EXCLUSIVE!
Andy Roddick Talks To ePulse
by Justin Cohen

Top-ranked tennis phenom Andy Roddick found
time in his busy schedule to talk exclusively with e-
Pulse.
Roddick, 21, lives less than five miles from Lynn
campus in his luxurious manse, said to be outfitted
with a plasma TV, Powerade machine and a
Cadillac Escalade in the driveway. Roddick's
girlfriend, pretty songbird Mandy Moore also
frequents the trendy pad.
The golden boy is taking some much needed
downtime after a fantastic season. Just a few
days after his 21st birthday in August, Roddick would
win his first of many Grand Slams and he would follow it
up by stringing together the best two weeks of his
tennis career with an explosive US Open win.
Critics are buzzing that success will change
Roddick, but the down-to-earth player seems to be
the same ole' Andy.
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A pipe was found in one EM Lynn dorm room and all three of its occupants were suspended.

One of the occupants who spoke to e-Pulse on the condition of anonymity said, "It wasn't my pipe but my friends may have smoked with it."

The suspensions sent shockwaves through the student body who call campus home and is a firm reminder of Lynn's zero tolerance policy, stated on page 49 of the 2003-2004 student handbook:

"The university does not condone the illegal possession, use, provision, or sale of drugs, including marijuana."
We rode into the night oblivious of the insane events to follow. Continuing the quest for good live shows, we saw Slightly Stoopid, a headlining band at the Culture Room.

The dimly lit car park was the place to be two hours before the show, as untamed fans pre-gamed at their cars and jammed to the upbeat, melodic rock/hip-hop/reggae sounds of Stoopid. I had never heard any Stoopid tunes before but I was quickly becoming a fan.

In the midst of beer-chugging competitions, I met up with the band who told me: "Come back and talk after the show, when we're faded." Stoopid is yet another representative of the illustrious California Rock scene.

I was told by a fan before the show, "Dude, they're awesome! This is the fourth time I'm seeing them! If you like Sublime, you'll love Slightly Stupid." Punk band Agent 51 had the audience amped, so when Stoopid took the stage they were met by a vigorous crowd. Stoopid is a band unlike most— they're versatile, with two front men. This band blew me away; they may be Stoopid, but they're not stupid.

The talented frontmen, Kyle McDonald and Miles Doughty, both on vocals, amazed the crowd by switching their guitar and bass with each other several times, even mid-song.

They were thrilling and the crowd was responding. Between songs the members drank Heinekens and chanted "sensimilla" to the delight of the crowd.

Consistent in quality, energy, stage presence and performance, it was no wonder the band were asked to play three encores. And they did not disappoint. Amongst their encores was a funkified version of "Leaving on a Jet Plane." Immediately after the show, the band was outside signing autographs, and as they promised, they were "faded." Eager to celebrate a successful show and ignite the after-party, they jumped on their tour bus. The bus screamed for the crowd either because with Walt's extensive mental song catalog. He said: "Every night is new."

Parents, work and school is forgotten. It's just friends, drinks and Walt.

Anyone can have their fifteen seconds of fame just by legging up to the extra mic stand on stage and singing back up to a favorite tune.

So check it out this week because as Walt said, "All request Thursday - you never know what's next."
Sports Wrapup
Men's Soccer Still Undefeated
by Lisa Gangel

With their spotless record of 9-0-0, 2-0 in the Sunshine State Conference, the men's soccer team stayed clean this weekend as they beat #18 Tampa, 2-1.

In the 84th minute of play, sophomore David Benn got his head on a cross from Mark Melling to catch the back of the net. That goal pushed the men to their second conference win of the season.

The men hit the road this week, matching up against Northwood and #10 Rollins, both games holding NCAA South Regional implications.

The women's soccer team, 4-5-0, 0-1 in conference, lost a one goal battle with Rollins on Tuesday, but bounced back to beat Northwood on Thursday, 3-0.

Senior Ashley Jarson, junior Tieal Clare, and sophomore Kim Pyra recorded one goal a piece in the victory.

The women face St. Thomas on Tuesday in a home match. Kickoff is at 4:00pm.

Next weekend, the Knights find themselves on the road in two conference matches versus St. Leo and Florida Southern.

Women's Volleyball are holding it down in the gym, posting a 9-9 overall record.

Volleyball wrapped up a four game weekend against Rollins...losing the series 3-1.

And on the other court, Tennis is back at it again this year.

Sunday wrapped up play in the Intercollegiate Tennis Association Small College Southeastern Regional.

Both men and women fared quite well.

Marie Barbier and Monika Mastalirova of the women's team won the doubles finale.

Jan Macko and Regnier Azevedo advanced to the finals, but took 2nd.

Mastalirova and Kristina Triska advanced to the singles semifinals, but were defeated by Vanessa Caddick of Rollin's and eventual winner, Cornelia Grunes of Barry.

Bucce Yavuz and Triska also made it to the women's doubles final.

In two weeks, both teams travel to Rollins for the CL Varner Tournament.

Barbier and Mastalirova will compete in the ITA Small College Nationals in Corpus Christi, Texas October 16-19.

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Roddick (From Pg 1)

"The US Open has not changed my life, although it is a great feeling knowing what I have accomplished," said Roddick.

Roddick's climb to success reads like a sporty fairytale. His family uprooted from their native Omaha, Nebraska to Boca when he was 3. Here, Roddick was introduced to tennis mind Tarik Benhailles who would begin coaching Roddick, and his game would go to a level few junior players will ever get to see. By the age of 17, Roddick had achieved the Taj Majal of junior tennis: ranking No. 1 in the world.

"After winning the Orange Bowl and then the Australian Junior Open, it was clear that the next step was turning professional," says Roddick.

Not bad for the kid who once bragged he'd be the next Agassi or Sampras.

When Roddick isn't serving up a racquetful on the courts, he jets back to his Boca pad for some R&R, even recently being spotted with some buds at TGI Friday's at Town Centre Mall.

Not only is Roddick lucky on the courts, he's got super hot songbird Mandy Moore on his fierce forearm.

In fact, if you keep your eyes peeled, you may even see the star with his fav babe hangin' around some local eateries like The Cheesecake Factory.

"Mandy and I like to hang out with friends and go to the mall for fun.

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A Cut Above The Rest
Delray Beach's Alta Meadows
by Ryan Radkay and McNeal Gravatt

The high point of Alta Meadows is that it's centrally located, only a few minutes drive from campus and the beach. Atlantic Avenue is the next street over and offers many hot spots for dining and drinking. This is definitely the place to find weekend action.

One Lynn student who looked at this development, but decided against it: "It's first-class, everything is new and top rate, but it gets real expensive real fast when you are paying those prices and living by yourself."

The development is located off of eastern Linton Boulevard on South West 10th Avenue. The one bedroom units in this community cost $900 to $1000 for the basics.

That's 934 square feet, one bathroom, spacious closets, and a screened-in balcony/ patio.

The more luxurious one bedroom units go from $1199-$1249 and offer hardwood floors throughout with a tiled kitchen and bathroom.

Considering how expensive these units are, I would say it is unnecessary to pay the extra $400 fee for furniture.

Alta Meadows offers brand new apartment units that can come furnished if you are willing to pay a fee. The development offers a special rate if you rent in the near future. Two months free and all furnishing fees are half off, as are deposits.

When you move in, a deposit of $450 is required. This community is not newly built, but the interior (carpets, stoves, fridges, etc.) and on-site amenities are brand new or revamped.

The basketball, racquetball and tennis courts, beach volleyball court, spa and pool are also spanking new. All of these amenities, it would be easy to live in this community and be active.

The cheaper units are spacious and would do just fine for most students looking to live somewhere off campus at a moderate price.

For more information call the leasing office at 888-844-8294.

Film Review
"Do The Right Thing"
by Mark McGhee

As the tagline says, "It's the hottest day of summer, you can do nothing, you can do something or you can do the right thing."

Do the Right Thing is a Spike Lee joint. Written and directed in 1989, this movie sparked controversy for its racial implications.

It's the hottest day of summer in the ghetto streets of Brooklyn, New York. The day begins like any other day, but as the story unravels, and the temperature sores, bigotry begins to surface.

What must be remembered in this movie is Spike Lee doesn't offer answers to racism but asks questions, hence the title of his movie, "Do the Right Thing". Stylishly shot throughout, the use of light dark and color is just another example of Spike Lee's brilliance. Watch out for Tina (Rosie Perez from "White Men Can't Jump") and the naked ice cube scene with Mookie (Spike Lee).

Despite the serious subject matter, Spike Lee doesn't fail to amuse.

It's brimming with humor, hilarious characters and a shocking ending which will have you ready to take on the world.

This should be more than enough reason to watch this movie on channel 77.
Studying Abroad Rocks
Lynn Visits London
by Caline Fonteneau

Eleven juniors and seniors from the College of International Communication jetted to London this past June to study multinational media with faculty member Myles Ludwig and get a taste of merrie olde England.

"Our group had great chemistry," said senior Tuba Buyukhanli. "And our teacher was very helpful in making us learn and have fun at the same time," she said.

The base of operations for the adventure was a hotel across from the beautiful Kensington Palace Park near central London.

The group met with editorial and media execs of Elle, Maxim, The Associated Press, BBC, and England's largest newspaper printing operation where they made their own front pages.

The focus of the study tour was the cultural factors affecting multinational media.

Students rocked to the West End musicals "We Will Rock You" (from Queen) and "Bombay Dreams" the latest musical produced by Andrew Lloyd Weber, which is coming to Broadway in April 2004.

The college's dean, Dr. David Jaffe, confirms more trips are being planned.

"Overall it was an amazing experience and I would love to do it again," said senior Brian Smith.

Channel 77 Film
Program For The Week Of October 5-12

MONDAY: AMELIE (Directed by J.P.JEUNET, France, 2001, rated R)

TUESDAY: 1984 (Directed by: M. Radford, Great Britain, 1984, 115m, rated R)

WEDNESDAY: MANUFACTURING CONCENT (Directed by: M. Achbar & P. Wintonick, Canada,1992, 167m, not rated)

THURSDAY: THE TRIALS OF HENRY KISSINGER (Directed by: A. Gibney & E. Jarecki, U.S.A, 2002, 80m, not rated)

FRIDAY THROUGH SUNDAY: BREATHELESS (Directed by: J.L.Godard, France, 1959, 89m, not rated)

"We've also gone to a few Heat games and some concerts together."

"We get to see each other quite often considering our schedules are so demanding," gushes Roddick.

"Certainly every month we are together at some point, somewhere." But ladies, Roddick promises he's not on love lockdown.

"I have no pressure to move in or get engaged to Mandy at this point," he admits.

With his work-hard ethic, you can bet this determined dude will keep up his winning streak instead of basking in his US Open win.

He wants to continue to train hard and hopefully win many more Grand Slams.

"Every match is it's own unique assignment," he said.
Novak to Speak at Lynn
Controversial Columnist Comes to Campus

Robert Novak is coming to Lynn next Wednesday, Oct. 15. The columnist, currently making headlines with his revelation of a CIA operative’s name, will speak at the Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall at 10 a.m. followed by a question and answer session.

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Campus Candids

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Dismayed In Delray
Music, M.I.L.F’s and Martinis
by Mark McGhee

City Limits entrance

My previous adventures involved a pole dancer, a wild tour bus party, and mass quantities of alcohol. You’d think it couldn’t get any wilder, and it didn’t.

City Limits was this week’s destination for live music.

We were hyped. New Times Broward Palm Beach recommended getting there early because parking is difficult.

On the contrary, we arrived late and parked on the street with ease. At the door, it looked dead inside; The bouncer was intrigued by my U.K. driver’s license, and began telling me about his aunt who lives in England.

As fascinating as the story was, I was relieved to get my ID back and get inside.

It was empty. At first I was surprised, but soon realized there was a second half to the place. I could hear the band outside and see a crowd through the doors.

The scene looked like a PTA meeting after party, and Continued on Pg. 6

Knight Radio Kicks Off
Station Has High Hopes
by David Silverman and Mark McGhee

Knight Radio has high expectations for this coming year. Lynn University’s campus radio station, on 96.1 FM, already has a few solid programs on the books, and a few more in the mix. This year could be on track to becoming a more organized and professional station than ever before.

The Audio Practicum class is taking a big part in bringing Knight Radio to the next level. The goal of the station is to have constant air play from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 4 to 8 in the evening.

Although funded completely by the university, Jason Bell, Station Manager, reassured ePulse that Knight Radio will be, "One voice for all of the students, not the administration."

Ideas are circulating on ways to make the station better. There is talk about having Knight Radio air over the PA in the cafeteria, and a camera set up to simulcast the radio show live on channel 76 Lynn TV, like the "Howard Stern Show".

Dr. David Jaffe, Associate Dean of the College Of International Communication, and faculty advisor for the station, proposed playing recorded classical music from our Conservatory Of Music. Considering the audience the station is trying to reach, Bell disagreed, believing this Continued on Pg. 3
Talk to ePulse
We Want To Hear From You
by Sheena Foster

*ePulse* is ready for our close-up! After some design facelifts, a new student staff and the spanking new web version at lynnuniversity.net/pulse, *ePulse* is Lynn's No. 1 source for campus news, entertainment and information.

We confess: we're no *New York Times*. Surf our site week after week for the Lynn scoop. We want to know what you think about *ePulse*. Got a news tip? Story idea? Heard some juicy gossip?

Give us the good and the bad and drop us a line!

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**Parking Lots Big Enough?**
Admin Says Space For All
by Caline Fonteneau

In the race to get to class on time, Lynn's commuting population often endures a stressful parking fiasco. Interestingly enough, there are more spaces than cars registered here at Lynn. According to Dean of Students

Room For Everyone?
Paul Turner, there has never been a time in the past 10 months that the North Lot was completely full. "We've done everything we possibly can to provide more parking for students," Turner said. "I think we have enough spaces - the problem is they're not as convenient as people would like them to be."

In addition to the temporary lots behind ASSAF and at the three-way stop sign near Ritter, this year the administration opened up another 50 spaces for students and faculty behind the gymnasium.

"I used to be able to leave my house 10 to 15 minutes before class, but I can't now because it takes so long to find a spot, sometimes half an hour," said student Amanda Weidman. "I don't even try to park in the dirt lots; I go straight to the North lot."

The problem, many students say, with these temporary lots is how badly people park. Students have been known to block car paths and other students' vehicles, often resulting in damage to vehicles and blocked exits.

"One day in class my friend Nicole was angry because someone hit her front bumper in the ASSAF lot," said MBA student Mauricio Flores. "She reported it to security, but they said they couldn't do anything because they didn't know who did it."

While security does routine checks of the area, they cannot issue tickets to many, as no legal fire zones have been determined for the temporary lots.

Theoretically, tickets can be issued to those blocking entrances and exits.

"Parking is terrible. The university needs to invest in repairing the lots. We shouldn't have to walk through puddles to get to class," said Business major Miguel Mayorga.

The convenience of these lots, however, is temporary.

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Parking Dirty
Lynn is planning the construction of a three-story parking garage that will occupy about half the space currently taken up by the North lot.

This new lot will add between 450 and 500 new spaces, and will have its own entrance from Potomac Road near the former Harid Conservatory location.

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may push away potential student listeners.

"He has his own idea, and I have my own idea. Sometimes there is a conflict of interest," said Bell.

Low-quality shows and virtually no audience have been problems the station has experienced in the previous years. Currently, three shows are in the works: an early morning sports program; a variety show; and a Thursday night fiesta of music, pranks, and prizes.

The kickoff for the station will be a low-key one, but hopes are abound to strike enough interest in students and bring them out of their dorms and put them behind the microphone.

With an open-door policy, any student can sign up for their own time slot. No experience is necessary, and training is provided free of charge.

With close to 20 shows in the woodwork, raising students' awareness of Knight Radio will be vital to its success.

We asked several students their thoughts about the station, and their answers reflected some of the problems plaguing Knight Radio.

"I don't even know how to get it." Said Josh Radabaugh, an off-campus student

"I know it exists, but I don't know what's worth listening to." said Patty Firerre, an on-campus student

Students appeared interested in the station but the absence of a solidified schedule and what station to listen to presents the problem.

Despite the setbacks, Knight DJ's are currently planning some promotions and doing some much needed on-campus advertising.

The station is located in the $3.4 million media facility on the third floor of the Library.

Although the broadcast is not digital, the setup at Lynn is the same as Florida Atlantic University's radio station, which happens to have a much more substantial budget, according to Bell.

Broadcast through two delivery systems, 96.1 on the FM dial and on Lynn TV, the station is easily accessible to everyone on campus. However, for commuter students, the farthest they will be able to groove to Lynn tunes is probably in the parking lot of Pope John Paul II High School.

Future plans to broaden the station's signal reach are rolling with Jaffe trying to obtain an FCC license to allow reach beyond school property and into the Boca area.

Any student is welcome to sign up Knight Radio. Visit the 3rd floor of the library or call 561/237-7098 for more information.

Lynn Speaks Out

Campus Question of the Week by Caline Fonteneau

Are President George W. Bush's priorities in line with your own? Would you vote him in to a second term?

Adger Ellison "Yes they are. I think he deserves a second term. He's dealt with war, terrorism and changing economy. I think he's qualified."

John Wood "Yes, I really don't know. Yeah, I'll vote. I don't know much about it to tell you the truth."

Dave Herstene "I'm happy with President Bush. There are no wars going on right now and the US is a safe place to live right now."

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Men's Soccer Still Undefeated
Sports Update
by Lisa Gangel

Click for video of Lisa Gangel's Weekly Sports Update

Knights' soccer fans are soaking up all the success the men's soccer team is experiencing right now. They're currently ranked No. 1 in the country, posting a 3-0 record in the Sunshine State Conference and 11-0 overall.

Tuesday, Lynn downed non-conference opponent Northwood, 1-0. The goal came on a second-half attempt in the remaining 67th minute. Mark Melling netted assists from teammate Garthfield Whyte. LU out shot Northwood, 23-5. Melling has scored or registered an assist in the team's last seven games, leading the scoring with 19 points. Right behind him is Fernando Villalobos with 18 points who chipped in three goals and one assist to put himself on the scoring map, or at least on the Rollins map. He had five goals in Lynn's last two victories at Rollins.

Head coach Shaun Pendleton felt the pressure going into the matches saying, "It is a mid-week game between two huge conference and region matches for us (No. 18 Tampa and No. 9 Rollins) and some of our players were still feeling the effects of a physical game against Tampa last Saturday. "However, when it's all said and done, it doesn't matter if you win 1-0 or 100-0, a win is a win and that's what we got today."

The men will be back at it Wednesday, 3 pm when they take on Nova Southeastern.

I'm sure the women's soccer team will be there supporting their partners in crime as they have a nine day hiatus from field action. LU downed non-conference rival St. Thomas, 6-1. They went on to lose games to St. Leo, 2-1, and Florida Southern, 1-0, both conference matches.

In the standings, sophomore Kim Pyra currently leads the squad in scoring with five goals and two assists for 12 points. The ladies are back in action Oct. 14 at Nova Southeastern for a homestand showdown. In the gym, the volleyball team is plugging away, working toward their next win. Currently posting a 9-12 record, 0-5 in conference, the team is still looking for that first SSC win.

They didn't find what they were looking for this past weekend, losing to St.Leo. It wasn't all negative though. Freshman, Erica Hardy, recorded her first triple-double as a Knight, with 33 set assists, 12 kills, and 14 digs.

That performance moves her to 4th in Lynn's record book with 678 assists. Junior Shelby Volmer and Michele Newman have made their marks as well. Volmer has 931 digs, and Newman has 988 kills.

The women compete this Tuesday night at home against non-conference opponent Florida Memorial.

Representatives from our women's Tennis team will be making their way to Corpus Christi, Texas to compete in the Intercollegiate Tennis Association Small College National Tournament.

Doubles partners, Marie Barbier and Monika Mastalirova earned their spot after capturing the doubles crown at the ITA South Regional in Winter Park.

Best of luck to you both!
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Lynn Cribs
Student Living At Its Finest
by Ryan Radkay and McNeal Gravatt

How would you like to own your own four-bedroom three-bathroom bachelor pad by the beach at 23? We're not talkin' MTV Cribs here.

This week, ePulse caught up with College of International Communication senior Colton Ralston at his stylish casa de amor. His spacious villa is surrounded by a plush garden and has a super-sick pool complete with a diving board in the backyard and even a pool house and outdoor wet bar.

We've been there and done that, and take it from us; it's the bomb. It just can't get much better than this.

Ralston is still getting situated, and is renovating the pool in the weeks to come. It's a prime spot for any college kid to reside, for a semester or a year.

If you think you're Lynn crib is worthy enough for a visit, drop us a line at e-pulse@lynnuniversity.net

The kitchen is the first thing you see when you walk in the house. It's narrow, and doubles as a hallway from the bedrooms to the airy living room. But it has all the appliances and room you need to cook a decent meal.

The living room, which is off the porch and opens into the master bedroom, has a big screen TV against one wall, and surrounding couches. If you just want to hang out, this is the spot.

The other two bedrooms, which are empty at the moment, are moderately sized; one bigger than the other.

On a nice South Florida day, you can sit in the living room with the French doors open and get a balmy breeze coming in off the pool. It's that perfect place for a party or late night skinny-dipping.

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Robert Novak Talks
Lynn Listens To Prince Of Darkness
by Sheena Foster

On Wednesday, Oct. 15 Robert Novak came to Lynn for the first of the Dively Frontiers in Globalization Luncheon Series. The CNN Crossfire anchor and Chicago Sun-Times columnist, under fire for his naming former CIA operative Valerie Plame in his July 14 column, "Mission to Niger," was the guest of honor at a faculty breakfast followed by a student question and answer session and a luncheon.

Novak admitted to being uncomfortable with the intense media scrutiny but, "I have printed secrets all my life," he said. Novak joked that "during the Carter administration, I had more classified information in my briefcase than there was in the government."

The 72-year-old political pundit was dressed sharply in a three piece pin-striped suit, a shock of frizzy grey hair arching off of his roundish head. Shortly after the faculty breakfast at 10 a.m., Novak, tagged the Prince of Darkness by his Washington counterparts, ambled unnoticed into the Amarnick-Goldstein theatre—a humbling moment in a sea of youthful indifference—flanked by Vice President of Academic Affairs, Kathleen Cheek-Milby.

A seasoned journalist, and grating TV pundit—a flashy celebrity he is not. Continued on Page 2
Novak (From Pg 1)

“'It's a hard day for Chicago,' was the opening quip from the Chicago-native and Cubs fan as he took the stage.

Throughout the Q&A session, Novak was uncharacteristically patient and soft-spoken. Novak called the relationship between confidential source and reporter, "the very lifeblood of journalism."

A student asked, "Is it intimidating to meet the President?"

"No, I knew the President when he was still drinking."

The side-splitters didn't stop there.

Asked what he thought about the Democratic candidates, Novak said, "They're a good substitute for sleeping pills."

Though he reckoned Dr. Howard Dean would be the Democratic Party pick, he joshed that Rev. Al Sharpton was his personal favorite.

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**False Fire Alarm**

Old Lynn Evacuated by Mark McGhee

Students had to evacuate the Lynn Residence Center at 5:00 a.m. Sunday when an unidentified person sprayed a fire extinguisher on the third floor. The incident is currently under investigation by the Boca Raton Police Department.

Fingerprints were taken from the extinguisher, according to Dean of Students Paul Turner.

Lynn Residence Hall Director Paul Pavlica would not verify the disciplinary action the university would take if the offender was caught, saying, "We deal with every case individually."

"I always encourage students to come and talk with me if they're having a problem in the dorms."

Despite the griping from students, University policy clearly states re-entry after a fire alarm is at the discretion of security or residence staff. There is also a federal law which requires all occupants evacuate the building immediately after the alarm is sounded.

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Political Question Of The Week
by Caline Fonteneau

What do you think of Arnold Schwarzenegger being elected as California's governor?

Jason Davis—"It shows that politics boils down to popularity. This reminded me of when people voted for Ronald Reagan in the 80s. Look at Jesse Ventura. What did he know about politics? I think Will Smith has more of a chance being the first African-American president than Colin Powell."

Brandon Rosetti—"I think it's great. I think he'll be good because he has a lot of ambition and a lot of interest in making the state a better place."

Frederik Schrooyen—"I think he's not capable of leading the state. I don't think he's a leader. He became governor because he was popular."

Ramko Van der Weijden—"It shows you can become governor if you have money and you're well known; they don't look at your skills."

Patricia Castano—"I think he'll do a good job. His wife is from the Kennedy family. He's been involved in politics before."

Fire Alarm (From Pg 2)

According to a statement released by Pavlica, third floor students were the last to re-enter the building while cleaners wearing protective masks tried to clean up the harmful dry powder chemicals.

Pavlica later issued a memo to the dorm's occupants stating, "The University is billed every time the Boca Raton Fire Department responds to fire alarms on campus. Unfortunately, if this continues to be a problem, your student accounts will be charged."

But, according to Assistant Chief Johnson of the Boca Raton Fire Department, Lynn is not billed for isolated incidents like these. Pavlica would not comment.

A number of students did not respond to Sunday's loud alarm, and were ordered to leave the building when security did routine room-to-room checks. As a result, they were kept outside an hour longer.

One student, who spoke to ePulse on the condition of anonymity, said, "I just wasn't woken up by the alarm. They made me and others stay outside for an extra hour afterwards and I was further inconvenienced four days later when my ID card was deactivated without any warning."

Again, Pavlica refused comment.

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Kids (From Pg. 1)

"Get to work with the kids in the community," said Orezzoli.

The players get a kick out of working with the kids too.

"They learn how to collect the ball without it bouncing off their shins," said Jaclyn Shropshire, a mid-fielder for the Knights.

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Weekly Sports Update
Men's Soccer Team Rules
by Lisa Gangel

The men's soccer team is still in full swing. With a 12-0-1 on the season, the Knights drew with Nova Southeastern last Wednesday 2-2 in a double-overtime match. Saturday, though, they out-played opponent Florida Tech in a complete 90-minute game, resulting in a 7-1 romping! Six of those goals came in the second half, three off the foot of senior Mark Melling. Sophomore Andy Hirst added two. LU out shot Tech 23-4.

Preparation now begins for Barry University. The team will make their way to Boca next Saturday for a 3 p.m. home stand. SSC rivalries can get pretty heated, but none as heated as this one. Last season, LU dropped only one game and that loss was to Barry. With that being said, this Saturday's match will prove to be one you won't want to miss!

Knight's senior scorer Fernando Villalobos was recognized last week as the SSC player of the week. The forward put down 3 goals and 1 assist against Rollins a week ago Saturday. The honor puts him among teammates David Benn, Andy Hirst, and Ross Lumsden who have also received POW recognition.

The women's soccer team, 5-7, ends their nine day hiatus this Tuesday when they take on Nova Southeastern.

Play continues on Friday when they face Eckerd. Both matches are at home.

Men's golf returns from a weekend of action at the MacDonald's Cup in New Haven, Connecticut. The Knights took 7th place overall. Sophomore Sebastian Salem led the way, tying for third at one-over-par-141.

The Lynn tennis team was in action as well at the Hastings Memorial/JU Invitational in Jacksonville. Marie Barbier and Monika Mastalirova took home the women's doubles title, their second title this season.

On the men's side, advancing to the semifinals was doubles pair Regnier Azevedo and Jan Macko. Barbier and Mastalirova take the courts this weekend in Corpus Christi, TX, competing in the ITA Small College Nationals.

On the other court, women's volleyball, 11-13 overall, made a splash this weekend, winning their first Sunshine State Conference match against Eckerd.

Senior Michele Newman recorded her twelfth double-double with 25 kills and 25 digs.

Newman, along with junior Shelby Vollmer, were honored before the match for breaking school records, Newman with 1,037 kills and Vollmer 973 digs.

The Prancing Knights
Dance and Cheer Teams Kick-off Season
by Caline Fonteneau

Lynn's school spirit comes to life in the hands, and feet, of the 30 members of the Fighting Knights Dance and Cheer teams.

The current squads, under the direction of coach Kathy Cosgrove, are a division of the Athletic Department and a primary attraction at the men's and women's basketball games.

Cheerleaders perform stunts as well as lead side-line chants, while the dancers shake their stuff at halftime for home games.

Each squad has 15 members, the most both have seen since they officially became part of Athletics last fall.

Previously a dance team club, the original group was started by former Lynn homecoming queen, Leury Moreno and four friends. Their first year was met with lackluster success, and after a summer of planning, the original team was adopted and a cheer team was born.

The incoming class brought new ideas and much needed experience to the budding dancers.

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The teams kicked-off of their Continued on Page 6
Triple Play Pad
Tropical Hideaway for Three
by McNeal Gravatt
Photos by Ryan Radkay

If you thought that last week's

Lynn Crib oozed with sex appeal, here's a three-bedroom, two-bath hacienda that's a chic chick shack. Bachelors Eric Keating, Chad Snyder and Bryan Collins, all Lynn seniors, are livin' it up big pimpin' style at N.E. 7th Avenue off of Palmetto Park Road.

We visited their home and got a taste of the goodies. For example, after a hard night of Friday and Saturday night ragers, they don't have to worry about falling down a flight of stairs in this perfect ranch house layout.

These pretty boys can make sure they look their best with one mirrored wall in each of their bedrooms. The three rooms are similar in size and come complete with bamboo blinds. The stainless steel refrigerator, glass-plated cabinets, and marble countertops in the kitchen give the place a warm luxurious feel. Once you are in the den, complete with black leather furniture, you'd think you're in an arcade with foosball, a dart board and a Beirut/beer pong table for late night festivities.

A screened-in porch with tasteful wicker furniture is the last place your feet touch before entering the backyard pool area. This is the best part of it all. With tiki torches, a huge kumquat tree, aloe, and flowering plants that border the Caribbean-paradise inspired pool with a water slide, you feel like you've gone to heaven.

"Thanks to Wishing Well for the Boddingtons umbrella," Snider said, pointing to the shaded poolside table.

Conveniently located near Maxwell's Chophouse and the Intracoastal, these living large seniors hope their pad will attract a bevy of beauties.

If you think you're Lynn crib is worthy enough for a visit, drop us a line at e-pulse@lynnuniversity.net

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Dancers (From Pg 4)

season on campus at MidKnight Madness and have been invited to cheer on the Knight's basketball teams at the Sunshine State Conference finals in Orlando this March.


Cheery and smiley


Dancers heat up the gym

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MidKnight Madness Season Premiere

If you heard loud music coming from the gym Tuesday night, it was probably the sounds of Madness. Students and staff came out and supported both the women's and men's basketball teams for their kick-off celebration at the gym.

Spectators were treated to free pizza, t-shirt giveaways, and 90 minutes of entertainment and fun from organizations around campus.

Birds Eye View

Aeronautics School Has Open House

Aviation students at the Burton D. Morgan School of Aeronautics have designated a "Lear Day" to raise awareness of the school's events on Saturday, Oct. 25 at the Boca Raton Airport from 10 to 2 p.m. The event, sponsored by the Cessna Pilot Center, will showcase several new Cessna aircrafts on display and is offering $49 introductory flights along with a tour of the facility and a seminar about aircraft ownership. Contact the school's Project Manager, Lynette Johnson, for more details.
Gateway to the World
Lynn’s Large International Student Body
by Caline Fonteneau

Juan
Camilo Tamayo just came back from a six week trip, visiting Buenos Aires, São Paulo, Rio de Janeiro, Santiago, Quito, Bogotá, Medellín, Barranquilla, Cartagena, Santo Domingo, San Salvador, Panama City, Managua, Guatemala City, Mexico City, and Guadalajara.

Tamayo is the Associate Director of International Admissions at Lynn, and he has been actively recruiting students internationally for the past 18 years. He informs students in Latin America and around the world about the variety of academic programs offered at the Boca campus.

“Our international students love Lynn because of the location,” said Tamayo, a native Colombian. “They like that we are a very safe campus, in addition to our academic programs, career opportunities, and proximity to the Miami area.”

Currently, Lynn has students enrolled from 91 different countries around the world, 38 percent of them are from the Caribbean, and Central and South America.

While Miami may be referred to as “The capital of South America”, the University of Miami has only a 10 percent international student body, whereas Lynn boasts almost 25 percent.

At Lynn, the largest number of Latin Americans

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn University 2003

Teresa Huggins and Darren Carter are named to represent the campus.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?
Alumni Spotlight
by Jason Davis

As we travel on this road called life, we know that there were many individuals who came before us and that there will be many after us. What if we had a chance to pick the brain of those who came before us, just to get a brief life lesson?

ePulse decided to track down a few Lynn alums, whose lives have taken different paths since graduating, but they all say that Lynn was a great learning experience and the learning didn’t stop after graduation.

Omar DeSouza
DeSouza earned his Bachelor of Arts in International Business Management from Lynn in 2001. He then went on to complete his MBA in 2002. Since leaving Lynn, Omar has

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**Politics: The Weekly Poll**
by Caline Fonteneau

*Do you think Bush’s proposed $87 billion budget for the Iraqi Reconstruction and our troops should pass through Congress?*

**Kevin Mielec, Computer Graphics major**

"I don't think Bush should be awarded the money. Iraq is a hole that we're throwing money away on. We should get help from the U.N. or other countries."

**John Zagaria, Liberal Arts major**

"It should not be approved. It’s feeding the fire of our deficit. They’re going to come back and ask for more later because they know they’re going to get it. Bush is trying so hard to have this positive image and it’s having the opposite affect."

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**Mark Sterner Speaks**

**Anti-DUI Speaker Will Give Presentation**

by Sheena Foster

In what has been dubbed the most highly anticipated event of Lynn’s Alcohol Awareness Week, nationally renowned public speaker Mark Sterner comes to campus on Oct. 21 to present his emotionally charged DUI: A Powerful Lesson presentation.

Sterner was the designated driver on the final night of his beer-soaked 1994 spring break, spent with his four fraternity brothers on Sanibel Island. After a high-speed car accident left him in critical condition and his three friends dead, Sterner served a 3-year DUI manslaughter sentence and is currently still under probation until 2010.

"The judge told me that if I mess up, he’s sending me back for the whole 45 year [maximum prison sentence]. He said that my friends didn’t get a second chance to mess up, and I don’t either," said Sterner.

Sterner has traveled nationwide to preach about the aftermath of his driving under the influence, aided with disturbing video that shows footage of the friends driving on that fateful night.

To date he has spoken to almost 1 million students.

"Would my friends be married now?" Sterner wonders. "Would they have kids? I don’t know. I’ll wonder ‘what if’ for the rest of my life."

Sterner will speak in the Louis and Ann Green Center at 12:30 p.m.
A "Fresh" Adventure
Caribbean Bound in 2004

The Lynn University freshman international experience for the upcoming school year will focus on the Cayman Islands and Jamaica. Freshmen will travel by sea on the M.S. Imagination to Grand Cayman and Ocho Rios early in January 2004. Here's what last year's group thought of the cruise.

"I had a great time on the Academic Adventure. I enjoyed the whole entire trip thoroughly. From the beginning to the very end."
Nick Peterson

"The Academic Adventure left good memories in my mind, which I will never forget and will always appreciate."
Marcelo Guzman

"While I enjoyed the port visits, the time on the boat is what I enjoyed most. I was never on a cruise ship before and Carnival gave me an outstanding first impression."
Lana Marsico

"It really brought together the Class of 2006 and made them bond and get to know each other on a different level."
Adam Godt

"I enjoyed how this cruise and the Academic Adventure brought me to many places that maybe I would have never visited before."
John Crawford

International Athletes
Flock To Lynn

Sports Teams Boast
International Flavor
by David Silverman

Lynn is known not only for its ability to draw students and faculty from around the world to the well-known Conservatory of Music, but also to the school's sports program.

Lynn is very attractive to student-athletes from other countries looking to continue their education in America. Lynn showcases the personal attention of a small school and an athletic program, known for its excellence and diversity, combined with warm weather and a beautiful, clean and safe city, to bring in top talent.

One of the main reasons why international student-athletes come here is because they can play their sport and attend school at the same time without sacrificing either.

Marie Barbier, a 5-foot-8 senior from France and a member of the women's tennis team, said that in France, if you playing tennis and also attending a university, giving 100 percent to both would hinder your education.

"People only focus on one or the other. There is no balance between the two. The education system is well rounded in the U.S. In Europe, though, it could never be as good as this."
Andrew Hirst, a six-foot-one junior mid-fielder on the men's soccer team, who played semi-pro soccer in Towlaw, England, said, "The set up and resources provided to the Lynn teams is far better than most of the lower-end pro teams in..."
Double Trouble Tennis
Barbier, Mastalirova Score
by Justin Cohen

Seniors Monika Mastalirova and Marie Barbier are having a great season. This past weekend, the team rallied to win four matches and take the doubles title, which lands them a spot in the ITA Southeast Regional Championships. Mastalirova, Barbier

England." According to Hirst, most semi-pro teams that play soccer for a living have to be bussed from game to game, provide their own first-aid supplies, and, if they’re lucky, they’ll have team warm-up gear. Lynn’s soccer players are flown to games, have a complete training staff, and top-of-the-line uniforms and equipment.

Besides the funding advantages, Lynn offers other qualities non-existent overseas. Colleges in most of Europe don’t have intercollegiate sports, just clubs. Each of the international students, who ended up at Lynn, traveled different paths.

Hirst actually met a current player from Lynn who said the coach was looking for players. After the coach flew eight hours to meet him and described the program and setting, he chose Boca.

Another student, Fernando Villalobos, a senior mid-fielder standing just under six feet, decided to forgo pitches from several big Division 1 schools to play in a program home to arguably one of the best soccer teams in the nation. It’s no wonder they get to scrimmage against major league soccer teams like the DC United.

Lynn’s athletes not only shine on the field but in the classroom as well. The NCAA requires that all team members maintain a 2.0 GPA to remain eligible. Of the some 180 athletes at Lynn, over 125 have a GPA of 3.0 or better.

Athletes displaying great abilities are given full scholarships, covering their tuition, room and board, books.
come from Colombia. There are also quite a few Brazilian, Haitian, and Argentinean students.

According to Tamayo, our diverse student body is not only beneficial to other international students, but to domestic students as well. "They enhance our campus with their cultures, helping all students and eventual graduates, especially in adapting to a multinational work arena. And that kind of experience applies to all majors."

"I came here because it's close to home, and my older sister lives in Miami, but the schools are too big there," said Clara Quiroz a Marketing major from Bogota, Colombia. "I wanted a smaller, more personalized private school."

Some students, like Milena Chisco, didn't come here for the South Florida allure. "I got a sports scholarship," said the Colombian native. Chisco was a star basketball player for the women's team during her four years at Lynn. She received the Purple Heart at last year's Athletic Recognition Banquet, an honor awarded to the person on the women's basketball team "Who plays hard and hustles on court", according to former coach Celia Slater.

Those who watched her on the court were amazed at the speedy 5'0" guard. Chisco enjoyed her college years in Boca and is planning to stay in the area. "I'm getting my degree in Business Management and am trying to find a job when I graduate in December," Chisco said.

The proximity to the Caribbean and similar climate also draws many Puerto Rican students like Guillermo Gordillo, a Communications major. "What I liked most was the campus and the weather," he said. "It's close to the beach and it reminds me of home. I live two blocks from the beach in San Turce."

"I came to Lynn because it has a lot of international students, and their communications department is very good," said Patricia Andreu from Caguas, Puerto Rico.

Roxana Schumann, an international student advisor, said there are three main reasons that Latin American students like Lynn. "First, our location, how close we are to their home country," she said.

"Second, their relatives or family friends may have a second home here in South Florida, and so students feel at home in the area, and third, we're not in Miami. "The American population is larger in counties north of Miami-Dade, and students prefer to integrate more with American culture," she added.

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become an International Finance Analyst for a construction company. DeSouza currently resides in Chicago, though his career has taken him to Europe and Latin America.

"The entrepreneurial emphasis has really helped me be more open-minded and aware of my creative potential. I learned that networking was very important. Lynn is a small school and you have to learn the game of politics."

Bernadette O'Grady

O'Grady graduated from The College of Boca Raton in 1979 with an Associate in Liberal Arts degree. She then went on to complete her Bachelor of Science in Communications from Florida Atlantic University in 1981.

Soon after, O'Grady was hired by WPTV Channel 5, an NBC affiliate for West Palm Beach, as the Public Service Coordinator and is now the Director of Programming and Creative Services.

O'Grady has been with WPTV for 22 years and counting.

"Never be afraid of hard work. Always give attention to any project that you get involved in. Remember: your name and your reputation is on the line."

Alumni and Families Weekend Roundup

Fun, Friends and Festivities

by Mark McGhee

Beginning Friday, Lynn will host homecoming events to welcome families, alumni and prospective students.

Conservatory Of Music alumni will perform Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall located in the DeHoernle International Center.

An alumni reception at Gatsby's, complete with open bar and hors d'oeuvres will be from 8 p.m. until 11.

On Saturday, catch the Men's basketball intraquad game from 12:30 p.m. to 2 and the alumni soccer game, starting at 12:30 p.m. at the McCusker Sports Complex, which will be accompanied by food, entertainment, live music and an international beer garden.

Coffee with the president, along with an academic fair, will be held at 9:30 a.m. in the Louis and Anne Green Center For The Expressive Arts, and is a chance to meet with faculty members.

Tours of the campus and various departments as well as academic sessions are part of the day's activities.

Later that evening, a Dave Mathews tribute band, The Dreaming Tree, is at 7 p.m. on the Student Center patio by the lake. Alumni will meet again at The Wishing Well Irish Pub at 9 p.m. to reminisce.

On Sunday, a special brunch will be held in the cafeteria.

Channel 77 Films For The Week Of Oct. 27- Nov. 2

Tuesday: CITIZEN KANE (Directed by: O. Welles, U.S.A, 1941, not rated)
Wednesday: NORTH BY NORTHWEST (Directed by: A. Hitchcock, U.S.A, 1959, not rated)
Thursday: DREAMS (Directed by: A. Kurosawa, 1990, Japan, rated PG)
Friday through Sunday: REAR WINDOW (Directed by: A. Hitchcock, U.S.A, 1954, 115m, not rated)

How do films guide our attention? How do we make sense of films? These serious questions will be addressed in our film appreciation discussion this week. The answer is related to one concept, the film's form, structure, language - and our very basic life experiences, all collaborate in the film viewing process to generate a meaningful and enjoyable experience.

Intl Athletes (From Pg 4)

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Recruiting is a major operation in itself. Mike Perez, head coach of the tennis team, knows there is a high level of play overseas and has a number of alumni who find players.

Having been on the team, the alumni know the level of play required. According to Perez, they will go after five kids to get one.

The men's soccer team definitely goes the furthest to find talent. Having been coaching at Lynn for 13 years, Shaun Pendleton has built up an overseas group of past alums and pro coaches who look for talent.

As a result, Pendleton gets the variety of components he needs for the perfect team.
"The first feeling I had was a slight numbing of my tongue..."

"We were greeted by Oriental goddesses"

"Academic excellence at an institution often described as 'the school by the pool?'"

Lynn Families Weekend
Celebrations For All
by Sheena Foster

Last weekend, Lynn was the place to see and be seen by the large turnout of alumni, current and prospective students and their families. ePulse didn't miss a minute of it and we've got the visual recap in this special weekend update edition. Check out our 2-page photo spread and make sure to let your friends and family know if they've been snapped by the ePulse!

"It was one of the most successful Homecoming weekends," said Director of Alumni Relations Gareth Fowles. About 300 families and 230 alumni paid homage to their alma mater. Alums came from as far as the Czech Republic and Finland. One, Lenin Steenkamp, a 1993 grad who now plays pro soccer for the Rochester Rhinos in New York, was sighted on campus too.

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I just checked out the site. It's looking good! Keep it up. I'm almost proud I went to Lynn.

Jesse J. Leed, Class of 2003

It doesn't make me want to go out and change the world, but it's a darn good paper!

Greg Gerosky, Class of 2003

I graduated from Lynn with a Communications degree, and I am impressed! The newspaper has improved dramatically.

Christian Meier, Class of 2000

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A Rockin' Recital
But Where Was Lynn?
by Natale Servino

Last Thursday, the Conservatory of Music presented "Music in Poetry," a cello and poetry recital with Johanne Perron on cello, Lisa Leonard on piano and poets from the Smoking Loom Poetry Society.

The members of the poetry society consist of Lynn’s very own faculty and friends.

An audience of locals, students, a few faculty and staff sat in the Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall. Sadly, no administrators showed. The students that did attend evidently came only for the extra credit from their professors because, after intermission, all but a scattered handful remained.

Where was the rest of the Lynn community at this celebration of "liberal arts" at its finest? Seeing a talent such as Ms. Perron play should be a strong enough enticement to attend. To hear the poetry of your own faculty and friends is yet another.

How can there be a thriving community on campus when we are not actively sharing diverse ideas? A student who has chosen to continue their education at a university should signify that they have chosen a life of higher learning. We must remember that not all learning occurs in the classroom.

Events like this blend all lessons from our curriculum into one harmonious experience.

Now I challenge the rest of you to become active individuals so that together as a whole we can grow.

Politics: The Weekly Poll
by Endya Palm

How do you feel about Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld questioning U.S. progress in the Iraqi war?

"I believed it to be just a change in Rumsfeld’s course of action. He altered his decision because the situation turned a different way."

Brandon Sarmas, 20

"I think it’s a good choice. Very positive. The war is over. I think we should be out of there, anyway. We should let them do their own thing."

Kyle Robert, 19

"I support all his decisions."

Nelson Lewis, 19
calmed down their wilder side to accommodate a more stylish lifestyle.

This 1700-square-foot home offers all the amenities a college student would want, including a supersized outdoor built-in brick grilling area big enough for Emeri-BAM! A canopied outdoor patio and poolside tiki torches make a perfect combination to catch some rays while watching Sunday football and grilling. The foosball table in the garage and tiki torches lining their plush backyard makes this home hard to beat.

Inside, the slick Spanish-tiled living room is connected to the dining area, and french doors separate the seating area from the outdoor lounge. Set back from the rest of the house, the moderately sized narrow kitchen is tucked away on the other side of the dining area.

The bedrooms, almost identical in size, both have bathrooms en suite. The only difference is, one overlooks the pool and the other has a view of the front yard. It’s not the biggest house, but with the outdoor setup, it feels as if it’s all connected.

Beware of the...students

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Living in Delray, these guys are sure to go out a lot. Hey, you might even spot them at Dada’s, one of their favorites. You might also see Hanke surfing the notoriously gigantic Delray Beach waves nearby.

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Chillin' pool side

Honors Program Grows

Proposal In The Works

by Mark McGhee

Not long ago, the phrase "Lynn University Honors Program" was a bit of an oxymoron. Academic excellence at an institution often described as "the school by the pool?"

In the past few years, however, the Honors Program has grown substantially. It now has about 100 students, and there are plans for further expansion.

"The aim of the program is to widen the academic balance and strengthen the academic integrity of Lynn University," said Winston Aarons, director of the program.

Aarons said that the Honors Program helps class retention, a key issue at Lynn. He also said one of the program's many goals is to increase students' global perspective and nurture their "perpetual desire to learn."

"It can inspire the top students," he added.

Students are rewarded with a $1,000 Honors Scholarship, but to enter the program, they must have a 3.5 GPA and must maintain a 3.25 GPA.

Juliette Schohn, an Honors student and a Communications major, said, "The Honors classes are more active. There are more debates, and both the students and the professors are more challenging."

This fall, there are 14 honors classes. Next spring, there will be around 30, according to Aarons. "Lynn University has a stigma that it is an easy university," said Lisa Gangel, another Honors student.

"Expanding the Honors Program will help shake off this false stigma." Aarons said he hopes to increase the number of intermediate and upper-level honors classes, and there may be an Honors major in the not-too-distant future.

Nick Ravo, a journalism instructor, said he had been particularly impressed by the program.

"The honors students I have had in my classes have really been, for the most part, model students. Expanding this program is great for the school's reputation and for the students involved."

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Mr. and Ms. Lynn U., Darren Carter and Teisha Huggins, lead off the Golf Cart Parade on Saturday morning.

"Feel the Heat" was the cart's theme

The R.A.'s win the Homecoming Games for the second year in a row

Will it Float? Lindsay McHugh, Dante Roberts and Darren Carter find out in the "Anything that Floats" competition

Maggie Bartlett, Cara Goldberg and Amy Ellenberg squeeze n' cheese

Stephen Zwick and Lance Sylvia shoot the breeze

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Tony Casale and other administrators talk to parents during Saturday's coffee with the president.

The winning golf cart belonged to the "Tropical Heat" team.

Students, parents and alumni got to taste the flavors at the international festival on Saturday.

Students design their "Battery-powered chariots".

"Dive right in!"

Dave Matthews cover band belts it out.

Strummin' and hummin'

Master violin player...in a tank top?

Claudio Jaffe conversing.

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of mind, relaxes the muscles and
boosts alertness. The Nakamal in
Boca is the place to chill and get a
taste of a 3,000 year old tradition.

**Kava’s Roots**

Made from the *Piper* *Methysticum*—"Intoxicating pepper"—root, Kava is non-alcoholic, though Nakamal staff prefers drinkers be at least 18.

It’s a South Pacific mainstay with a reverse tolerance: the more you drink, the less you feel the effects.

The drink has a wide range of traditional ceremonial uses. Even Pope John Paul II, drank it on his 1986 trip to the Fijian nation. And, it’s taken before long journeys, before and during important meetings or disagreements because of its calming effects.

Kava is a part of tribal life and even used to cure some illnesses.

In his 1937 book, *Savage Civilization*, Tom Harrison explains Kava best. "Your head is affected most pleasantly. Thoughts come clearly. You feel friendly...never cross...You cannot hate with Kava in you."

The Nakamal was the first Kava bar in America when it opened two years ago, and is located near Florida Atlantic University. Only recently has a second one opened in West Palm Beach.

**Nakamal Night**

I felt obligated to try the Kava experience myself, so I went to The Nakamal on a Monday for the open poetry and music night.

**Shipping Out**

The dim lights, mellow music, and authentic décor of masks and artifacts covered the walls. If Tahiti had coffee houses, this is how I would imagine them. The crowd was a combination of college kids, business and artsy types. The manager, Kenn Hoyumpa, welcomed everyone and gave a quick introduction about the drink and its effects.

I ordered a single serving, which came in a half of a coconut shell at a cost of $3.75, and an apple juice for 75 cents. The juice is a chaser because the drink is not known for its taste. Free candy and other drinks are also available.

At first, I felt a slight numbing of my tongue and, after a few minutes, I took a walk around and noticed my legs felt funny. A few bowls later and I had never felt so relaxed.

**Kava Debated**

But Kava’s critics are plentiful. Several European countries have recently banned it based on German and Swiss research of liver toxicity. The National Institute of Medical Herbalists disagrees, claiming the research focused only on concentrated extracts, not the safer traditional method served at The Nakamal.

Dr. Donald P. Waller of the University of Illinois at Champaign reviewed the same studies and said there’s “no scientifically supported association of liver disease.” The study, however, warned against mixing Kava with medications and alcohol. The Nakamal staff knows this and have warnings posted throughout.

Hoyumpa said, “Nakamal is a very unique and relaxing environment that Americans could use and benefit from. It has a profound effect on people.”

Kava consumers may have to try the drink a few times to feel the full magnitude of effects making it a unique experience.

Learn more at drinkkava.com
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**Parting Shot**

Drying the Kava
Privy to the guest list, we did not get to rub elbows with the superstars in Opium’s VIP Privé. Entering the open-air venue, we felt the presence of Miami’s high society. Opium’s fabulous ambiance of tropical plants, palm trees and huge drapes unleashed a majestic impression on us.

The parking in Miami is difficult, but for $10 we got to park in a sketchy dirt lot not too far from the club.

I was a little nervous as I walked up to the glamorous entrance and went straight to the bouncer who was holding the guest list. I was told by a friend of mine, who knows the DJ, that my name would be down with three other spaces, so I said, “Hey, how ya doing, Mark McGhee.”

Then we waited as he flicked through the list, I had three friends depending on me so I started getting nervous, then the bouncer said, “Sorry, you’re name isn’t on the list.”

“What? It should be, I’m with Sheldon, the DJ.”

Then we were relieved to hear we were at the wrong club, we were at Privé, which is next door to Opium, and is identical. So, if you haven’t been before, Opium’s the one on the right.

It turned out my name was on the list, which was nice, considering the regular $20 entrance charge.

We slid our way towards the main room, surrounded by several stone stairways leading up to the other bars and private sections. As my friends and I grabbed a table on the main dance floor, we were greeted by Oriental goddesses adorning us with rose petals. The soft colorful lighting and the funky house music were the finishing touches to a guaranteed great evening.

However, there was a distinct lack of hot girls. Skeptical? Ah! But it was true. We were quite surprised ourselves that most of the Opium patrons were men.

It was time to hit up the bar, and with the first round of drinks, we discovered they were small and rather pricey, $11 for a Makers and Coke. In the company of our Features editor, David Silverman, we were treated to a $200 bottle of Champagne and strawberries.

After a wonderful evening, all we needed to top the night off was a tasty dolphin sandwich we found at a little Irish pub.

Find Your Inner Writer

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by Sheena Foster

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#CareerOpportunitiesFair

Is Your Resume Ready?

On Nov. 12 from 12 to 6 p.m., students will be able to meet with some top local companies and pass out their resume at the Career Opportunities Fair in the Louis and Anne Green Center. Employers from companies such as the Boca Raton Community Hospital, Prudential Financial, the Internal Revenue Service and Blue Sky Public Relations will be on hand to recruit Lynn students. The event is free of charge.

To register, visit www.lynn.edu/careers and click the "Employers" section, or call Dana Levy, Director of Career Development at (561) 237-7287

On The Air

Knight Radio Show Schedule

**Monday:**
2:00-4:00 Jason Davis & John Stone
4:00-5:00 Russell
5:00-6:00 John Stone

**Tuesday:**
1:00-3:00 Greg Lynn
3:00-5:00 Patty & Jenna
7:00-10:00 Movie Show w/ Marie
10:00-11:00 Sports Jam w/ Mike Fisch

**Wednesday:**
9:00-11:00 Emir Erkan
3:00-5:00 Music Talk w/Cassie, Nicole, Sahar
5:00-6:00 Megan
7:00-8:00 Chick music talk w/ Tammy & Emily

**Thursday:**
2:00-4:00 Blake & Jason
5:00-6:00 DJ Ravi
7:00-8:00 Mark & Dave

**Friday:**
9:00-11:00 Emir Erkan
11:00-2:00 2 Angry Scotsmen & Jacob
3:00-5:00 Will Cockey
5:00-7:00 DJ Ravi

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**Channel 77 Films For The Week Of Nov. 3-10**

**Monday:** THE HOURS (Directed by: S. Daldry, U.S.A, 2002, Rated PG-13)

**Tuesday:** ADAPTATION (Directed by: S. Jonze, U.S.A, 2003, Rated R)

**Wednesday:** AMORES PERROS (Directed by: A.G. Innaritu, Mexico, 2000, Rated R)

**Thursday:** RUN LOLA RUN (Directed by: T. Tykwer, Germany, 1999, Rated R)

**Friday through Sunday:** MEMENTO (Directed by C. Nolan, U.S.A, 2001, 116m, Rated R)

Any student is welcome to sign up for Knight Radio. Visit the 3rd floor of the library or call 561-237-7098