John McCain recently announced Sarah Louise Heath Palin as his running mate in the Republican ticket. Palin's selection was met with mixed reactions, with some praising her as a political outsider and others criticizing her lack of experience. Despite the controversy, Palin's presence in the campaign brought new energy and excitement to the Republican ticket.

 Palin's background as a former Alaska governor and a former city mayor in Wasilla, Alaska, makes her a relatively unknown figure on the national stage. However, her experience in state government and her strong conservative views have earned her the support of many Republican voters. Her selection has also sparked debate about the role of women in politics, with some arguing that Palin's nomination opens the door for more female candidates in the future.

The decision to select Palin has also raised questions about the balance of power in the Republican Party. Some have argued that Palin's selection was made to appeal to Southern states, while others suggest that it was an attempt to energize the base of conservative voters.

Overall, the Palin selection has added a new element of intrigue and suspense to the 2008 election campaign. It remains to be seen how Palin's role will play out in the general election, but one thing is certain: her selection has made the race more interesting and unpredictable.
BY SHLEY BRUCE
Contributing Editor

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Continued from front, PALIN

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The Microsoft Xbox Live platform is expected to play a significant role in the presidential elections, as Microsoft is actively seeking to engage young voters through its Xbox Live service. The initiative started on August 25, with stakeholders including Microsoft, the John Hopkins University's School of Communications, and the National Association of Broadcasters (NAB) working together to reach out to youth voters. The goal is to encourage young Americans to register to vote and participate in the election process.

Mark Whitmer, general manager of Xbox Live, stated, "We want to make sure that we reach out to every young person who is interested in the election process and make sure they understand the importance of their vote. We know that young voters are vital to the outcome of many elections, and we are committed to helping them get involved." The initiative aims to connect with young voters through various channels, including social media, online forums, and community events.

Microsoft has partnered with organizations such as the Young Americans for Freedom, the National Association of Broadcasters, and the John Hopkins University to develop strategies to engage young voters. The initiative builds on Microsoft's existing efforts to connect with young people through its Xbox Live platform, which connects about 12 million 18- to 29-year-olds.

"We believe that it is crucial for young people to understand the importance of their vote and to participate in the election process," said Daniel Smith, coordinator of the John Hopkins University's School of Communications. "We are committed to helping young people make informed decisions and to ensure that their voices are heard in the political process.

The initiative also seeks to challenge the ideas that young people are not interested in politics or do not care about the election process. It highlights the importance of young people's voices in shaping the future of the country.

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Microsoft is committed to ensuring that young people have the tools and resources they need to participate in the election process. The initiative is a step towards creating a more engaged and informed electorate, and it aims to help young people understand the importance of their vote.
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Kennedy’s Appearance in Denver Reflects Character

On the eve of Mother’s Day, Sen. Edward M. Kennedy (D-Mass.) spoke about his family. Senator Kennedy addressed the need for kindness and charity to be spread throughout the country.

"If you want to make a difference, if you want to be a better person, you must have character. Because without character, you have nothing," said Senator Kennedy.

He went on to say that while his family has faced many challenges, including the assassination of his brother John F. Kennedy in 1963, the family has continued to be a force for good.

"We believe that the Kennedy legacy is one of leadership and sacrifice," said Senator Kennedy.

Kennedy also spoke about the importance of education and the need for all Americans to have access to high-quality education.

"We must continue to support our public schools and universities," said Senator Kennedy. "We must ensure that every American has the opportunity to receive a quality education."
In homage to western ranch hands, 90s grunge and lumberjack attire, plaid prints are experiencing a resurgence in popularity for both men and women. This classic American print is being used on everything from handbags to button down shirts, as dresses, pants and jackets. Designers like Dole & Gabbana, Ralph Lauren and Timberland, have incorporated plaid patterns to their fall lines along with chain stores like American Eagle and Express. Shopping, has become so easy that one does not step at plaid, fringed boots are also slated to be big this fall. Steve Maddun and Urban Outfitters offer a ton of boots in this trend.

The Bad Boy

Black lace is giving a new face to this season’s must have little black dress. The sheer fabric is often associated with a more feminine, or gothic aesthetic, but this fashion trend's take on lace is also very feminine and romantic, often adorned in floral patterns. From sleek knee-length dresses to mock tuck and mini skirt styles black lace definitely goes in all shapes and sizes. Ladies, be sure to match your undergarments with your outfits. The lace dress are the lace tops, leg-wear and accessories that have found their way into the fall stock of major retailers such as Bebe and H&M.

Blogs Keep Students Connected

Compiled by Aleesa Mann, Life & Style Editor

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MySpace, Facebook and Twitter opened the door for a new generation of social networking over the Internet. Now online blogging is like the MySpace, LiveJournal and Blogspot who new breed of tittle writers and networking spaces. 

"At first I wasn't sure," said Professor Rosemary Grant, a stylist and fashion expert, "I thought it just another way for people to write and get out. But because I'm a writing blogger is a good opportunity to not only jot, but go out opinion and writing out there and show people how fashion and personal experience can help people."

Alternatively influential, the personal writer may add a new twist on the MySpace or LiveJournal. Sharing thoughts or expressing points of view on cultural, social or political topics.

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