Blizzard '93: CVC students snowbound

Lori Utile
Assistant Editor

While some people enjoyed their Spring Break '93 with family and friends, and others traveled to Daytona Beach or some other vacation spot, almost 40 people were snowed in at CVC for the first two to four days of their break.

Upon awakening Saturday morning, it was apparent that very few people would be driving in the foot of snow covering the streets, even those with four-wheel drive. There were even instances of the Highway Department having problems getting through the snow (I saw this myself). The roads were packed with snow and ice.

Since there were people left in the resident halls who hadn't yet left for break, Nona Shepherd and John and Michelle Yancey worked hard to gather everyone in a central location.

Chris Richardson takes a flying leap into the three feet of snow in front of Crockett Hall on Monday. Photo Courtesy Robert Engle

Students used the weather condition as an excuse to catch up on some sleep, play games, sleigh ride, or just watch television. The wind blew forcefully as it howled Saturday evening. While the lights flickered several times, Wise was fortunate not to lose electricity. And the snow continued.

On Sunday morning, with an accumulation of over two feet and a steady snowfall, Chancellor Lemons skied over to McCravy Hall to check on the temporary and permanent residents of McCravy. By the time the snow ended, there were approximately 30 inches of SNOW, see p. 8

Pi Kappa Phi presents Casino Night in April

Devan Horne
Staff Writer

On April 16th Pi Kappa Phi will be sponsoring their first annual Casino Night.

The event will be held in the gym at CVC. Admission is free of charge. Everyone is invited to dance, and be entertained by DJs Melvin Jones and Tim Stacey.

After you enter, you can purchase chips and gamble. The person who ends up with the most chips wins the grand-prize. There will be 16-20 smaller prizes to be given away also. There will be mocktails (nonalcoholic drinks), T-shirts, etc.

Many of the other greek organizations will be getting involved also. For example, Alpha Delta Chi will be dealing cards. "We'd like to get as many organizations involved as possible," said Drew Obedy; a Pi Kapp brother.

SGA will be funding the event and all proceeds will go towards PUSH America, People Understanding the Severely Handicapped.

"Pi Kappa Phi is extremely proud to be a member of the University which is willing to be socially responsible by upholding our interests in PUSH," Obedy said. He continued to say that there will be something to please everybody at Casino Night; hopefully it will be an annual event. "Because this is my last semester, I wanted to have something that would be an annual event," Obedy said. He would like to thank the following people for their cooperation in setting up the event: John Yancey, Dean Brooks, Travis Sturgill, Tim Roop, Chris Cline, Randy Gilmer, the Kiwanis who put the sign up at the courthouse, and Devan Horne.

If you have suggestions or would like to participate, contact Drew Obedy at 328-1402 or Tim Roop at 328-2658.

UVA Board of Visitors come to CVC Friday

Christopher A. Clue
Editor in Chief

As usual, the Board met to discuss the addition of David Value, College Dean, who is a local and a graduate of Virginia Board of Visitors. They also met with the University President, the Chancellor of the University, and the Board of Governors.

"The Board was concerned with the budget and the financial situation of the University," Obedy said. He added that there are many changes that need to be made.

It is the president's responsibility to meet with the Board of Visitors on Thursday evening of the first and third weeks of the month. The Board of Visitors is a body that has the power to make changes in the University. They can change the policies of the University and make appointments to the Board of Governors.

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Space station Freedom is a gateway to the universe

Wesley Adams
Staff Writer

Recently, the Clinton Administration has announced that it will either cancel or delay construction of space station Freedom while it's being "redefined." It might be said, "Oh what. What do we need with a space station? We have more pressing problems here on earth." The space station is calculated to the United States in a number of ways. Number one: it will provide jobs. With the end of the Cold War, the space programs were one of the few areas that can make direct use of the advanced space technology that was developed to fight the Soviets. The construction of Freedom was expected to generate 78,000 high salary jobs in 37 states.

Number two: new industries and new medicines can be developed in the zero-gravity of space. This, in turn, will improve life for ourselves and our children. Now we are a tiny world poised on the edge of an unexplored continent. We go on to explore and settle. North Americans are always searching for a better life for ourselves and our children.

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Humans have always been questers, adventurers, and explorers. An infant will naturally explore its surroundings, putting anything in its mouth. We will climb a mountain just because it's there and to see what is on the other side. The human race found its destiny in the most remote corners of the globe. We Americans in particular have lived on the edge of an unexplored continent. We went on to explore and settle. North Americans are always searching for a better life for ourselves and our children."

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Letter to the Editor

We would like to give special thanks to the Residence Life Staff for their generosity during our extended stay due to the "Storm of the Century".
Money collected from parking fines and other student fees is going into a general scholarship fund, according to Richard L. Kendrick, the Chair of CVC's Parking Committees. Scholarship applicants will be accepted on the basis of their financial need and may apply at the financial aid office. Kendrick said that the scholarship fund now has a $50,000 balance and "has been growing over time." According to Kendrick, last year $4,000 of the fund came from parking ticket fines.

Kendrick wrote a letter stating that "the number of vehicles entering and parking on campus each day and the traffic patterns, plus the changes anticipated when construction begins" on campus create a need to address the present and future situation. Parking tickets are five dollars each and are "charged to the student's account and must be paid in order to register for the next semester or term to receive a transcript." Tickets must be appealed in writing, within two business days in the College Office or the Business Office in Smiddy Hall," according to Kendrick's letter.

There are insufficient spaces for all the vehicles that come on campus. Some are parked near the buildings where the operator is parking the classes," the letter continued. Kendrick said that booting and towing students' vehicles has been suspended "because of the squeezed parking areas." He also mentioned that the regulations do not permit student parking in the lots near Zehmer and Science buildings. The lots near Smiddy, the Theatre building, faculty and behind Cantrell Hall are also off limits to students without faculty parking stickers.

The letter also stated that only Crockett residents can park in the lot adjacent to McCrady Hall, above the Zehmer-Science complex, and near the Gym. There is limited parking in front of the Chapel and ten minute parking exists at the ramp in front of Smiddy and near Cantrell.

CVC Parking Decals can be purchased in the Cashier's Office. Cars found parking tickets will be ticketed, booted or towed from the campus, the letter stated.

Kendrick said that booting and towing "is a necessary evil designed to get valuable spaces for the continuing increased population of students." He added that "the population of the campus and the number of vehicles demands that this (present) pattern change." Vehicle operators are encouraged to place ahead, allow sufficient time in park in the areas assigned, and to remove the cars associated with having a space in a closed area.

New parking patterns should be established now, said Kendrick, in time for the commencement of campus-wide construction next year. This construction will include annexing a library

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Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center contributes to CVC nursing program

Randy Honors, President and Chief Executive Officer of Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center, recently presented a check to Dr. L. Jay Lemons, Chancellor of Clinch Valley College, to enhance development of the College's nursing program. Dr. Lemons said, "Ginch Valley College has always tried to add to the quality of life for Southwest Virginians. In recent years, the formulation of a baccalaureate degree program in nursing has been an effort to continue this wonderful legacy started by Joe Smiddy. We believe our nursing program will fill that commitment. We consider the CVC nursing program to be a wonderful legacy started by Joe Smiddy. We believe our nursing program will fill that commitment. We consider the CVC nursing program to be a

Upward Bound is accepting applicants for summer counseling

The CVC Upward Bound Office is accepting applications for summer counselor positions for the summer residential program. The Upward Bound Program is an academic and personal support program designed to encourage and motivate high school students to pursue post-secondary education. During the summer, students from the local area are housed on the CVC campus and participate in a variety of educational activities.

Counselors are responsible for providing tutoring, counseling, and academic orientations to students in the dorm.

They also assist with field trips and recreational activities. Employment is for seven weeks beginning early June 1995. A weekly salary plus room and board are provided.

Applications may be picked up at the Upward Bound trailer located in McCrady's parking lot (next to Student Support Services).

Interested applicants should have completed three semesters of college work with a minimum gap of 2.5; dead lines are April 5.

Wanted

CVC Students who are honest, open-minded, unbiased, strong-willed, expressive, eager, believers of fairness for all and want to be involved in their college. English majors: do you fit these characteristics then you will be a perfect candidate for the Honor Court. Do not consider it, do it! Elections are April 16th and 16th. Get your petition for candidacy in front of the SGA office and turn it in before April 2nd.
Cavalier baseball season opener:
Cavs play first six games in Florida over spring break

The CVC Cavalier baseball team recently completed an exciting spring break baseball trip to the Cocoa Expo in Cocoa, Beach, Florida. However, it wasn’t quite as fun as it sounds. The Cavaliers traveled through snow, 65 mile winds, and heavy fallen debris during their journey to open their 2003 campaign.

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The Outpost will be taking pictures of organizations in C206 across from the cafeteria on Thurs., Apr. 1, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. All organizations who wish to have a picture in the '93 Outpost are expected to attend. There is no cost. Please contact the Outpost if there is a problem in attending.

The SGA Presidential debates will be held April 12 in Smiddy 100a,b,c at 1:00 p.m.

Pi Kappa Phi would like to announce the hottest event to hit CVC in years: Casino Night! There will be blackjack, roulette, and many other games. Prizes will be awarded for the top winners of the evening. The dress is to be semi-formal. Casino night will be held April 15 in Greear Gymnasium.

A nine-member Princeton University team will climb Mt. McKinley in June to raise AIDS awareness and funds for AmFAR. This project, known as "Climb For the Cure," has already raised more than $160,000 to call attention to statistics that show that AIDS has increased 62 percent in the past two years among 13-24 year olds.

Keith Olinger, from Wise, will present his art at the Library Gallery in Wise during the month of April. Olinger, who has had very few lessons, paints to relax after a hard day at work. A reception will be held in Olinger's honor on Apr. 18 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Highland Cavalier is looking for writers. If we use your article, you will be paid. Sports writers and photographers are needed. The Highland Cavalier meets every Monday at 3:30 in the white building in front of Crockett Hall.

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snow on campus and around town, much deeper in some places because of drifts; High Knob reported between 47 and 64 inches of snow.

Monday morning provided some relief for those wanting to go home. Several offered help to those shoveling their way off campus. Jim Lipsce scraped the main campus road and the snow melted considerably on campus; however, the main roads remained covered. Very few people were left in McCraray Monday night.

Those who stayed Monday night left on Tuesday. Everyone was anxious to get home to start the real Spring Break.

The bond referendum which was passed in November "allows us to double the size of the campus," said Kendrick. He added that he believed five years from now "you won't recognize this campus on reunions."