ASB Week Raises Funds, Awareness for Relief

BY EDDIE FOWLER

This week is the official week of Alternative Spring Break (ASB) 2007. A group of more than 300 students will head back to New Orleans during spring break this week to help rebuild what was destroyed on Aug. 29, 2005.

While you are packing your bags, consider helping these students. "But in order to come out and support ASB you have to learn about the benefits of ASB," said Ty Axson, co-chair of the ASB committee. "It is not just about the money. You have to understand why you are there, and what it means to these people." The voyage to the Bayou will be a chance for you to see the hard work of the ASB committee. For more on ASB, visit ASBonline.com.

The Levees Broke, a viewing of Spike Lee's documentary, will be shown on Feb. 24 in the Blackburn Center. "If you have not seen "The Levees Broke," tonight, said Ty Axson, a freshman finance major. "It shows what has become of the city of New Orleans. I am from New Orleans and have to watch this film every year. Howard students and of­ficers will add money at each of the events this week."

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The Representative Speaker this past Sunday, The Rev. Dr. Michael Pfleger said that Obama is not a good candidate for president because he is not a strong leader. Pfleger said that Obama is not strong enough to take the country in the right direction. "If you have or know someone that would make a good candidate for president but I don't think you should vote for them, I'm sure they are making the decision that best suits them," said Lewis. "It's a shame," said Lumm•i Ngwa-Suh, "If they are too expensive you cannot afford to use the fountain in the academic facilities around the building."

Despite the shortage of free water on campus, one of the most beloved fountains on campus have stood stagnant without the proper maintenance, have failed to bring forth the way Republicans ran the country.

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Chapel Recap: Rev. Pfleger Challenges Students to Stand in the Path of Death and Overcome the Injustices of Today

BY EICON FARMER

Rev. Phillip Pfleger preached a sermon based on Luke 2:1-11. He asked his audience to consider the power of love, despite the pain and struggle that surrounds it.

Rev. Pfleger preached not as a great leader, but as a great leader who stands against violence and injustice, despite having to pay the price.

Rev. Pfleger asked his audience to consider the power of love, regardless of the cost.

Rev. Pfleger closed his sermon by instructing the audience to stand in the path of death, to stand in the path of hope.

Throughout community service projects, the Hilltop staff gives students a chance to share and practice random acts of kindness every day.

Come Grab a Story From Campus at the Budget Meeting Tonight at 7 PM in F&P of the West Towers!!!

BY TRACRE ROGERS

In an effort to make a contribution to the world around us, a group of Howard University students have created a survey to help gain insight into the lives of underprivileged individuals.

Despite their busy schedules, Howard University students are still finding ways to give back to the community.

The Hilltop Staff Writer

Despite the spirit of generosity that is often associated with being a college student, there are still students who have to make their situations work - money, food and personal items have to stretch for a certain amount of time.

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BY IMANI JOSEY

According to Energy Information Administration, Americans could save $23 billion a year by cutting their heating and air conditioning to the minimum necessary to stay comfortable. The average U.S. natural gas bill for a three-bedroom home with natural gas would be reduced by $1,500 a year, agency officials said. The report is based on a study of 143,000 homes in the U.S.

The savings could be even greater in colder climates, such as those in the Midwest and the Northeast. In those regions, the average household could save $1,700 a year by reducing heating and cooling by just 10%, according to the study.

The report also found that the average household could save $3,000 a year by using a programmable thermostat to turn down the heat from 78°F to 75°F during off-peak hours. The savings could be as much as $4,000 a year for homes with electric heating.

The study, which is expected to be released later this year, was commissioned by the Energy Department and conducted by the Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

While the study found that there is significant potential for savings, officials said that more research is needed to determine how much energy could be saved in different settings and climates. They also said that more education and outreach efforts are needed to help consumers understand the benefits of energy-efficient behaviors.
Preparing Future Journalism Faculty Program (PFJFP) Presents

Mr. Alberto Ibargüen
President and CEO of the James S. and John L. Knight Foundation

Mr. Ibargüen will lecture to Howard University's students and community about the Carnegie-Knight Initiative on the Future of Journalism Education, and its partnership with Howard University's Preparing Future Journalism Faculty Program (PFJFP).

January 23, 2007 at 3:30 p.m.
Ralph J. Bunche International Affairs Center
Howard University's Main Campus

All are welcome to attend! RSVP to Dr. Rochelle L. Ford rochford@howard.edu, 202.806.5123

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Bison Hold Off Bethune-Cookman, 63-60

BY CARYN GRANT

Late free throw shooting by Bison seniors Will Gant and Darrell Hudson and a late three-pointer followed by a pair of free throws clinched their 13th win in 15 outings against the Wildcats Saturday.

The Bison, who had scored 33 of their first 60 points in the first half, had to be held scoreless for the balance of the game to finish with a season-high 81 points.

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January 22, 2007
Grandmaster Flash and Furious Five Inducted into Hall of Fame

Grandmaster Flash and the Furious Five were inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. They will be the first hip-hop act to be inducted into the prestigious Hall of Fame. This honor only comes after being denied induction twice. Nevertheless, they have broken down yet another wall for the genre of music that was once shunned as a passing fad.

Our View:

We are glad to see Grandmaster Flash and the Furious Five inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame but we are left wondering why there hasn't been a hall of fame created for hip-hop.

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