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Middle East problems may hurt colleges

Courtesy of College Press Service

The face-off with Iraq in the Middle East may hurt colleges in the United States in a very vulnerable place: their finances.

Higher energy prices and the nationwide recession they might bring would increase most campuses' costs, rob them of much-needed state and federal money and potentially drive up tuition even more rapidly, some observers say.

In 1973 and 1979, when previous "oil shocks" rocked the U.S., government funding of education nosedived while schools' expenses skyrocketed.

As a result, strapped colleges began deferring maintenance on their buildings. Faculty members' raises became so meager that many teachers left the profession and, in the late seventies and early eighties, tuition rose by more than 10 percent a year.

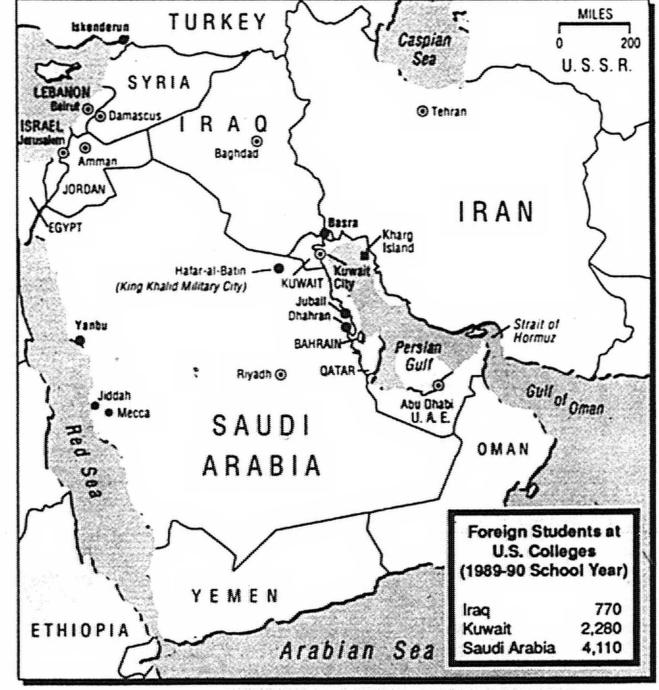
Now, years later, many colleges are just beginning to emerge from the financial rubble of that period.

"Now, on top of everything else," said Harvey Kaiser, a vice president at Syracuse University, "we have this unanticipated development."

The problem is oil prices, various campus business officers say.

Since Aug. 2, when Iraqui ruler Saddam Hussein invaded the oil-rich emirate of Kuwait and gained control of more than 20 percent of the world's proven reserves of oil, prices shot up

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SOURCE: Institute of International Education

from about \$20 a barrel to somewhere around \$25 a barrel.

If the crisis worsens dramatically -through, for instance, the bombing of Saudi Arabian oilfields -- world oil prices could jump to well above \$50 a barrel, economists fear.

Many experts predict prices will stay in the \$22° to \$28 range over the next few months, assuming that other nations produce more oil to make up for the Iraqui and Kuwaiti oil not making it to market.

Higher oil prices have a drastic, farreaching effect ton the rest of the economy. For instance, farmers have to pay more for fertilizer, agricultural chemicals, fuel and power for their irrigation wells. Transportation, such as airlines and truckers, will be hurt.

Since it costs more to produce and transport farm goods, higher food prices can soon follow. All things that contain plastic, which is made from petrochemicals, also rise in price.

Colleges spend an average of less than 1 percent of their budgets on fuel and heating oil, said Research Associates of Washington, which tracks campus spending.

"At some institutions," Kent Halstead of Research Associates said, "it may be more serious, but on average, it's not going to have much of an effect because it's such a small share."

More colleges will feel the brunt of the crisis in other ways.

"Indirectly," he admitted, "it'll have a serious effect on everybody."

"Goods that colleges and universities buy will be affected immediately," Halstead added. "Some of that, especially in the private sector, will be passed on to dents."

"The first thing that has to be covered are higher energy costs," said William Burford, chair of the economics department at the University of

ElderLearning registration

Courtesy of Public Relations

Registration for the CNC Elder-Learning Society's fall semester is underway, with classes beginning Sept. 10.

The ElderLearning Society is a membership organization dedicated to people of retirement age who seek opportunities for learning in an environment of sharing and fellowship.

The society is managed for and by its members.

Through a variety of activities, including lectures, courses and field trips, persons of diverse backgrounds come together to share a common interest in learning.

Admission to CNC is not required and no previous educational requirements exist. All retirement-age people are welcome if they are interested in being challenged by new ideas.

The cost of the program is \$50, which may be waived for economic reasons. For more information, or to register, call the ElderLearning Society at 594-7568.

The service road behind Ratcliffe Gym, Gosnold Hall, and the New Science Building will be open on Monday, Wednesday and Friday to allow parking on the south side of the Service road. This is a temporary parking change until the new parking lot opens in mid-October. This is for daylight hours only: 7am to 4pm.

OPINIONS

Crisis on the homefront, too

By Jamie Dement Contributing Writer

In our area of Hampton Roads, it is hard NOT to be affected by the crisis in the Persian Gulf.

If you or your loved ones aren't military-oriented, then it's on TV. If you are not watching TV, then you are paying the high price of gasoline.

Either way, no one can escape the trouble Iraq is causing us here.

I never really thought much about the situation and its impact on the United States until one day I woke to the early morning ring of the telephone.

I thought it was a normal recall for my husband and he'd be home that night. The day passed, no phone call, no information, not one word.

I watched the news continuously wondering if my husband was on his way over there. Finally, I decided to take a chance and call his work number.

I thanked God when I heard his voice on the phone! He wasn't allowed to say much. But what I did get out of him was that they were in the pre-deployment stage and he didn't know when he was coming home.

Eight days! Eight days I waited anxiously. Finally, he was allowed to come home for a few hours. And, as things began to quiet down, he was allowed to come home for the night after 16 to 18 hours of work.

Things are beginning to quiet down even further for my husband and his company. But I'm one of the lucky ones.

These are those out there who are still going through all this. Sons, daughters, brothers, sisters, mothers, and fathers all are waiting for the word that it's time to go.

But what about those left behind? Loved ones and friends are left in the dark -- not knowing what is going on.

We send letters and packages; but mail is slow and limited to 12 ounces. There is only one sure way to keep abreast of the situation, and that is the media.

Yellow ribbons, bows, and flags tied to just about anything show signs of support for our soldiers, and hopes that they will return soon.

It's not another Viet Nam, as some may think. And as one American veteran said, "Let us welcome them home with a ticker tape parade."

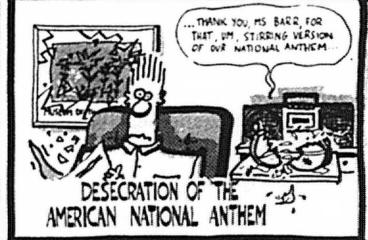


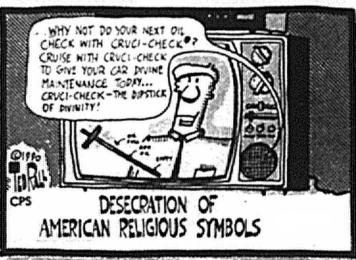
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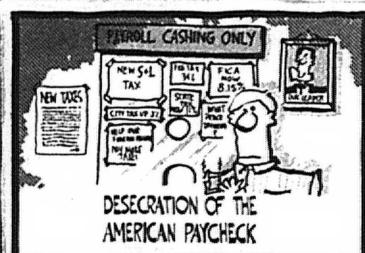
"Hey! My initials from last year are still here!"



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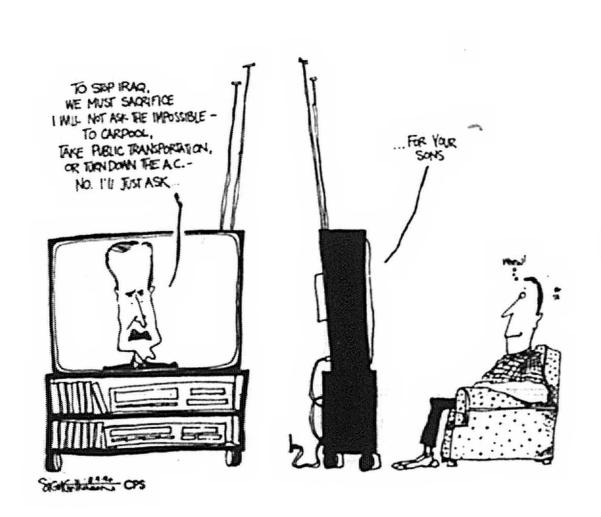
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Locals can join CNC orchestra

Courtesy of Public Relations

CNC is looking for a few good men and women - to make music.

CNC is expanding its chamber orchestra and is offering local musicians an opportunity to join students in the orchestra.

"This is a first for the college," said Professor Madeleine Frank, director of CNC ensemble programs.

"We've always had an outstanding orchestra but its been on a small scale. Opening the doors to the public will enable us to grow and improve like never before."

The college welcomes applicants from

virtually all music specialities but has a special need for those playing strings, wind, percussion or brass instruments.

Dr. Rita Hubbard, head of the college's Department of Arts and Communications, said, "It's a win-win situation. The orchestra gets to expand and local musicians have a place to showcase their talents at no cost to them."

Participants in the chamber orchestra will have at least two opportunities to perform before an audience.

Concerts are scheduled for Nov. 18 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Newport News and Dec. 1 in the Gaines Theatre on CNC's campus. (During the Nov. show, two guest soloists will be on hand to perform with the full orchestra.)

New music programs this fall

Courtesy of Public Relations

CNC, in order to better serve the local community, will offer three new music programs beginning this fall.

The new programs involve starting a band, expanding an ensemble program and opening the band and the chamber orchestra to the general public.

The band is something the college has never had before. Prospective members are being recruited both outside and inside the campus community.

Edward R. McClellan, director of the Warwick High School band, will lead the college's program.

The expansion of the ensemble program will allow students to perform in duos, trios and quartets. CNC Prof. Madeleine Frank is the program director.

As part of a community outreach program, the college's chamber orchestra is opening its doors to the local community.

Area musicians playing strings, wind, percussion or brass instruments are invited to participate in the rehearsals and concert performances free of charge.

Professor Frank is coordinating the, program.

Poet conducts free reading

Courtesy of Public Relations

Award-winning poet Henry Taylor will conduct a free public reading of some of his works Sept. 19 at Christopher Newport College.

Taylor's presentation marks the beginning of the 1990-91 Dean William Parks Colloquium Series. The reading will be held at 12 noon in the John Gaines Theater, located inside the Campus Center building on the grounds of CNC.

Taylor, a professor of literature at American University, won the 1986 Pulitzer Prize for his book The Flying Change. He is noted for poems that are unobtrusively crafted, humorous and easily accessible to listeners.

Pen and ink techniques taught

The Calligraphers Guild of the Peninsula will hold its first general meeting of the year on Sunday, Sept. 16, from 2 to 4 µm at the Peninsula Fine Arts Center.

Gloria Coker, award-winning local artist, will demonstrate "Pen and Ink Techniques" suitable for use with calligraphy. This program is free and open to the public.

The Calligraphers Guild of the Peninsula is open to anyone interested in calligraphy, regardless of skill level.

For membership information, please contact Nannie Diggs at 868-7240 in the evenings.

Poetry contest open to students

National College Poetry Contest open to all college & university students desiring to have their poetry anthologized. Cash prizes will be awarded the top five poems. Deadline to enter is Oct.

31. For contest rules send a stamped envelope to: International Publications,

PO Box 44044-L, Los Ángeles, CA 90044.

$ON\ SCREEN$

Current Showings

ARACHNOPHOBIA' (PG-13)

Jeff Daniels - Playful, creepycrawly horror-comedy about a vampiric spider. (Good)

DAYS OF THUNDER (PG)

Tom Cruise - Stock car racing action drama with dreary screenplay runs out of gas. (Fair)

DICK TRACY (PG)

Warren Beatty - Ultrastylish, funny screen version of comic strip crime buster. (Great)

THE FRESHMAN (PG)

Marlon Brando - Brando delightfully sends up his "Godfather" character in this comic gem. (Good) GHOST (PG-13)

Patrick Swayze - Engaging comedy-mystery of murdered banker who returns as a revenge-ful spirit. (Great)

NAVY SEALS (R)

Charlie Sheen - Elite commandos engage Middle-East terrorists; unremarkable action-adventure. (Fair)

PRESUMED INNOCENT (R)

Harrison Ford - Crackerjack whodunit about a prosecutor on trial for murdering his colleague. (Great)

PROBLEM CHILD (PG)

Michael Oliver - Silly clap-trap about misbehaving tyke; sledgehammer humor does not deliver. (Boring)

New Releases

AIR AMERICA (R)

Mel Gibson and Robert Downey Jr. yuk it up as maverick pilots working for the secret CIA airline that operated in Southeast Asia during the Vietnam War. But this buddy comedy seems out of place dealing with such a serious subject. A few stunts are notable. Yet most gags never get airborne. Nancy Travis and Ken Jenkins are in supporting roles.

FAIR COMEDY DIR-Roger Spottiswoode LEAD-Mel Gibson RT-112 mins. (Profanity)

FLATLINERS (R)

Five medical students explore the fringes of death: they clinically die and then are revived to tell about their experiences. This stylish and original horror film offers some bizarre entertainment. But the payoff - the visions of afterlife - is a letdown. Inane dialogue and some cliches conclude the film in typical Hollywood fashion. Kiefer Sutherland stars as a student Dr. Frankenstein. Julia Roberts, Kevin Bacon and William Baldwin play his partners.

FAIR HORROR DIR-Joel Schumacher LEAD-Kiefer Sutherland RT-111 mins. (Profanity)

METROPOLITAN (PG-13)

A smart, inspired comedy of manners that offers a keen, penetrating look at wealthy, pampered young Americans. Set during the Christmas debutante season, the film observes some Manhattan preppies as they congregate at a Park Avenue apartment. Although the low-budget feature mainly consists of characters sitting and talking, the story works its charm. The youngsters are well aware of their sheltered existence and their potential for failure. Carolyn Farina and Edward Clements are in the ensemble cast.

GOOD COMEDY DIR-Whit Stillman LEAD-Carolyn Farina RT-98 mins. (Mild profanity)

MO' BETTER BLUES (R)

Director-writer Spike Lee presents a drab tale of a young man with a horn and women problems. Denzel Washington is fine as the self-absorbed trumpeter who regards romance as a hindrance to his music. But Spike seems to be kowtowing here to Hollywood conventions and his daring originality is on hold. Dialogue is mostly annoying. Even the few jazz numbers are disappointing. Also with Cynda Williams and Joie Lee.

FAIR DRAMA DIR-Spike Lee LEAD-Denzel Washington RT-127 mins. (Profanity, brief nudity)

THE TWO JAKES (R)

This follow-up to 1974's "Chinatown" features Jack Nicholson again as the dauntless private eye investigating a murder, this time in Los Angeles of the late '40s. The film is thick with period atmosphere and the top cast handles the parts with skill. But, alas, the complicated plot winds up in numerous exhausting dead ends. The tension and wry humor of Roman Polanski's original are sadly missing here. Harvey Keitel, Meg Tilly and Eli Wallach co-star.

FAIR MYSTERY-DRAMA DIR-Jack Nicholson LEAD-Jack Nicholson RT-138

mins. (Profanity, brief nudity)

Honors Scholars announced

Courtesy of **Public Relations**

Christopher Newport College announces the Honor Scholars for the fall semester. The Honors Program designed for students with exceptional ability recognizes two categories of honors students: honors scholars who are full-time students drawn from the freshman, sophomore, junior and senior classes, and CNC scholars who are mature full- or part-time students entering their last three semesters.

The following will receive The Karl E. and Elizabeth H. Beamer Scholars

Delta Omicron gets

Courtesy of Sigma Tau Gamma

Delta Omicron Chapter of Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity at CNC has received the highest honor a collegiate chapter can attain.

Arecipient of the Edward H. McCune Distinguished Chapter Award at the 34th Grand Chapter meeting in Dallas, Tx. Aug. 9 - 11, placed them among the best in Sigma Tau Gamma.

Award: (Newport News) Julia Harrison, Victoria Massey; (Poquoson) Arthur Heezen.

The Beamer Scholars Award is full tuition to students who have demonstrated "excellence in and commitment to" the study of science and mathemat-

A \$250 award for the fall 1990 semester is awarded to: (Grafton) Kim Olsavicky, Michael Tygart, Paul Craig; (Poquoson) Chris Duncan; (Carrolton) Laurie Jenkins; (Hayes) Anna Millen, Carla Steever, Amy Dugas; (Bena) Sara

Snowden, Charles Stewart; (Hampton) Sherri Jones, Brian Eakes, Claudia Allison, Amy Kirkpartrick, Theresa Mohn: (Yorktown) Margaret Bernhardt, Andrew Kiser, Allyson Pritchett; (Dendron) Kim David Eger; (Chesapeake) Greg Golez; (Gloucester) Laurel Bunting; (Seaford) Lisa Witten; (Newport News) Julie Blandford, G. W. Dameron, Jennifer Miller, Renee Sawin, Angela Camden, Robert Fentress, Kippy McGehee, Terry Mercer, Carolyn Gardner, Karen Burkett, Jennifer Dwyer, Brooke Gill, John Vaughan, John Gargaro, James Melvin.

highest chapter honor Reception for women 25 and up

Courtesy of Campus Ministry

United Campus Ministries will host a reception for women students aged 25 and up on Wednesday, September 12 from noon to 1:30 p.m. in Campus Center 150.

If you are a woman returning to campus and feel anxious about whether you'll make the grade, out of place with 18-year-olds, or confused about how

you'll juggle school, family, and maybe a part-time job, too, come and meet a room full of others like yourself.

You'll have a chance to make new friends, meet women faculty members, and get some tips from others who have returned to CNC successfully.

There'll be plenty to eat so mark your calendar and plan to spend your lunch hour with us on the 12th.

Brown bag lunch

Courtesy of Campus Minestry

United Campus Ministries invites hourly and classified employees to a brown bag lunch on Thursday, Sept. 13 at noon in the Banquet Room of Christopher's.

The purpose is to relax with colleagues and share common concerns and/or ideas for future gatherings. Go through the cafeteria line or bring your lunch and join us.

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In Christopher's



Colleges

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Denver. Other things, such as campus improvements, "will be the last to be considered"

"There will be unanticipated cost rises, which many colleges will have difficulty addressing because many of them are already under budget constraints," added Kaiser.

Campus officials, Kaiser said, are already under increased pressure to keep tuition stable while dealing with troubling financial trends.

For instance, many education observers think this fall may be the beginning of the great enrollment bust, which has been expected annually since 1981. In May, the National Association of College Admission Counselors found that 670 of 800 colleges it surveyed still had openings for first-year students. That's about 13 percent more schools with openings than the association found in May 1989.

From a budget point of view, of course, fewer students means fewer tuition

dollars that a school has to spend.

Worse yet, the long-expected faculty shortage may have arrived. In its annual survey of campus presidents, the American Council on Education (ACE) found that 59 percent of the 364 leaders it asked list faculty staffing as one of the three most serious problems they face

Study author Elaine El-Khawas said the shortage could have far-reaching effects. "Greater competition for qualified faculty has serious implications for the financing of higher education."

Economic troubles in some states already have robbed colleges of state money they need to operate.

On Aug. 10, for example, San Francisco State University announced it would have to cancel 250 class sections, affecting, 5,000 students, to compensate for a loss of \$4.6 million in state funds.

All 20 California State University campuses and the nine University of California campuses will suffer budget cuts under a new state plan signed in July.

Students stranded with no money

Courtesy of College Press Service

Life has gotten hard for Raed Alfulaij, a Kowaiti studying at Florida International University.

Since the Aug. 2 invasion of his homeland by Iraq, Alfulaij has gone broke. His parents, who support him, can no longer withdraw money from Kuwaiti banks to send to him.

His fellow Kuwaitis at FIU are in similar binds. Here on scholar ships from their government, they no longer have a government to send them the tuition money they need to start classes.

To make ends meet, Alfulaij says he and his friends are selling their cars, moving in together and trying to line up part-time work.

Such monetary concerns, however, pale beside the worries about family at home for many of the 2,280 Kuwaiti students who enrolled at U.S. campuses in 1989-90.

"My main concern is the Gulf," said Mohammad Boshari, a student at Marietta College in Ohio. "I would like this Saddam Hussein to go out. My family and my people are in Kuwait."

About 1,200 of the Kuwaitis at U.S. campuses are on government-sponsored scholarships, reported Bill Carroll of the National Association for Foreign Student Affairs, based in Washington, D.C.

But since the government was ousted by Iraq's invasion, the students are stranded with no money.

And because of the freeze ordered on Kuwaiti assets, Kuwaiti students cannot draw money or credit on any account based in Kuwait.

As a stopgap measure, Carroll said, the Kuwaiti embassy is trying to convince the U.S. government to unfreeze those assets earmarked for study in the U.S.

"It's a problem we hope will be solved soon," Carroll said.

The freeze on assets also affects the 770 Iraqui students studying here, Carroll said, although the "Iraqui embassy hasn't been as specific" in detailing how many of them might need financial help.

At Marietta College, Petroleum Department Chairman Bob Chase said he is trying to convince the school to temporarily waive tuition for the school's 12 Kuwaitis.

For the students, the potential financial problems make a horrible situation even harder to bear.

"It's had a great effect on my schooling," Alfulaij said, who added the invasion, which took place during his final exams, made studying seem unimportant. Consumed by following the news, he took incompletes in his classes.

Marietta student Boshari hopes the financial burden will be lifted easily when, and if, the Iraquis are expelled from Kuwait. "After the problem is solved in the Gulf, the school will take the money from our treasury," he said.

Cheaper travel for students

Courtesy of TWA

Students who need to travel during the upcoming school year will find the trip less expensive when they join TWA's student discount program.

The TWA Getaway Student Discount Card can be purchased for \$15 for a one year membership and \$25 for two years. This card entitles students to a 10 percent discount off any published fare, including TWA's deeply discounted domestic and international economy fares.

Those interested in joining the program must be a full time high school or

college student between the ages of 16 and 26.

In addition, students who enroll automatically will be members in TWA's Frequent Flight Bonus Program and have 3,000 miles awarded to them if they fly TWA within 90 days of joining.

Students interested in enrolling should visit a travel agent or write to TWA Getaway Student Discount Program, P.O. Box 6000, Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462.

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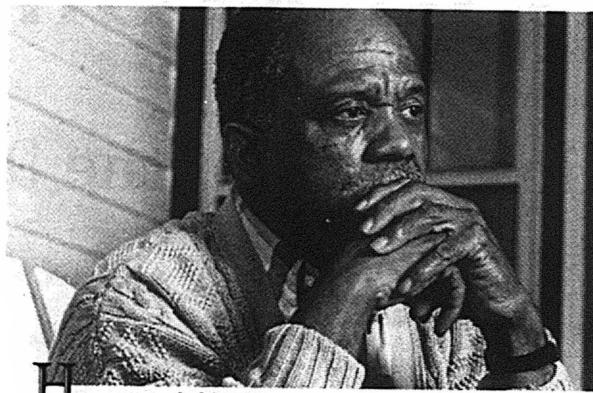
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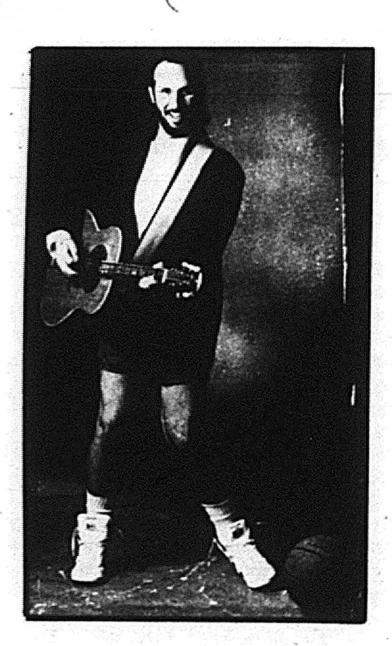
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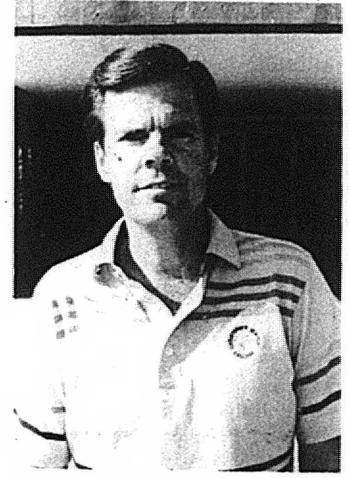
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Chris Frazier Christopher Newport College, VA

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Captain's Profile

C.J. Woollum

Age: 42

Hometown: Alexandria, Va.

Favorite Teams: Redskins and Lakers (both to the point of obsession).

Duties: Athletic Director, Christopher Newport College; Head Coach Men's Basketball and Golf.

Number of Years of Service: Entering 7th year.

Favorite Sports: Basketball and golf.

Total Basketball Record: 99 wins and 72 losses.

CNC's Wayne Block He's no blockhead

Courtesy of Public Relations

Wayne Block, sports information director at Christopher Newport College, earned three Citations of Excellence from the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) for his 1989-90 athletic publications.

Block's 1989-90 Track and Field Brochure was judged "Best in the Nation" in Division C from 11 entries in the Track and Field Brochure Category.

In addition, Block's 1989 soccer media guide was judged "Third in the Nation" in Division C from among 33 entries in the Soccer Brochure category. "It's always an honor to have your work praised by your peers, but these awards are only possible because of the wonderful support I have from the administration at CNC," stated Block.

Sports Kick-Off



Redskins: Team of the 90s?

N.F.L. Preview

In January of 1990, the San Francisco 49ers walloped the hapless Denver Broncos in the Superbowl. With that win, the 49ers solidified their place in gridiron history as the official team of the 80's. Now we engage the next decade and prognosticate the winners and losers of the 1990-1991 season.

The N.F.C.

The N.F.C. has won six of the past seven Superbowls, and going into the 90's appear to have the stronger teams in the league. N.F.C. teams have the more capable running games and the more menacing defenses. Of the teams in the N.F.C., San Francisco, New York, Washington, and the L.A. Rams have the best chance of an early claim on a new dynasty. Now for a look at the West...

The N.F.C. West

San Francisco...

The 49ers have a very legitimate chance of repeating as Superbowl Champions. Joe Montana is perhaps the best quarterback to ever play the game. If you don't believe me, you must have been out of the country for the past decade. Montana probably will be around for at least another five years unless he succumbs to a career ending injury. The receiving tandem of Jerry Rice and John Taylor has been bolstered in the off-season with the addition of Mike Sherrard, formerly of the Cowboys. These three wide-outs will simply make life miserable for secondaries and the worst part is that they are all relatively young still. The only apparent weak link in the 49ers armor is the fact that they may become complacent after previous Superbowl success. Last year their motivation was to win without Bill Walsh, the former coach. What will drive them this year? Also, the 49ers don't exactly have an outstanding defense or offensive line. Look for San Francisco to win another championship in the 90's, perhaps this season and then expect a steady decline.

L.A. Rams...

The Rams Must overcome the dynasty of the 49ers to reach the title fight. Last season, the Rams played well against their old nemesis and even beat them once in San Francisco. The only area the Rams may need improvement in is the area of confidence. After being shellacked in the N.F.C. title game last season, the Rams have grown accustomed to the annual result of finishing only second best. This year may be the turning point however, as the Rams sport a stingy defense and revitalized running game with Gaston Green as the new "hood ornament." Jim Everett has great receivers in Flipper Anderson and Henry Ellard and Everett is not afraid to throw to them either. One setback in the pre-season for the Rams is the devastating injury count. The Rams are without 15 of their starters either through injury or hold-outs. If the Rams can overcome this early disappointment and gain a measure of confidence against the 49ers...look out.

Atlanta Fálcons...

This could be the sleeper pick of the season. New coach Jerry Glanville (of tickets for Elvis fame) has a young and aggressive team to build from the ground up. Chris Miller, Andre Rison, Michael Haynes, and Shawn Collins make up the nucleus of what may be the 90's formidable passing machine. The Falcons will don new black uniforms this year and don't be surprised if they take a game or two from the 49ers and Rams during the season. The main stumbling block for the Falcons appears to be their lack of depth and experience as well as their flaky coach.

New Orleans Saints...

The Saints are slipping and are my pick to surprise everyone by falling apart this year and becoming the dismal Saints (or 'aints) of the past. The Saints need a quarterback with the tools required for the professional level and the status quo won't get the job done. If the Saints don't finish last in their division, I'll eat my 49ers hat.

N.F.C. Central

Minnesota Vikings...

The Vikings are due...aren't they? On paper, the Vikings appear to have the most talented team in football. The problem with Minnesota over the past two seasons has been their much publicized racial disharmony and inability to win the "big games." They appear to have addressed the racial issue during the off-season by requiring the players, coaches, and management to trilaterally engage in a survival camp which is supposed to bring about togetherness and team work. If the above tactic proves successful, Minnesota may once again be on top of the division but probably not much further. One other comment...Herschel Walker is overrated.

Chicago Bears...

The Bears were man-handled last season for a good reason...they've lost key personnel to injury, age, retirement, and burnout. Remember the Bears of the 1986 Superbowl? They were fun to watch...the "Fridge" etc. captured our imaginations and attention with an awesome defense. Yet these are not the same Bears without Jim McMahon, their former juggernaut quarterback. Ironically, McMahon isn't the same quarterback without the Bears. Look for the Bears to improve on their 6-10 record of last season, but not my much.

Detroit Lions...

This is a team on the rise. The Lions have floundered in mediocrity year after year. When is the last time you remember them having a winning season? Don't worry...I can't remember either. But the Lions are growing stronger through the draft. Barry Sanders, Michael Cofer, and Rodney Peete make up the nucleus of this team, which should challenge the Vikings for the top spot in the division.

Nineties

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Green Bay Packers...

I refuse to jump on the Packer band wagon as many others have done after their successful campaign last season. This is a team with talent on both sides of the ball. However, I look for a collapse from the "Pack" this year because of their problem at the quarterback position. Don Majkowski, last year's "wunderkind" is holding out and isn't a proven starter anyway. If the "Majik Man" returns before the season opener, he will most likely be relegated to bench duty behind Anthony Dilwig. No heroics this season for the pack...they'll finish fourth in their division.

Tampa Bay Buccaneers...

I once watched the Buccaneers play the Eagles in Tampa. The only interesting thing that happened occurred when a drunk Bucs fan rolled down 42 steps from the top of the stadium after losing his footing (and his beer). Unfortunately for Buccaneer fans, it seems unlikely that their home team will begin the season with as lengthy a roll. Vinny Testeverde is not a great quarterback and never will be. His coaches have questioned his intestinal fortitude and most coaches in the N.F.L. regard his talents as grossly overrated. This team has talent, but will not win the big games until they dump Testeverde and coach Ray Perkins.

N.F.C. East

Washington Redskins...

No kidding...I really think the "Skins have a chance to become the team of the 90's. What was once labeled as the "Over the Hill Gang" is going through a major youth transformation. Look for the Redskins to start numerous first and second year players on both sides of the ball. The Redskins defense is still suspect and will probably determine the team's fate week to week. The offense is solid and probably the best in the league this season. Mark Rypien has the necessary tools to unseat Joe Montana as the next great quarterback. Can they make the Superbowl this season? The road leads through New York and then eventually San Francisco...

Philadelphia Eagles...

The Eagles are good enough on any given week to beat any team in the division. They are also bad enough to lose to every team in the division except for the lowly Cowboys. Randall Cunningham is still a very dangerous double threat as both a runner and a passer. But Cunningham must be less erratic to lead his team to the Superbowl. Last season was not one to remember for the Eagles offense, and they look to improve by passing more. The Eagles' defensive front four are the est in the game, but they have to be with weaknesses in the secondary and linebacking corps. The Eagles could reach the Superbowl this year...or they could collapse in this very competitive division. Look for a third place finish...

New York Giants...

This might be a shock to some of you hard-core Giants fans (Dr. Weber), but the ghost of Jimmy Hoffa will be seen in the Giants end zone more often this season than the Giants... Seriously folks, the Giants need a new quarterback to replace the aging Phil Simms. Also, the defense, once the best in the league is slow and old. No longer do the Giants dominate games defensively. Rodney Hampton, a draft pick this campaign, will add something to the plodding offense, but the Giants are in their swan song. They'll finish second and then fade in years to come.

Phoenix Cardinals...

The Cards are also aging at positions and need a quarterback badly. New coach Joe Bugel will motivate this team to play over its skill level. Tim Rosenbach will probably lead the Cards at Q.B. with number one pick Anthony Thompson by his side at full back. The Cards may scare a few teams this year, but will finish fourth.

Dallas Cowboys...

It's still hard to believe this team has fallen so far so fast. Actually, the Cowboys are a study in poor drafting over the years. Coach Jimmy Johnson will see improvement in his troops (as in Girl Scout Troops) as compared to last year, but don't expect a miracle turnaround. This team is very young and needs a few more Texas "lickins" before they can hope to be competitive. Look for the Cowboys to regain some promise in 1994.

Next week we continue our preview with a look at the A.F.C.

Faculty Superbowl Picks

C. J. Woollum(Athletic Director)49ers over Denver
Dr. Anderson (Business) Eagles over Miami
Prof. Colonna (Economics)Falcons over Miami
Dr. Pendergrass (Business)Lions over Raiders
Prof. Fontaine (Business)Eagles over Houston
Dr. Hurst (Business)Eagles over Denver
Dr. Cones (Biology)Redskins over Denver
Prof. Serio (Accounting)49ers over Raiders
Dr. Santoro (College President)Rams over Steelers
Dr. Weber (Math)Giants over Jets

Special recognition for the individual closest to the actual outcome at the end of the season.

SPORTS SHORTS

CNC best record

Last season was the most successful in CNC athletic history as every team in every sport posted a winning record except one, the Volleyball team which advanced to the conference semifinals.

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combined athletic records from all team sports.

Tennis anyone?

Anyone interested in playing on the women's tennis team this fall please contact Coach Accettola at 594-7352, or notify the Athletic Office at 594-7025.



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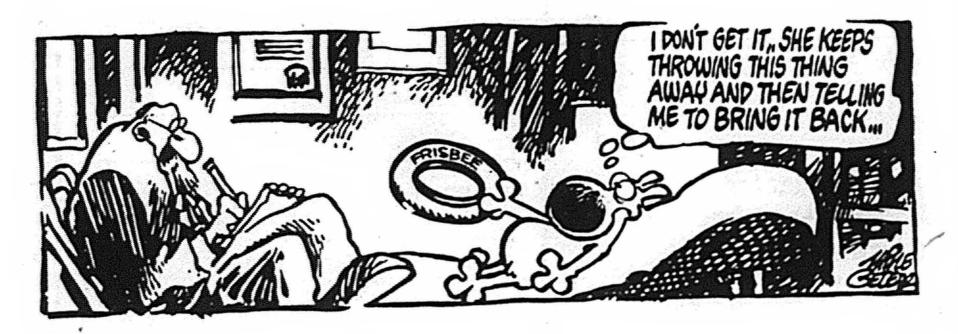
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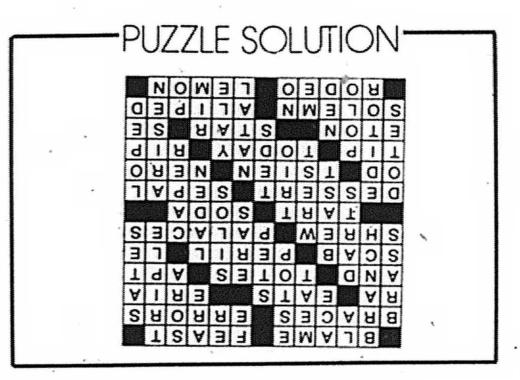


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IN THE BLEACHERS by Steve Moore



Darryl and Carl try out the new ."stealth" football.



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Announcements

To all our returning Brothers, Welcome back and good luck! Alpha Kappa Psi.

Clubs

Business and Accounting Majors: Pledge Alpha Kappa Psi, the Nation's oldest Professional Business Fraternity.

Housing

Alpine Lodge. Completely and attractively furnished dorm-house limited to and designed for female college students. One mile from CNC. Semi-private rooms now available. \$150 per month semiprivate room (per person), \$200 -220 for private rooms (plus \$60 maintenance fee). Washer, dryer, color TV with cable, completely equipped kitchen with microwave. major housecleaning provided. Non-smokers only. No pets. Contact Ron Mollick, Biology Dept. (594-7123) or Beth Mollick (599-2702); evenings and weekends call 595-5074. Owners do not live on / premises.

Job Offers

Wanted: Someone to work two of my four days a week at the Mercury EconoLodge from 3 pm - 11 pm weekday evenings. Must be able to deal with the public. Call George Tatum at 594-0203.

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Business Majors: Pledge with a leader, ALPHA KAPPA PSI. When we talk, we mean business.

Wanted: The CNC Computer Center needs student consultants. If you are interested, and have a background in Pascal with data structures, (CS 230-231, 310 & 320), and/or have a knowledge of Framework (CS 210), then please fill out a student employment application at the Office of Career Planning and Placement in the Campus Center. Then stop by the Computer Center office and fill out an information sheet. We look forward to working with you.

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Music

Guitarist looking for other musicians to jam with and possibly to form a band. Dead heads preferred but definitely not essential. Improvisational skills a must. Call Chris Howard at 873-2485.

Person to Person

Sorry Dawn, you can't have anymore cigarrettes... unless you askme nice, then, what the hell.

Hookn up:

Have you caught any fish lately? Here's a tape-a-quarter just for you because you were so deprived in the past. From the person who loves to pick on you the most.

To everyone in my orientation groups: It was great having you in my group. I hope your classes are going great. Good luck and hope to see you around the campus. Your SOL and friend, Penni.

Congratulations Karen on your honors scholarship. Come by and see me sometime. Tom.

To all you people in my orientation group. This semester is going to be truly festive! If you need anything, just holler. In the meantime drop by the info desk and see me sometime.

Your dedicated SOL- Madeleine

The Captain's Log staff meeting, Thursday, Sept. 13 at 4 pm in CC 223. All those interested in writing are welcome.

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