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School of Divinity Students Pursue Efforts For A New Dean

By TRACIE ROGERS

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Students Dissatisfied With Student Health Center

BY MERRILL W. MURRAY

Students and parents have complained that the student Health Center is unable to meet the demands of the current student body. The student Health Center is supposed to provide immunizations, counseling and education, and to keep students healthy and safe. However, student expectations may be too high, as was the case in the Student Health Center's performance.

When an injury or illness occurs, students often find it difficult to obtain prompt and professional care. The Student Health Center is supposed to provide immunizations, counseling and education, and to keep students healthy and safe. However, student expectations may be too high, as was the case in the Student Health Center's performance.

The Center had announced that it would be closed on a Saturday, but the students did not receive any notice. This lack of communication created confusion and frustration among students. The Student Health Center's closure on a Saturday could have been considered a mistake.

In addition to treatment for students in need, the Health Center provides students with antibiotics and antibiotics for common colds, colds, flu and other viruses. The Student Health Center also offers immunizations, counseling and education, and to keep students healthy and safe.

The Health Center also administers immunizations, which the University performs. Students have complained about the lack of immunizations and the long wait times.

"The Student Health Center is unreliable and for urgent care when the Health Center is closed," sophomore audio production major Tiffany Smith said. "They have no desire to create the program at his alma mater, and the school has not been able to attract many students."

The Health Center's failure to provide immunizations and other services has led to frustration among students. The Health Center is supposed to provide immunizations, counseling and education, and to keep students healthy and safe.

Despite the problems, students do not always receive immunizations and other services they need. Students often have to wait for hours before receiving care, and when they finally receive care, it is ineffective.

"I've been to the Health Center several times, and I've never received anything that has helped me," said sophomore Matt Johnson. "I've had to wait for hours, and even when I finally see the doctor, they don't do anything to help.

According to Mundey, the third party insurance plan does not cover any treatments or services that are not within the Health Center. However, an insurance package is available through the Student Health Center, but it is expensive and students often have to pay out of pocket.

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ET's Online Office Assistance With Student's Essays

BY LINDORA WASHINGTON

Online enrollment is steadily increasing, and students have asked for more online resources. Many students have the option of taking classes online, and some find it easier to learn without attending classes in person. The online courses can be convenient and allow students to learn at their own pace.

"I really like online courses because I can learn at my own pace and work on the course when I have time," said junior business major Lila Kim. "I also like that I don't have to worry about commuting to classes, which can be stressful during the busy college schedule.

Online courses also provide a way for students to receive instant feedback on their work. This can be beneficial for students who need immediate feedback on their work.

"I think that online courses are a great way to learn and receive feedback on my work," said senior English major Alex Lee. "I can submit my assignments whenever I want, and the professors provide feedback quickly.

However, online courses can also have disadvantages. Some students may struggle with the lack of structure and the need to manage their own time.

"I think that online courses can be overwhelming because you have to manage your own time," said senior psychology major Karen Smith. "I find it difficult to stay organized and get everything done on time.

Overall, online courses can be beneficial for students who need flexibility and are able to manage their own time. However, they can also have disadvantages that students should be aware of.
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Howard To the Hill: A Real-Life Political Experience

By Vanessa Rozier

There are currently 44 African American members of Congress, two without voting rights and only one, Barack Obama, in the Senate. The black presence in politics is increasing, but the large black mass is not trickling to move equality in the nation.

The first black governor of Mississippi, David Lee, was elected in 1932, the United States has had a black secretary of state only in the African-Americans secretaries of state. However, it does not necessarily mean race is less of an issue today.

"The racial issue is still there, but now it's more hidden," said David Botin, a senior research associate at the Joint Center for Political Studies. "It's not as overt, but now we're beginning to win," said Maxine Waters, the president and CEO of the Center Washington. Urban, Long, said, "It's a huge issue."

Some wonder if the recent wave of black politicians is evidence of increased political equality in the United States.

Said Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid, "It would be a nice bet that there will be a black president soon."

"The political arena is now open to African Americans," said Dr. Lorenzo Morris, a political scientist at Howard University. "We have to keep fighting for equality."

"The question is not limited to more black faces in high places," said Harris. "The deeper question is whether or not they can effect change in the arena in which they are elected."
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BY STACY A. ANDERSON
Copy Chief

College graduates are likely to make $20,000 more income than those who do not obtain higher education. D.C. has the highest number of residents with a bachelor's degree.

BY MAN JOSEY

"That's why I came to college. I know what the job market is like if you don't have a college degree," she shopped for party supplies.

"I wanted my children to ... more than what I ... and hold it up for everyone to see," said Elony Dawson, a sophomore undeclared major.

According to the census, those with advanced degrees earned more than those with high school and ... 25.6 percent of women.

Men, on average, had higher high school graduation rates than women with a degree, however. Women had the highest proportion of people with a bachelor's degree at 47 percent, followed by Connecticut, Massachusetts, Maryland, New Jersey and The states with the highest proportion of high school diplomas were Utah, Minnesota, Montana, New Hampshire and Alaska.

For women with a bachelor's degree average income increased $51,554 in 2004. compared to those who have only an attained a high school diploma or GED.

The data is from the 2005 Current Population Survey's Annual Social and Economic Supplement, which was conducted February through April 2005 about 100,000 addresses. The survey found that adults 18 and older with a bachelor's degree earned an average of $51,554 in 2004, compared to $32,445 for those with only a high school diploma.

The survey also suggested that high school seniors should seriously consider an extra four years of higher learning. If larger bank accounts are of importance to them.

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Is Dance An Art or Sport? Vizion Weighs In

BY VICTORIA MARIE REESE
Contributing Writer

Some wonder whether dance is a sport or an art. Members of the Vizion Performance Group believe that it is more of an art expression than a sport. However, as international organizations are looking to make competitive ballroom dancing an Olympic demonstration sport, Vizion does not do ballroom dancing, but its hip hop performance is one just as challenging and technically demanding.

"I don't feel (dance) is a sport, but I do feel that we work just as hard as they do," said Cierra Ross, a sophomore mechanical engineering major and Vizion member. "I think people get confused with the separation. We are athletes because we train and practice in the same way they do, but our reasons are different.

Vizion member and sophomore film producer major Jolynne Gilmores said that the link between dance and sports may be the physical activity. "It's an art form," said Ross. "The fact that we can hear the beat and see the rhythm of the dance is an important aspect for both dance and a sport."

"We do outreach and community service events too," said Tonia Braxton. "We go to middle schools to teach dance workshops. We don't come to be like schools in distress. We care about working with the community.

"Tonia Braxton currently serves as head softball coach and academic advisor for the athletic department. She's in her fifth year as coach. "It is by the physical ability that the two factors together," said Travis Farmer-Boston, a sophomore political science major and Vizion member. "Some critics urge people to clear up the differences between our different sports. The effort to break down the barriers between the two disciplines may establish a common goal to classify dance as both an art and a sport."

Vizion members work vigorously during practices and train as hard as other intercollegiate athletes. Vizion has been invited to numerous competitions and performs events on various campuses, including the University of Maryland and Morgan State University.

"I think people get confused with the separation. We are athletes because we train and practice in the same way they do, but our reasons are different," said Braxton. "It's a lot of late nights and weekends. It would take an influence lot for me to give up coaching. But I can't say I'll be head coach for the rest of my life," she said. "The world would like to work under a strong head coach because as a head coach, everything rests on her shoulders."

In her defense, she pointed out that she had taken a job only for a year, even after the hip hop dance group was honored by Outside magazine. "I want to continue to move with the times."

Since 2003, Vizion has established the Vizionaires Workshop Program and the Vizionaires Literacy Program, which provides local dance instruction and encourages high school and middle school students in the local community to become more involved in reading.
The new Web site UTClique.com is the latest of many similar sites, including MySpace and other online sites that cater to teens. "Another site that interested me was MySpace, and the other sites related to that," said junior psychology major Jodi Harton. "You can browse through people's names to see their profiles and find out more about them, or you can just search for people in your city who are online at the same time." UTClique.com is also referred to as the "Urban Teen Clique." Urban Teen Clique is a new Web site catering to young people ages 14 to 27. "I enjoy sitting in the car and whispering ideas into the phone," said sophomore psychology major Alchilds Altidor said. "I like to call my friends and have deep conversations. I love to talk about what I'm thinking. I'm a real chatterbox. I love talking indoors." "The majority of the information that people provide is based on "jokes," said Freesia Meditation Theatre major Poggoni Athidalo. "They show their age to their appearance and everything else." "The registration process is very straightforward," said Jodi Harton, who has been spending a lot of time over the weekend logging onto UTClique pos- ing as a freshman psychology major. "You enter your login name and password." "The registration procedure is for users to self-select," said Roberta Merritt, who helps with the Cote d'Ivoire and is an associate professor of psychology and film and mHent, administrative assistant for the Department of Anthropology and Sociology, who has been spending a lot of time with friends in her hometown. "You're trying to impress the others and your own friends in your hometown. You're trying to get attention. You're trying to follow the simple structure of how the website functions. It is much the same for other Web sites as well." The second continuous story is about how different ethnic and cultural differences, only to drift apart because of stubbornness. Persistence is her strength and her main man is present and never far from her side. She is smart, thought provoking and a little bit different. Turning into the essence of change, color and cultural differences between African Americans and African couple sensation equally. Each of their perceptions are carefully and given the same amount of time and respect. "Hunger" is a must read for both men and women. Brooklyn-Borns Turnerfield attended Yale University as an anthropology major. Turnerfield is currently working on her novel "My Name is Zanenburg."
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Corrections: 1/30 Edition

The 13th day of February, Year 2006

The Hilltop apologizes for a mistake in yesterday's article titled "UCSA Chairwoman Involved in Ballot Controversy."

The story incorrectly states that Tanies McClain is Undergraduate Student Association Chairwoman. She is actually UCSA representative for the School of Business and Chairwoman of the General Assembly. Again we apologize for the mistake.

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