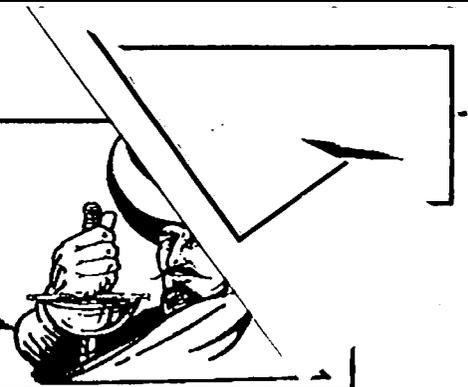


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Student involvement necessary to full education

Eric Bond
SGA Secretary

CVC Students,
I would like to take this time to welcome all the new students to CVC college. By now you have settled down into a routine and have met many new people. The resident students by now have gotten to know one another as well as the returning students who live on campus. I would hope that all of you are enjoying your college experience at CVC. Please do not lose the fact that the reason you are in college is to get an education.

Part of your education is becoming involved with the activities that occur on campus and off. Many activities are planned to entertain you and to give you a break from the academic life that we all have to endure. These activities are planned in a large part by your fellow students. Generally, much of the planning is done by the SGA in conjunction with Student Services.

In the past there have been complaints that the planned activities exclude commuters, are boring, and overall not the type of activities that students want. We have a diverse group of students at CVC. We have traditional college students in ages from 18-23 from Wise and other areas, we have a growing population of students from other parts of VA. and other states. We also have a popu-

lation of older students. The older students want as far as activities, often differ from the ing them among ourselves and with the SGA. So far there has not been a single person to

Committee membership encouraged, desired

There are five major committees on campus. Each committee has a purpose and a mission. If you are interested in being involved in campus activities, you should consider joining one of these committees.

Constitution Committee: The purpose of this committee is to revise the current SGA constitution. This committee meets on a regular basis to discuss and revise the constitution. If you are interested in this committee, you should contact the SGA Secretary.

Executive Board: This committee will plan all events occurring at CVC. It works closely with the SGA and Student Services. If you are interested in this committee, you should contact the SGA Secretary.

Interclub Council: This committee will meet with the other college student organizations on campus. It is different to tell what these needs are without asking and discuss-

ing them among ourselves and with the SGA. So far there has not been a single person to attend meetings? We are all very busy. I know that I spend most of my waking hours at CVC doing schoolwork and working. I know how much an hour can take from our schedules. But we must think about something. I feel that people's attitudes toward involving themselves with the apparatus that governs and affects them needs to change.

Our attitudes need to change toward the federal government and the student government. Everyone of you reading this letter has an obligation to be involved in the activities that affect you. One person can make a difference. Chances are you are not the only one who would like to see changes made in the laws and activities that affect you. I feel that we can make a start, make a difference in the activities that happen on campus. If you care about the events here and now, it will make a difference.

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CVC loses Homecoming game, 16-7

Gary L. Collins
Sports Editor

It was not a happy homecoming for Clinch Valley on Saturday as the Eagles of Bridgewater College defeated our Highland Cavaliers, 16-7, at Carroll Dale Stadium.

The day started out bad and got worse for CVC. The rain came and took away all of the Cavalier speed. Bridgewater seemed able to handle the wetness of the field, while the weather caused our red and gray offense to come to a screeching halt.

The game came down to the battle of the running games. The Cavs ran the ball 29 times for 100 yards. Bridgewater rushed the ball an incredible 73 times for 275 yards.

The ball control game of Bridgewater not only allowed the Eagles to maintain a decisive advantage in time of possession (BC-37:55 to CVC-22:05), but forced a less than

stellar performance by Cavalier quarterback David Nara (11-27-1 TD-3 INT's).

Clinch Valley could mount no offense in the first half, but the defense kept the Cavs in the game as the Eagles lead, 9-0, at the half.

The Cavalier defense toughened in the second half as the offense came to life.

Nara hit TE Derrick Jones for a 34 yard touchdown with 6:27 left midway through the third quarter and after the kick, Bridgewater held a slim, 9-7, advantage.

Bridgewater then went on an eight play-66 yard drive, capped off by an Eagle TD run as their lead grew, 16-7, with :10 seconds left to play in the third.

The fourth quarter was uneventful to both offenses as the defenses took control for the rest of the game.

This week is an open date for CVC. The Cavaliers evened their record at 2-2. They will next play Union, KY at Carroll Dale Stadium on October 9.

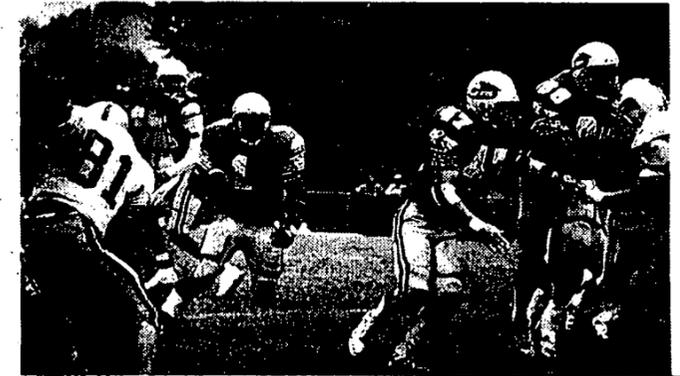


Photo courtesy of The Coalfield Progress/ Ron Skeber

Ernest Starker gains ground against Bridgewater on Saturday. The Eagles spoiled CVC's Homecoming by beating the Cavaliers, 16-7.

Ernie Irvan dominates Martinsville, wins Goody's 500

Taylor Burgess
Darkroom Technician

After only four races with the Robert Yates Racing Team, Ernie Irvan captured the checkered flag in Sunday's Goody's 500 held at Martinsville, Va.

Taking over in the Texaco/Havoline Ford for the late Davey Allison, Irvan dominated leading five times for 402 of 500 laps on the 5.26-mile oval and finished a comfortable 2.77 seconds ahead of Rusty Wallace.

The win was an emotional one for Irvan, giving his new team its first win since Allison had won on March 7 in Richmond earlier in the year. Irvan dedicated the victory in memory of Davey Allison and his father Bobby, neither of which had ever won at Martinsville, the shortest track on the circuit.

The Winston Cup Championship battle became more intense when current points leader and five time champion Dale Earnhardt

suffered a broken rear end on lap 440. The Goodwrench Crew struggled to get their car back out on the track, but the race ended with Earnhardt behind the wall and a disappointing 29th finish.

Earnhardt came into Martinsville with a 181 point lead over Rusty Wallace but his misfortunes narrowed the lead to a mere 82 points with only five races left in the season.

Wallace, who proved to be Irvan's only challenge of the day, suffered a cut left rear tire midway



HC Photo/Taylor Burgess

Ernie Irvan has proved successful taking over for the late Davey Allison.

through the race and had to make his way back through the field. Thanks to some timely caution flags Wallace got back up front out of trouble and finished second behind Irvan. Coming off of two consecutive wins, the 1989 Winston Cup Champion and the Miller Genuine Draft Racing Team has won four times and finished second three times in seven short-track events on the circuit this season.

Jimmy Spencer, who came from 15th starting position, finished

third behind Wallace and Ricky Rudd in the Tide Chevrolet finished an impressive fourth after posting a poor starting position of 20th. Dale Jarrett in the Joe Gibbs owned Chevrolet rounded out the top five.

Mark Martin's hot streak looks to be over after finishing 16th and dropping from third to fourth in the points standings. Darrell Waltrip, who has had some strong runs recently, finished 18th, rookie Jeff Gordon finished 11th and Jeff Purvis, driving for the Abingdon based Morgan/McClure Race Team, finished 17th.

Next week the circuit heads to Charlotte for the Mello Yello 500. All eyes will be on Earnhardt and Wallace and their quest for the Winston Cup Championship.

The Series Points standings are as such: Earnhardt 3,702; R. Wallace 3,620; Jarrett 3,428; Martin 3,412; Shepherd 3,287; Schrader 3,150; Petty 3,125; Elliott 3,041; Irvan 3,027; Gordon 2,988; G. Bodine 2,930; Spencer 2,917; Rudd 2,896; Gant 2,866; Martin 2,820.

Farewell to CVC's gentle giant

B. Wesley Adams II
Staff Writer

On Sept. 22, CVC lost a familiar face. He wasn't a student, professor or staff member. However, he was a part of this campus. He was that huge white dog we named Bear.

I can't say I knew Bear. I didn't know his name or where he was from. I did know he was a gentle giant - a white St. Bernard.

Whenever you wanted to play volleyball, you could always count on Bear 'using' the

court. Not to play but to do something which, at least to Bear, was more important...sleep! I know I'll miss him. When I came back this fall, I knew I was back at CVC when I saw Bear, even without his hair. Seeing Bear around Crockett gave the school rightness. Bear and his friends have become CVC's unofficial mascots.

I know one more thing about Bear. He has a family in grief who loved him very much. My sympathies are with them.

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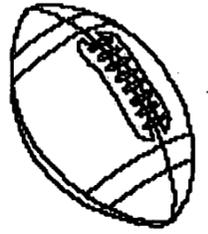
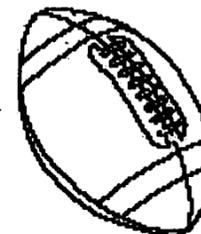
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Student rights, needs outlined

There are several things students need to be aware of in order to graduate and transfer properly. Students also need to know their rights as far as the privacy of information is concerned and the rights concerning educational records. The registrar's office has outlined these things.

1) Fourth-year students expecting to complete degree requirements during the 1993-94 academic year must complete a degree application form and return it to the registrar's office.

2) Third-year students - when a degree-track student has completed 54 semester hours and is a junior, he or she must declare a major from the majors offered by the college and have a faculty advisor in that department. A student may declare or change his or her major by completing the appropriate form in the office of the registrar.

3) Clinch Valley College students who wish to take classes at another school for transfer credit to CVC must complete the necessary request form. Forms are available in the registrar's office.

4) PRIVACY OF INFORMATION NOTICE - This is to inform students that CVC intends to comply fully with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974. CVC has adopted a local policy that explains in detail the procedures for compliance with the provisions of the Act. Copies of the policy are available in the registrar's office.

In accordance with the Act, CVC hereby designates the following as directory information: name, home and school address, home and school phone, date and place of birth, age, major field of study, participation in officially recognized activities and sports,

dates of attendance, degrees, honors, scholarships and awards received, most recent previous educational agency or institution attended, name of student's parents or guardian, and weight and height if member of athletic teams.

Directory information may be disclosed by the institution at its discretion if the student does not request that the information be withheld. Requests to withhold information must be received in the registrar's office no later than two calendar weeks after the first class meeting.

5) EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS NOTICE - The registrar's office at CVC would like to inform students of their rights concerning educational records. Due to the 1974 Act, and the Buckley Amendments, effective January 6, 1974, students have the right A) to be provided with a list of the types of educational records, as defined in the Act, which are maintained by the college and directly related to students; B) to inspect and review the contents of those records; C) to obtain copies of those records upon payment of expenses; D) to receive a response from the college to reasonable requests for explanations of those records; and E) to receive confidential treatment by the college of education records; neither such records, nor personally identifiable information contained therein, will be released without student permission to anyone other than those parties specifically authorized by the Act.

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Dates Set For Spring Pre-Registration

Pre-registration for Spring semester of 1994 is set to begin on November 12, 1993. The priority processing system for pre-registration adopted sets aside the following dates:

Fri., Nov. 12	Seniors
Mon., Nov. 15	Juniors
Wed., Nov. 17	Sophomores
Fri., Nov. 19	Freshmen (12-23 hours)
Mon., Nov. 22	Open-Anyone

The Registrar's Office will be open from 8:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and from 1:00 p.m.-3:15 p.m. to accept pre-registration will end on December 10, 1993. Those students who still need to pre-register after December 10 can do so on Monday, January 17, 1994.

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