class students preceding to be lawyers or the Bronx. So, what’s wrong with that? Many college kids experiment and show independ­ence from their parents in their dress, speech, and actions.

However, in this case, by acting like street thugs, Howard University students are disrespecting our elders and our people. Instead of imitating and admiring, we should celebrate our elders and the people that love us. Instead of imitating and admiring, let’s live up to the name of Howard University! Here at Howard, we are a diverse group of striving African-Americans who are trying to improve our place in the world.

My Expression

Monica Almond

Being a young black woman on the verge of commutation, I feel the need to express my thoughts with the masses on some very important issues that I have come to acknowledge and appreciate from my time here at Howard. In my two very short years here my thoughts and feelings about life have changed.

First off I would like to CONGRATU­late the women on this campus for their warm-heartedness and open arms that cradled me on my arrival, kept their eyes open for me and showed me the ropes about how to look both undiscerning and the details to avoiding petty theft. Many of you are so busy? Let’s not forget about the con­tributions and work that you don’t have time for. The house slaves were more respected among their fellow slaves than the field slaves who were considered to be much different than that. Why are so many of us ashamed to be successful, and educated?

By young African-Americans imit­ating and admiring unsuccessful African-Americans, we are choosing the wrong role models. It is not healthy to have gangster rappers and drug dealers as our role models. When I was growing up in the prop­erty, the people in the neighborhood I admired the most were the hard-working liv­ing, drug dealers who sold my mother crack and heroin in our own apartment. My father used to rise at dawn and look out the window and see something different than you. I am getting frustrated. We need more positive role models.

Even more importantly, most of us here at Howard should be proud of our­selves and what we have accomplished.

We should consider ourselves role models to each other, and we shouldn’t be wasting our time acting like or imitating losers. We should just be exactly who we are – a diverse group of striving African-Americans who are trying to improve our place in the world.

We Need Your Perspectives!

Send your views, thoughts, and feelings, or whatever is on your mind to Cassandra at TheSongstressCC@hot­mail.com. Your writing could appear in the next edition of The Hilltop! Also, if you are interested in cartooning for the Hilltop and you think you’ve got what it takes, contact Cassandra as well. Thanks!

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Announcements

The ladies of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Alpha Chapter present, "Bring in the New Year," a Founders work 1-7pm. Call for Chapl

Tuesday, January 12, 2003
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Monday, January 13, 2003
This Women's Night, "The Impact, Life, and Literature of Zora Neale Hurston"

Blackburn Center, Hilltop Lounge 7:30pm Casual Attire

Tuesday, January 14, 2003
For the Love of the Game: Renouncing and Appreciating Women in Sports

Headquarters, Hilltop Lounge 7:30pm
Business Attire - Phase 1
R.S.V.P.

Friday, January 17, 2003
Sneaky Sneaky: Salas Salas

American University @ 7:30pm
Casual Attire

Monday, January 20, 2003
Community Service Project TBA

All are welcome and encouraged to attend our programs. If you have any questions, R.S.V.P., please call 301-617-2200

Zoë

Rejuvenation Society Monthly Wednesday Meeting

Look out for the next Zoë Brochure!

See how much smoother things get when we are all on one page!" Sundays By 7:20pm. Keep up the good work! EUC

Happy Birthday Leesa!

Staff thanks for pulling together after our June and July issues with little time on our hands. Thank you, edits, 2 days to put together the paper and you really came through... EUC and M.E.A.

M.E.A. you are learning quickly, I am proud of both of you.

Joyce thanks for helping out on Tuesday and Friday.

LBA & AC

Janal and we came through on time, now you have the rest.

Budget meeting Tuesday at 7:00pm. The Hilltop.

Editors Critique moved to 1:30 pm today, Dec 19th.

To Jonathan, my office manager, the man who keeps us sheltered from the struggles THANKS for being our Yoda.

Cassande keep up the good work.