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Few central computer center updates toward University's technology

By Janice McMorris

University is moving forward with the installation of new computer facilities in the central computer center. The center's new facilities will provide increased capacity and better service to the University's faculty and students. The center's new computer cluster will be located in the basement of the Agriculture and Life Sciences Building, and it will be used for a variety of purposes, including research, teaching, and administrative tasks. The new computer cluster will be able to handle a larger volume of data and will be more efficient than the current system. The center is also working on improving its network infrastructure to provide better connectivity to the University's various locations. The center's staff is dedicated to ensuring that the University's technology needs are met and that the University's students and faculty have access to the latest tools and resources to support their work.
Poor music equipment strikes a sour note with College of Fine Arts students

By Kenji Washida

February 14

The Howard University Players plan their annual spring drama festival this year under a cloud of uncertainty because of the lack of proper music equipment.

"Here I am," said passing Howard University President Joyce Ladner, "playing a piano in the practice area, because there are no pianos in the auditorium."

"You cannot expect to show the students in the drama program how to do their craft if you do not have a proper place to do it," Ladner said. "Howard University's fine arts program is the best in the country, and we can't even practice in the right place."

The Howard University Players have been without proper music equipment for the past two years, and this year is no exception. They were forced to practice in the library, which is not only noisy, but also lacks the proper acoustics for the type of music they perform.

"This is not the first time we've had to suffer from this kind of neglect," said Howard University President Joyce Ladner. "We have been promised proper music equipment for years now, but it never seems to materialize."

"The students are very frustrated," said Howard University President Joyce Ladner. "They feel that we are not being given the resources we need to do our job properly."

Howard University President Joyce Ladner said that the university is working on a new plan to address the issue of proper music equipment for the drama program. "We are looking at possibilities of purchasing new equipment," she said. "We are also looking at other options, such as borrowing equipment from other institutions."
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District control board slashes school, social aid budgets

By Steven Gray
Hilltop Staff Writer

This both realistic and drastic policy to cut D.C.'s budget, the District control board recently slashed $3.5 million from the city's $2.8 billion budget. The board, which is appointed by the mayor, recommended the cuts to the city council. The city council has 15 days to review the board's recommendations.

The cuts are aimed at reducing the city's budget deficit, which is estimated at $800 million. The board recommended cutting programs in various areas, including education, social services, and public safety.

The cuts will affect many areas of the city, including schools, social service programs, and law enforcement. The school budget will be reduced by $235 million, and social service programs will be cut by $242 million.

The cuts are expected to save the city $7 million in the fiscal year 2022 and $10 million in the fiscal year 2023. The city will also have to make additional cuts to meet its budget deficit.

The cuts are necessary due to the ongoing economic downturn caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. The city's economy has suffered significantly, and the city's budget has been hit hard.

Despite the cuts, the city will continue to provide essential services to its residents. The city will continue to provide education, social services, and law enforcement.

The city council will have the opportunity to review the board's recommendations and make any necessary adjustments. The city will also continue to work with the federal government to secure funding to help with the budget deficit.

The cuts are expected to be painful for the city and its residents. However, the city will continue to work to ensure that the cuts are made in an equitable manner and that the city's most vulnerable residents are not left behind.
National Highlights

By Jonathan L. Wharton

When Republicans in Congress successfully pushed the life-saving bill through Congress, they did so only after a special session to give the clerks, as well as the public, a chance to respond to the bill. The new law requires members of Congress to develop a plan for money and gifts with the help of the Clerk of the House and the Secretary of the Senate. The bill, which includes provisions for the Clerk and the Secretary, is expected to be introduced in the new Congress in January.

Lawmakers question effectiveness of gift ban law

By Jonathan L. Wharton

Hispanic SWT, a group that monitors and analyzes Hispanic issues, said that the gift ban law is not effective. The group said that the bill is not clear and that it does not protect the rights of Hispanics.

Motorola launches recovery service for radio systems

By Janette Lynn Thompson

Motorola has launched a recovery service for radio systems, which will help emergency service providers in the aftermath of natural disasters. The service provides access to nationwide databases, allowing emergency personnel to receive updated information and services.

Capitol Highlights

By Janette Lynn Thompson

Capitol Highlights is a weekly feature that highlights key developments in the U.S. Congress and the White House.

The Clintons face new Whitewater charges

By Jonathan L. Wharton

President Clinton faces new charges in the Whitewater investigation. The charges include allegations of perjury, obstruction of justice, and fraud.

President Clinton has been under investigation since 1994 for his role in the Whitewater controversy. The investigation was initially sparked by a Whitewater development project, which Clinton had invested in as an Arkansas state senator.

President Clinton has denied any wrongdoing and has said that he will cooperate fully with the investigation.

The new charges include allegations that Clinton and his aides engaged in a scheme to hide the true value of the Whitewater property from creditors and other parties.

The charges also include allegations that Clinton and his aides conspired to obstruct justice by lying to investigators and providing false statements.

The Whitewater investigation is one of the most high-profile and controversial investigations of the Clinton administration.

The charges were announced by U.S. Attorney General Janet Reno, who said that the investigation is ongoing and that additional charges may be brought in the future.

The Clintons have denied all charges and have said that they will fight the charges in court.

President Clinton has also faced criticism from Republicans in Congress, who have called for his impeachment.

The new charges are expected to energize the debate surrounding the impeachment of President Clinton.

The impeachment inquiry is already underway in the U.S. House of Representatives, where Republicans have introduced articles of impeachment.

The articles of impeachment charge Clinton with perjury, obstruction of justice, and abuse of power.

The Clinton impeachment trial would be the third such trial in U.S. history, following the trials of Andrew Johnson and Richard Nixon in the 19th and 20th centuries, respectively.

The trial would be overseen by the U.S. Senate, with Vice President Al Gore presiding as president pro tempore.

The Senate would be required to vote to convict Clinton on at least one of the articles of impeachment in order for him to be removed from office. The Senate has a 67-vote threshold for a conviction, which means that at least 67 senators must vote to convict.

If Clinton is convicted, he would be removed from office and Vice President Gore would become President.

If the Senate fails to convict Clinton, he would remain in office.

The Clinton impeachment trial would be one of the most significant events in recent U.S. history, as it would mark the first time in 160 years that a president has been impeached by the U.S. House of Representatives.

The trial would also be watched closely by the American public and the world, as it would be the first time in history that a sitting president of a free democracy has been impeached.

The trial would likely be characterized by intense political polarization, with Republicans calling for Clinton's removal from office and Democrats seeking to protect him.

The trial would also likely be marked by loud and ugly charges, with Republicans and Democrats accusing each other of being hypocrites and double standards.

The trial would also likely be marked by a test of the U.S. Constitution's ability to withstand an unprecedented challenge to its authority.

The trial would also likely be marked by a test of the U.S. Senate's ability to perform its constitutional role as the jury in a presidential impeachment trial.

The trial would also likely be marked by a test of the U.S. people's ability to make an informed decision about a sitting president's fitness for office.

The trial would also likely be marked by a test of the U.S. judiciary's ability to maintain its independence from the political branches.

The trial would also likely be marked by a test of the U.S. public's ability to understand and engage in a complex and constitutional process.

The trial would also likely be marked by a test of the U.S. media's ability to cover a highly charged, high-stakes event in a responsible and accurate manner.

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An international perspective
International community must assist in Liberian peace effort

By Jonathan L. Wharton

INTERSTATE
Forum highlights struggles of Latin American Blacks, encourages resolution for change

By Nitrelle Mejia-

Anacostia Museum exhibit showcases Caribbean and French music

By Patricia Hardin

affirmative action is a term that is reserved for Blacks...
**HOWARD UNIVERSITY UNITED FOR A SAFE SPRING**

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ADDITIONAL EVENTS WILL BE HELD IN THE RESIDENCE HALLS DURING THE WEEK, INCLUDING THE BEGINNING OF A VOLUNTARY SIGN OUT FOR SAFETY (SOS) PILOT PROGRAM.
Howard celebrates 29th birthday, must reclaim its vision

As Howard University celebrates its 29th birthday on Feb. 1, 1976, the school is trying to find its way in the competitive world of higher education. Led by President Nathan H. Hargrove, the University is determined to overcome the challenges it faces and regain its former glory.

However, the University faces many obstacles in achieving its goals. The institution is currently struggling to maintain its financial stability, with a budget that is insufficient to meet the demands of a growing student body.

Despite these challenges, Howard University remains committed to its mission of providing a quality education to its students. The University is working to improve its facilities and attract more students, while also focusing on increasing its research capabilities.

As Howard University continues to grow and evolve, it will need to adapt to the changing landscape of higher education. With the support of its alumni and friends, the University is confident that it will be able to achieve its vision and become a leader in the world of higher education.

In the meantime, students and faculty alike are working hard to ensure that Howard University remains a beacon of excellence in the world of education.
Howard University Bookstore System

Notice

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I thought I was special
A close friend to you
But I see I'm like all the others
Some thing for you to screw

But I see I'm like all the others
I'm only saying how I feel
I'm just another name
If you're looking for a good time
TO HEAVEN

I'm more than just a good f---
COUNTDOWN
OUR TIME TOGETHER WAS LIKE A ROCKET RIDE TO HEAVEN
BUT I SHOULD'VE PREDICTED THAT SOMETHING BAD WOULD HAPPEN WHEN WE ROARED OFF BEFORE THE INITIAL COUNTDOWN.
HIGHER AND HIGHER WE ROSE PASSING CLOUDS IN A MATTER OF SECONDS.
WE PUT TO SHAME THE PHRASE THAT SKY IS THE LIMIT.
AND WISHED UPON THE STARS THAT HURLED BY.
I GUESS THE ANTICIPATION OF OUR DESTINATION CAN OVERPOWER EVEN THE MOST EXPERIENCED PILOTS.
MY FIRST MISTAKE WAS LETTING YOU TAKE OVER MY CONTROLS
I KNEW IT WAS AGAINST ALL THE RULES.
BUT SOME HOW YOU KNEW ALL THE RIGHT BUTTONS TO PUSH.

EVERYTHING WAS GOING SO WELL I FOOLISHLY DECIDED TO TAKE OFF UP OUR MISSION.
AS I PULLED THE THROTTLE TO THE FLOOR I COULD ONLY DREAM OF OUR DESTINATION.
NEEDED TO SAY I NEGLECTED TO CHECK OUR FUEL GAUGE.
I AWAKENED FROM MY DREAM TO SEE MY COCKPIT SLOWLY CLOSING OUT WITH THE LAST PARACHUTE.
AS THE ROCKET PLUMMETED TO EARTH I COULD ONLY PRAY FOR THE IMPOSSIBLE CRASH!!!!

YOU LEFT ME

I saw an angel standing behind you
As you were lying in my bed
I turned to stare at you
And there was a glow around your head

I looked away and then looked back
I noticed you were gone
You left me

I thought I saw you last night
Walking past my room
Around your entire body
There was a glow from the moon

I opened my window to call you
But noticed you were gone
You left me

I saw you today
Crawling the street
The illumination from the sun
Made your profile appear complete.

I ran quickly to catch you
But alas you were gone
You left me

I often sit and wonder
Why you had to go
death is a most cruel
Violent, vengeful foe

With that I can't compete
I'll remain all alone

Just now I see
That you're forever gone
You left me

Misty Stokes

YOU WEREN'T THERE

I was feeling mellow today
Just wanted to hang and chill
Watch a movie, listen to music
Eat a home-cooked meal

I was sure I could count on you
DON'T KEEP ME HANGIN' ON
Hey baby, ain't you ever heard that
A good woman is hard to find
That is ever crossed your smoke-filled mind
That I ain't gonna keep hangin' on?
You don't hit me
So I go almost every night.
Most times I miss gettin' my calls,
Watin' for you to call
Sayin' you're alright.
Oh no, darlin' I don't want
No weak apologies,
sayin' how, you're the time
And funds you lack.
Please, don't get down on your hands and knees
Begin' to take your ass back.
Darlin', you see, I've wired up
Now you know that you've messed up.
Don't have time to compromise
I'm tellin' the truth
'Cause this ain't no time to lie.
Now, pack your bags
And say your sorry goodbyes
No, don't worry about me,
I'll make out okay.
Maybe, one day you'll realize
That I didn't need you anyway.

Best Struggling

RACING THE SUN

EVERYTHING SEEMS LIKE A RACE
AT SUNRISE I GIVE THANKS FOR ANOTHER CHANCE
ALL DAY LONG, I RACE
I RUN TO DO AS MUCH AS I CAN BEFORE THE END
OF THE DAY THAT IS
FOR AT TIMES I WORRY MY MIND'S WIND
WANTS TO COME TO PASS
BEFORE THE SUN TAKES AWAY

SO I RUN
AT MOON'S RISE IT'S NICE TO REFLECT AND SIT
I'VE DONE SOMETHING OF SUBSTANCE THAT DAY
SO I RUN

I MIGHT MISS THAT OPPORTUNITY IF I'M WAITING FOR
SO I RUN

IF TOMORROW THE SUN DOESN'T RISE FOR ME?
I MUST RUN NO
AT THE END OF THE DAY I CAN CRY WITH A SIGH
OK AND PRAY MY ENDLESS INSECURITY
BLOOM FRUIT DURING THE NIGHT

Anonymous
When violent crime hits home:

Students share their stories

By Adrienne Carthon

Hilltop Staff Writer

Doezor, 21, a sophomore at Morgan State University, was killed during a drive-by shooting on March 25, 2010. His death, along with those of others, has sparked a renewed push for more rigorous gun control laws and has left his loved ones reeling from the fallout.

Doezor's brother was a drug dealer and, like Kenny, Dozier had been involved with drugs throughout his life. He was not a gang member, according to his family.

Although most of them did not die from gunshot wounds, the risk was clear that one could die at any moment.

Hilltop Staff Writer

Reflections: The Death of my Friend

By Davonne Griffin

My friend, Miguel, had a promising career as a track runner. He even won the state relay title twice for his high school team. But on March 15, 2010, Miguel was found shot dead on the doorstep of his apartment complex.

This year, Miguel was a senior at my high school, and I thought he would be the best of friends. Miguel never thought things were going to happen this way.

But the truth is, I had to go down with my friend. I’ll never forget the day Miguel was killed.

Miguel was the one who jumped at the idea of going to the prom. He was so happy that he had chosen a girl for the dance. He knew that this was the moment he was waiting for.

The police were called, and they arrived with their weapons drawn. Miguel was shot twice, and he died instantly.

The police thought Miguel might be involved in a robbery, but it turned out to be a simple case of mistaken identity.

Miguel was just a kid who wanted to live a normal life. He never imagined that his life would be cut short by a bullet.

It’s been a year since Miguel passed away, and I still can’t believe it. I miss him so much.

I remember the last time we talked. We were at the mall, and he was so excited about his new shoes. He started dancing in the middle of the store, and it made me laugh.

Miguel was always a joyful person. He loved to make people laugh, and he was always ready to help anyone in need.

I’ll never forget the day Miguel was killed. It’s a day I’ll never forget and a day I’ll always remember.

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New store caters fashions for the hip-hop generation

Calvin Klein Jeans

There are certain things that are hip-hop culture, and fashion is one of the ways in which it has made itself felt. As the hip-hop generation grows, they are beginning to move out of the neighborhood in which they grew up and into the mainstream of American fashion. Hip-hop fans are starting to look to the hip-hop fashion industry for inspiration, and one of the biggest names in this industry is Calvin Klein.

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This album will also focus on the political aspect of hip-hop. Many of the songs on Eazy-E's new album, which is due out in the fall, deal with social issues such as poverty, unemployment, and discrimination.

Clarks describes the stop as a "unique young person's album." Whatever is going to work on this album, it's going to work on the next one as well. He adds that the album is "about the values and experiences that young people are experiencing today."

The album also has a lot of political content, according to Clarks. It deals with issues such as the government's role in the economy, the war in Iraq, and the need for social justice.

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By Aaron Levy

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All Student Councils:

Candidates for 1996 elections must be submitted to the General Assembly Elections Committee by

Monday, March 4, 1996.
4:30 p.m.

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Interactive ‘Star Trek’ CD-ROM is out of this world

By Kenneth J. Jackson

Automotive Trendwatcher Simon & Schuster Interactive has introduced a CD-ROM called Star Trek, which will feature two well-known Trek characters. “As an interactive reference work solely devoted to Star Trek phenomenon, the Omnipedia is the first in-depth reference work for a natural extension of our ‘Star Trek’ book and audio publishing program,” said Rich Tomlin, president of Simon & Schuster Consumer Group.

The CD-ROM is based on the best-selling Pocket Books publication. The Star Trek Encyclopedia and the Next Generation Continuum, which sold more than 200,000 copies, will be updated and expanded.

The voice-activated system, offered by General Motors, will be featured on the 1997 models of the Cadillac Seville. The system allows the driver to give commands to the computer through a microphone. The microphone is connected to the computer through a cable. The system is designed to give directions to the driver while they are driving the car. It can also be used to make reservations, call friends, and even to play games.

The system is available in the Lincoln Continental and Lincoln-Mercury models. It includes information on over 9,000 locations, including restaurants, automatic tellers, and movie theaters. It also includes travel information for over 1,000 cities.

New car phones offer state-of-the-art security measures

Imagine a cell phone that gives directions or automatically dials 911 if the car is stolen. This car is already available on the market.

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Business Highlights

source: USA Today and Business Week

Telecom Lawsuit: Bell Atlantic and DSC Communications filed a lawsuit against AT&T for $3.5 billion, accusing the company of blocking competition by building phone equipment to incompatible standards. The lawsuit also seeks an order requiring AT&T to build its switching equipment to industry standards.

GM’s Electric Car for Lease: General Motors said it may decide to lease— not sell— its EV1 electric vehicles. GM will introduce the EV1 this fall at Saturn dealerships in southern California and Arizona. Leasing the EV1 would reassure consumers worried they couldn’t resell the electric vehicles. The car is powered by lead-acid batteries that produce a range of only 70 to 90 miles on a single charge. GM has said it will price the EV1 in the mid $30,000 range, which likely would result in monthly lease payments of $450 to $600.

Eating You Later, Alligator: No longer used for handbags and shoes, alligators are becoming deficiencies in the United States and Western Europe. The $28 million alligator business became impatient with unpredictable fashion dictates and launched major promotion of their edibles over the past few years, setting up booths at restaurant industry conventions for taste tests. To meet the demand for alligators, they are increasingly farmed rather than hunted. The demand in the southern region of the US, and in European countries such as Britain and France has more than doubled the price of gator meat over the past three years. A pound costs $4 to $6, more than the best cut of pork, which tastes somewhat similar.

Disney String of Hits Comes to a Halting: Disney’s run of smash animated films will end with this summer’s release of “The Hunchback of Notre Dame.” While not a best, this flick will be nowhere near the box office hit “The Lion King,” or even the not-as-successful “Pocahontas.” A bid to lure boys and teens, Disney chose Quasimodo’s sad tale. This downbeat story, though, will turn off traditional Disney fans. Plus, the movie has few of the soaring musical numbers that punctuated earlier efforts.

If you are interested in writing for the Hilltop’s Business section, please call (202) 806-6868 and ask for Shenikwa.

Spring break ‘96: Fun in the sun for less

By Kenneth J. Jackson

Cheaper Traveling: Tips for

* Try to make reservations at least three weeks in advance to get a cheaper deal.

* Mid-week travel is usually less expensive than weekend travel.

* Traveling as a group can also cut costs.

* Try to stay at a bargain and breakfast because they are usually less expensive than lavish hotels.

* Buy food from the grocery store rather than eating out to save money.
**Applications are available for the following position:**

**Hilltop Business Manager for 1996-1997**

Applications are available in the **Office of Student Activities**, Blackburn Center.

**Deadline is**

**March 11, 1996, 5:00 pm**

**Interviews will be held on**

**Thursday, March 14, 1996**
Poor health practices may be linked to high diabetes rate in the Black community

By Cristal Williams

Hypertension may be reduced by healthy eating habits

By Cristal Williams

Medical experts give tips on curing shoulder pain

By Dr. James Williams

**Weekly Recipe**

Taco Salad

1 package of taco seasoning
1 pound ground beef or ground turkey
1 cup cheddar cheese
1 tomato
1 bottle of salsa
1 head of lettuce

1. Begin to cook ground meat in large skillet until brown.
2. Add seasoning packet to meat and continue to brown until you are satisfied with the taste.
3. Put desired amount of meat on your plate.
4. Sprinkle cheese on the meat.
5. Put in microwave for 45 seconds.
6. Remove from microwave.
7. Spoon desired amount of lettuce.
8. Place lettuce on plate and top with your choice of salsa, tomatoes, and chips.
MEMORANDUM:

TO: ALL CANDIDATES AND STUDENTS
FROM: Yvette A. Pryor, Chairperson
General Assembly Elections Committee

SUBJECT: Changes in Elections Schedule
DATE: March 1, 1996

It is the consensus of the General Assembly Elections Committee that the goal of producing an efficient, well-organized elections process would be best met by delaying the first election date until Monday March 11, 1996. The new date for the runoff election will be Monday, March 18, 1996. All other specifications for the voting process will remain the same. We encourage you to participate as much as possible in the remaining events of the elections season and trust that we will all take this opportunity to use the power we have as students of Howard University by voting. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

Are you tired of organizations claiming to be about community service and don't do anything? Would you like to be part of an organization that is committed to community service: regionally, nationally and globally? Are you interested in giving back to your community? Would you like to travel regionally to conferences about community service? Would you like to network with corporate executives who share the same values of community service? Would you like to be eligible for a $1000 scholarship? Then come be part of the circle, Circle K International. Circle K is a national community service organization with over 90,000 members. Circle K is a subsidiary of Kiwanis International.

HELP GET CIRCLE K STARTED AT THE MECCA

WHEN: March 8, 1996
WHERE: Blackburn Center, Rm 148
TIME: 4:00p.m.

Please contact Yvette at 806-7008 for more information
ATTENTION ALL STUDENTS

1996 SUMMER SESSION I AND II REGISTRATION

If you are a continuing student and plan to attend the 1996 Howard University Summer Session(s), you may reserve your class(es) via touch-tone telephone (DISC) at (202) 806-4537 between April 29, 1996 and May 10, 1996.

Summer 1996 Registration will also be offered as indicated below:

Session I: May 15 - June 22  
Registration: May 13 and 14  
Classes begin: May 15

Session II: June 25 - August 3  
Registration: June 24  
Classes begin: June 25

FALL 1996 MANDATORY REGISTRATION

FOR ALL CONTINUING STUDENTS

APRIL 1-12, 1996

ADDRESS UPDATES

All students whose ID numbers appear below must report immediately to the Office of Records and Articulation (Administration Building, Room 105) to update address information. Information must be updated by close of business, Friday, March 21, 1996. Failure to update address information will prevent you from participating in the Fall 1996 General Registration (April 1-12) and Fall 1996 Late Registration (August 23-30).
organizations for meetings, seminars or non-profit events for 10 words or less and $1 for every additional five words. Local companies are charged $20 for the first 15 words and $1 for every five words thereafter. Personal ads are $2 for the first 15 words and $1 for every additional five words.

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