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Boone Campus panel discusses Persian Gulf War

by KAROL HICKS
Editor-In-Chief

As our studies and conversations focus on the war in the Persian Gulf, it is important to consider the sociological implications and the impact it has on our lives. The question was asked as to whether this is another Vietnam War, and the panelists, who are from diverse backgrounds, offered their perspectives.

An informational presentation and discussion on the war in the Persian Gulf was held in the Boone Campus Auditorium on Jan. 25. The presenters were, from left: Gary Stasko, economics instructor; Bruce Kelly, history; Jim Bittner, composition, and Lee McNair, sociology and anthropology. All students, faculty and staff were welcomed to ask questions and offer their views.

Stasko told the audience that the cost of the war, to Americans, could range from $17 billion (for a 30 day war) to $26 billion (for a 6-8 month battle). Most of these dollars would be spent on: Labor, Fuel, at $10 million per day, E-15’s, at $50 million each, Tomahawk cruise missiles which cost $1 million apiece.

Who will pay these huge costs? Stasko mentioned that a tax surcharge is a possibility. Nothing was official as of Jan. 25, but he assured those in the audience that the war is expensive, and the longer it endure, the more affect it will have on the economy. Some economic issues of immediacy are: Shipping costs into the area are prohibitive because of huge insurance costs. TWA and Pan American have warned the audience of the danger of suspensions, coupled with the current fear of flying abroad has forced TWA to lay off 2,000 flight attendants.

Oil prices, although a decrease from $26.00/barrel on Jan. 16 (the day the war was declared) to $22.05/barrel on Jan. 23 was experienced, will likely increase as the war wages on.

Raytheon Corporation, the manufacturer of the "Patriot Missile" has seen a jump in their stock value from $68.75/share to $76.00/share in the last few weeks.

Stasko warned of many changes coming with the donation of war funds. He then introduced the third speaker of the morning, Lee McNair, sociology instructor.

McNair approached the subject of the war on a sociological level. He warned the audience of the danger of stereotyping the parties involved. He mentioned that people in our society tend to emphasize the individual, in this case Saddam Hussein, but the situation is "much broader than just Saddam Hussein. Be careful about oversimplifying," he added. McNair also voiced some doubts which many people have as to whether this is another Vietnam War. "Vietnam," he said, "was a guerrilla war, the terrain was jungle, and it was stalemated." He remarked that if we invade Iraq on the ground, this may become a guerrilla war and there is always the danger of a stalemate. But if the war is not a jungle, the enemy is more visible, he added.

"We must not stereotype if we wish to understand what's going on, but they also limit our points of view," McNair said. Bittner also told the audience that he doesn't really have time to read about, or watch the war on television. He told the group that his method of staying informed was the radio, listening to local, national, Canadian, and BBC reports, on WOI-AM, not of Ames.

Bittner: "We have elections every four years, but over there, they have assassinations.

Bittner recapped the discussions preceding his and opened the floor to questions, statements, and any comments or doubts the audience wished to express.

When the panel was asked how the costs of the war compared with the federal deficit, Stasko gave the following figures: $150 billion is the federal deficit, compared to $80 billion if the war lasts for 6-8 months.

Another person asked about our allies, and whether any of them are willing to help us in this war effort. Stasko replied that both Japan and Germany have pledged $4-5 billion, and following the outbreak of the war, Japan pledged an additional $9 billion.

The question was asked as to whether war was good for the economy, as is often said. Answer: "It usually is, yes, but currently we are drawing on the supplies we have stockpiled, so the growth is not substantial, yet."
In My Opinion

DMACC students have questions about war with Iraq

by SANDY ROBERTS
Staff Writer

As American Troops continue to fight in the Persian Gulf, Americans here are filled with thoughts and prayers about the war in the Middle East. DMACC Students were asked, “What questions still remain unanswered in your mind about the war?”

WENDY JORDISON - Why don’t we have gas masks? We need training in the event of bomb threats.

GENE NEWSOME - Why didn’t we use the CIA to pop Saddam Hussein a long time ago?

ROBIE DEPENBERG - What are American Troops going to do when our POWs are in spots where we don’t have to bomb?

JEAN VOLKMAN - Do we have to overthrow the regime of Saddam Hussein to establish peace in the Persian Gulf?

ROSE HIDEBAUGH - Why weren’t our troops kept out of Kuwait and just bomb Iraq? When do we get our troops back?

WILLIE JACKSON - Why did the U.S. sell weapons to Iraq?

DEDEE McWILLIAMS - Why did we permit Saddam Hussein to take our farm aid and turn it into weapons?

NANCY SULLIVAN - Why are we doing most of the fighting, rather than our allies?

CAROLYN DEMPER - Why doesn’t the school (DMACC) do something to support our troops; like care packages or letters? We could have a college drop box.

ROBIN SECBY - Where do we stand in releasing our POWs?

SCOTT DIRKS - What are our chances now, compared to when we got into the war?

MARILYN LINCOLN - Why do I hear people saying Iowa can be considered a target for terrorism?

JENNY BLASLAN - Where is Saddam Hussein?

CAROLYN MURRANE - How are our hostages being treated?

AMY YOUNGBLOOD - Why are the protesters saying they support the war effort when they demonstrate against it?

CINDY DUNN - What are we going to do about our POWs?

Mike Schlicht - How long will the war last? How many will get killed in the process?

AL WHITE - Why didn’t we go with sanctions against Iraq?

SHERYL ROBINSON - What has Saddam Hussein got that we don’t know about (in the way of weapons)?

ALI ELKATTAN - Will this become a world-wide conflict? What does the U.S. propose to do with the entire region in the Middle East?

KEVIN LAWRENCE - When the war is over, what is the aftermath going to be?

Laurie Runyan - How do you protest a war, yet support the soldiers?

HEATHER DARLING - Will my friends over in Saudi Arabia get to come home? No Blood for Oil!

JAMES BITTNER - Will the U.S. respect the wishes of the Arab people?

JESSIE SEEMAN - How long is this war going to go on?

TERRY FISHER - If you had a relative who was a soldier in the U.S., could you protest?

Students feelings on Middle-east crisis

by WADE GODWIN
Staff Writer

Linda Herrick - Nuke 'em.
Ronnie Polkoff - Hope there is no draft.
Jamie Brant - Supportive to our troops.
Steve Clark - Get it over with fast.
Pat Kelley - Be supportive to Israel, in everything they do.
Karín C. - Wish protesters would quit.

Carmen Mead - Kick some butt. Ginger Woodley - Don't spill very much blood.
Cindy Schuttler - Send people back safe.
Jim Groves - Hope Israel doesn't strike back.
Suzy M. - I'm glad I'm not there anymore.
Jeff Bergman - I'm supportive to the end.
Jim Hoyle - God will intervene and stop it.

Jodi Scharingson - Nuke 'em. Theresa Miller - War sucks, but if we've got to do it, I want the soldiers to be the ones behind them 100 percent. And protesters, you make me sick.
Joel Irvine - I think we should be there now and take care of it before it gets out of hand. It's not only for the U.S., but for the entire world.
Jodi Ziebarth - I think we should be there because of the importance of the area.

What would you like for Valentine's Day?

by SONIA FAABORG
Staff Writer

Several Boone Campus students and instructors were recently asked, “What would you like to receive from your sweetheart for Valentine's Day?”

Here are their responses:

Vicki Rice: Him to cook supper and clean up the mess.
Mariela King: A phone call from her husband telling her her sister is coming home from the war.
Jim Groves: A night alone (without any kids) in a fancy hotel or a dozen roses.

Nancy Sullivan: Sweatshirt from his college.
Donna McGurket: A romantic night out.
Lori Weyer: A night out.
Red Dobson: A really hot romantic evening.
Bill Alley: 6-pack.
Amy Youtubby: Flowers.
Jenny Price: Card and flowers...peace in the Mid-East.
Janelle Egge: Love.
Cindy Stout: Time alone with her.

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Here's a review of the raises received by DMACC employees

by BODI OLENA
Staff Writer

DMACC faculty, administrative, professional, and support staff all received healthy raises for this school year as result of action taken at the Aug. 29, 1990 DMACC board of directors meeting.

This increase puts to 22, the number of contracted staff now earning over $30,000 at Boone Campus. (Those salaries are listed at the end of the story.)

The faculty received a 10.5% overall package, of which 9% was salary, and 1.5% was insurance. The state legislature "car-marked" 4% (once only) for teachers.

The support staff received a 10% overall package, of which 7% was salary. Gene Bolti, Manager of the Human Resources Department, Ankeny Campus, commented that negotiations went on between the Board and the unions. "It took a long time and it was a slow process by the legal staff; it was a pattern of settlements. But it went real well," he said.

Executive Boone Campus Dean, Kris Phillips, stated that he thinks that in order to keep the people, they need to be paid a decent salary. "Jobs need to be posted to get lots of applications," he added.

At the August board meeting, both ESA (Educational Services Association) and HEA (Higher Educational Association) Collective Bargaining Agreements were ratified.

The HEA is a local union made up of teachers. The ESA is also a local union made up of most secretaries, the food staff, and the physical plant. They are subdivisions of the ISEA, which consists of all the teachers in the state.

Salary increases for faculty, administrative/professional, and support staff were reflected in the Sept. 7, 1990 paycheck.

The retroactive pay (retroactive date was Aug. 27, 1990) for eligible administrative/professional, and support staff were also included in the Sept. 7, 1990 pay.

Here is a listing of contracted employees' salaries at Boone Campus:

CONTRACTED STAFF-BOONE CAMPUS

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Bears start semester with hard-fought loss

by CURT BLASKEY and BRIAN VERHEIST
Staff Writers

Coach Larry Hughes and the Men's basketball team have had a bit of hard luck this season, and they are still unable to find the winning edge. "Jobs need to be posted to get lots of applications," he added.

On January 21st, the Bears opened the 1991 portion of the season with a hard fought loss to Iowa Lakes 113-93. Despite the loss, DMACC had four players in double figures. At Scaglione was the leading scorer with 35 points, Terrance Paige had 17 points, Reggie Martin finished with 18 points, and J.B. Slight chipped in 12 points. The Bears were outscored by a margin of 47-23. Leading rebounder for the Bears was Slight with seven, and Paige pulled down four.

We asked two players their opinions on what the team needs to do to capture the winning edge. Reggie Martin, one of the starting guards, said, "We are starting to play better as a team, and the fundamentals are improving as a whole." Forward Troy Sielaff also added, "That the team is more organized than the first part of the season, and we have to play harder every game in order to win."

Both of these players and the rest of the team would like to see as many fans in attendance as possible. They said it brings out the excitement of the game. The next home game will be February 6th, when the Bears take on the Central College J.V. in the DMACC gym.

Open Gym Hours

Open hours at the Boone Campus gym are Tuesday and Thursday, 5:30-9 p.m., and Sunday, 5-8 p.m.

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GULF WAR
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Questions were thrown at the panel of four as quickly as they could field them. Students and faculty came and went as their schedules allowed, and the statements got quite lively, at times. The discussion, which lasted a bit more than the planned two hours, was open and informative to some, scary and even funny to others. Said one student, upon leaving early enough to get to his next class, remarked, "I just hope this all ends soon. I'm in support of our troops over there, but I don't want to be one of them."

All of us on The Bear Facts staff hope that it ends soon, too, we don't want to see you go, either.

Mel Holthus receives award
On Jan. 28, it was announced that Mel Holthus was honored by the Boone Area Chamber of Commerce. Executive Dean, Kriss Philips said:

Last week Mel Holthus was chosen to receive one of the President's Choice awards by Steve Kent, the retiring president of the Boone Area Chamber of Commerce. According to Mr. Kent, this award was given to key people that were actively involved in Chamber and community activities.

During this past year Mel was Education Chairman for the Boone Area Chamber of Commerce. I am very pleased that Mel received this special award.

Library News
by JAYNE SMITH Librarian

A new computer system, called MAGAZINE INDEX SELECT on InfoTrac, is currently in the library. It allows patrons in seconds to search more than three years of issues of more than 200 magazines and the most recent two months of The New York Times for articles written on a specific topic. Instead of thumbing through numerous print indexes to gather information on articles published on a specific subject over a year or so, our patrons simply sit at the computer, type in the subject they wish to search, press a button, and almost instantly they'll see a listing of articles on the subject.

In addition, the InfoTrac program will always be up-to-date because a new database with indexing of the latest issues would be delivered monthly. (The database is recorded by laser on a compact disc, which is similar to those used for audio recordings.)
English Department welcomes Martha Griffiths

by KAROL J. HICKS
Editor-In-Chief

Although Martha Griffiths is not a new instructor here on Boone Campus of DMACC, she was just recently made a full time instructor. After teaching Composition I and II for the last two years as a part time instructor, she was offered the full time job beginning this Spring semester.

Griffiths has a Master's degree in English from Iowa State University and has taught primarily in community colleges in Iowa, northern Illinois, and southwestern Michigan.

Living in Ames off and on since 1974, Griffiths and her husband Jim both teach college classes, although Jim is more interested in the marketing field. He is currently working on his Master's Degree in International Marketing at ISU.

The Griffiths' children include: son Geoff, who will graduate from Medical school in June and lives in southern California; daughters Shelly, a recent graduate from the University of Colorado who is job hunting in the Denver area, and Erin, who graduated from the University of Northern Colorado and currently works at a YMCA in Colorado as a Youth Program Director.

Martha Griffiths is teaching Composition I and II this semester, as well as English 410, which is a Business Communications course. You can find her in her new office, room #124, which she shares with Bob Taylor.

When asked who made the better English Composition student, male or female, she replied that there really was no discernible difference reading, fitness activities, travel, having three children, Griffiths is aware of the problems facing the returning adult student.

Jim Bittner, new head of the English Department, said of Griffiths: "DMACC students are fortunate to have such an excellent teacher join our staff."

"DMACC students are fortunate to have such an excellent teacher join our staff." - Jim Bittner, Head of English Department

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by LORI BLUMBERG
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Scholarship available

Two $1,250 scholarships will be awarded by the Iowa Soybean Promotion Board to one male and one female. All applicants must be Iowa residents and either themselves or their families must be involved in soybean production.

The deadline for this scholarship is February 15, 1991.

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Chicago trip March 17-19
by SCOTT SWIER
Staff Writer

The Holst Farm Management Institute, housed at Boone Campus, is sponsoring an exciting three day trip to Chicago during Spring Break. The agriculturally-oriented trip will take place from March 17-19. Chicago landmarks to be seen on the trip include the Federal Reserve Bank, Chicago Art Institute, and the Chicago Mercantile Exchange.

The cost for the trip is $98. This amount covers both bus fair and lodging. A $30 non-refundable deposit was needed by February 1 for those planning on going. Anyone with questions can contact Gary Stanko in Room 201.

So join the HFMI on this trip and experience three days in one of the world's most exciting cities!

U. of Oregon bans the Grateful Dead

EUGENE, Ore. (CPS)—The University of Oregon said it will no longer let The Grateful Dead play at its Autzen Stadium, citing "about a dozen letters" of complaint it got after the Dead played at the stadium last June.

"Right now the environment is a little hostile for this type of thing," explained UO Vice President Dan Williams, who said UO, which earned about $200,000 each of the last 10 years the band played there, worried it might appear to be condoning drug use by letting the Dead perform there.

Rec Club makes plans
by SCOTT SWIER
Staff Writer

The Boone Campus Rec Club is now in the process of planning future activities, according to Bill Alley, advisor.

Details are still being worked out.

Spring play under way
by SONJA FABORG
Staff Writer

"Meanwhile, Back on the Couch" is the name of the play to be performed by the Boone Campus Drama Dept. this spring.

The dates of the play are March 8-9.

Auditions were held Jan. 28 and Jan. 30 in the auditorium (after press time).

If acting isn’t your thing, Kay Mueller, director, also needs help with lights, set, and make-up. The cast and crew, and more information will be available in the next issue.

Hospital offers Class

Boone County Hospital announced today they will be offering a fall Stop Smoking Program beginning February 4th.

The program is group structured and consists of 12 sessions during a 7 week period. An informational meeting about the program will be held for interested participants on Monday, February 4th at 7:00 p.m. in Conference Room II at the hospital.

According to Larry Johnson and Peg King, program facilitators for the hospital, "The program has been developed by Dr. Harry Lando of Iowa State University in a cooperative effort with the American Lung Association of Iowa. The program has a proven track record and is considered to be one of the most successful programs available." A program fee of $50 is charged to help cover material costs and to further research with the program.

Additional information and registration for the program is available by calling the Health Promotions Office at Boone County Hospital, 432-3140 Ext. 470.

Evening Counselor

Ivette Bender, Boone Campus evening counselor, will be available during the spring semester on Monday evenings from 4:30 to 7:30.
Campuses start to unveil tuition hikes for fall
(CPS)—Officials at several colleges quietly announced tuition hikes during the holiday season, when campuses were virtually depopulated.

At Peninsula College in Port Angeles, Washington, President Paul Cornaby announced tuition next fall would rise by 9% for in-state students.

On Dec. 11, Seattle Pacific University announced a price hike of 7%, "which administrators forecast to be lower than the increase in the 1990 Consumer Price Index (CPI)," The CPI, however, rose by less than 5% in 1990.

A surprise mid-year tuition hike of $300, however, prompted about 20 City University of New York students to sit-in at a campus library Dec. 20.

Defying the odds, college enrollment goes up again
(CPS)—The long-anticipated college student population decline still hasn't happened, a new campus head count found.

The number of students enrolled at two- and four-year colleges actually increased in 1990, with community colleges enjoying the biggest boom, said a report by the American Council on Education (ACE).

Though the U.S. Dept. of Education will release an "official" campus census later in the year, the ACE report typically has proven very accurate.

This year's version has some observers wondering whether a downturn in the number of high school seniors, which the Department of Education education forecast will continue until 1995, will in fact cause the enrollment bust that campus officials have been fearing for years. "Perhaps we will not see a slowdown in the number of students seeking higher education," said ACE spokesman Kathy Ruser.

"If it's happening, it hasn't happened here," agreed William Goldmann, dean of educational services at Pasadena City College (PCC) in California.

ACE's survey of institutions in 14 states found 2-to-6% increase in enrollment at community colleges during the last year. Four-year campuses posted increases between 1% and 3%.

The jumps may be due to the schools' success in attracting "non-traditional" students — those older than 24 years — and retaining current students, said Ruser.

Community colleges are doing well, Goldmann added, because their tuition costs are low and they offer a wide variety of classes. The combination helped PCC increase its enrollment by at least 4% since 1989, he said.

"The response has been very positive," said Richard W. McDaniel, director of Cornell's bookstore.

"As students were moving more environmentally aware, said Hans Stechow, director of Cornell's bookstore.

The new bags come in four styles and cost $2. The plastic bags will still be available.

Cornell's is one of a growing number of campus stores trying to be more environmentally aware, said Hans Stechow, director of public affairs for the National Association of College Stores.

"I think we're seeing a trend," Stechow said.

Young Americans turning more conservative, poll says
NEW YORK, N.Y. (CPS)—A majority of Americans aged 16 to 24 favor the death penalty, random drug testing and keeping marijuana illegal, a new Gallup Poll conducted for Fuji Photo Film, U.S.A., Inc. showed.

Forty-nine percent of the 1,003 people surveyed described themselves as politically conservative, while 39% called themselves liberal. Some 51% of the respondents supported reinstating a military draft of young people.

First-year student alcohol use rises
(CPS)—Nearly all first-year college students drink heavily, and frequently "binge" on five or more drinks at one sitting at least once every other week, a new study by Harvard's School of Public Health contends.

The study of 1,669 students also found they used less marijuana, cocaine and tobacco than first-year students interviewed in a similar 1977 study.
Rotaract Club

by KAROL J. HICKS
Editor-In-Chief

Rotaract members met in the library conference room on Wednesday, January 23 to discuss coming events and activities for the new semester.

A trip to River Valley Residence is being planned for the first part of February. The group plans to visit the residence and spend an evening socializing with residents and staff.

That, although the last drive was discussed, and the consensus was to help them help others. For anyone wishing to become involved with this group, Lee McNaughton, or any member can give information on what the club is, what it does, and where you can best help them and yourself.

Current members who cannot attend scheduled meetings can still help by making refreshments for the trip to River Valley, help with the upcoming membership drive, and make the group aware of needs of the community.

Dues of $5 per school year are now being collected by treasurer, Raeleen Lewis, or you may give the money to Lee McNaughton in his office.

The Rose

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Boone Bear baseball players Rob Lamke, left, and Tony Trumm give Coach John Smith some assistance in correcting papers. —Photo by Lori Burkhead

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9
6 p.m., HOME, WBB vs. NIACC
8 p.m., AWAY, MBB vs. NIACC

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11
6 p.m., HOME, WBB vs. Kirkwood CC
8 p.m., HOME, WBB vs. Kirkwood CC

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13
6 p.m., AWAY, WBB vs. Creston
8 p.m., AWAY, MBB vs. Creston

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16
6 p.m., HOME, WBB vs. Waldorf
4 p.m., HOME, MBB vs. Waldorf

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18
6 p.m., AWAY, WBB vs. Simpson College J.V.
8 p.m., AWAY, MBB vs. Simpson J.V.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20
6 p.m., HOME, WBB vs. Reames
8 p.m., HOME, MBB vs. Iowa Western (Council Bluffs)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23
6 p.m., HOME, WBB vs. Ellsworth
8 p.m., HOME, MBB vs. Ellsworth

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25
6 p.m., HOME, WBB vs. Ellsworth
8 p.m., HOME, MBB vs. Ellsworth

Rezoomers Club

Richard Finnestad will speak at 11:45 a.m. to the Rezoomers Club at their next meeting scheduled for Wednesday, February 6th in the Library Conference Room 131. He will be discussing scholarships which are available to students at the Boone Campus. His presentation will include information on how and when to apply as well as criteria to be eligible.

The Rezoomers Club is open to all new and returning adult students (those returning to formal education after being away for two to 20 years or more). The purpose of the organization is to provide support to all adults who are resuming their education. The informal meetings provide the opportunity to share information and get better acquainted with others who are juggling school along with many other responsibilities.

Meetings are held twice monthly (the first Wednesday and the third Tuesday) in the Library Conference Room 131. Members cat lunch together (brown bag or from the Student Center), and come and go as classes permit between 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Short programs with topics of interest to the group are presented during the year. All adult returning students are encouraged to participate.

February meetings: Wednesday, February 6 and Tuesday, February 19.