BOD voting today

by Michelle Miller
Staff reporter

Voting for next year’s board of directors is going on across campus today and campaign organizers are hoping that voter turnout increases dramatically from the poor showing in last week’s primary election.

Last Thursday’s primary results advanced two presidential candidates on to the general election: Kristin Wetzel, political science major; and Steve Seibel, the only returning BOD member, told students they needed to get involved.

Today’s voting will be held from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the SUB, Nicholson Pavilion and all three dining halls. The results of this election will determine who will fill the following positions: president, executive vice president, representative to political affairs; and Bryce Harper, 20, a sports management major for the office of representative to academic affairs. Four candidates will be running unopposed: Kris Henry, 20, a sports management major for the office of representative to political affairs; Shawn Christie, 19, a political science major for the office of vice president to organizational affairs; Scott Westlund, 21, a political science major for the office of representative to political affairs; and Bryce Seibel, 22, a physics major for the office of executive vice president.

Seibel, the only returning BOD member, told students they needed to get involved. "You can make a difference," he said. "Stick your neck out and get involved."

Outrage voiced at King forum
Central students apalled at jury’s decision and violence in Los Angeles

by Jill Johnson
Managing editor

The verdict in the King case took place Saturday, May 3, and there will be a free high school jazz concert from 6-11 p.m. in Hertz Auditorium.

The play "Our Country’s Good" will show at 8 p.m. in the Tower Theater. The play will also show at the same time on Sunday.

Saturday holds most of the weekend activities, including two wet and wild sporting events sponsored by the enrichment halls. The first begins at 1:30 where teams of students and parents participate in a old-fashioned "fireman's bucket brigade." Afterwards, teams square off in a game of "water balloon volleyball" competition.

Prizes will be handed out to the winning participants. For those who enjoy viewing scenic nature, there will be a Yakima River float on both Saturday and Sunday from 1-6 p.m.

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The committee selected the finalists.

"We looked at more than just a student's GPA," Cena said. "We wanted a well-rounded student; one with more diversity," she said.

Cena stressed that all 19 nominees are winners and it was difficult to select the finalist.

"It's a wide range of students this year," said Scott Drummond, student activities coordinator.

The 10 students will receive a certificate at the Parent's Weekend Sunday brunch in the SUB Fountain Room.

They will also have a press release sent to their hometown newspapers, as well as the Ellensburg Daily Record.

President Ivory V. Nelson was invited to make the presentation to the students but at press time it was not known if he could attend.

The outstanding students are:

- Deborah Burnham, an anthropology and history major and member of Phi Theta Kappa and Phi Alpha Theta. Burnham is on the National Dean's list and received three scholarships.

- Lynne Dufault, an early childhood education major. She is the vice president of the Parent Teacher Club and has co-chaired three PTC projects.

- Dwight H. Hintz, Jr., a mathematics major and aerospace studies minor. He is a member of the Arnold Air Society and was awarded the "Outstanding Medium Squadron" and "Outstanding Small Squadron" three times.

- Becky Severin, a fashion design major. She has been president, vice president and show chairman of Student Association of Fashion Designers.

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Nobel prize winner talks money

Economic students listen to Dr. Milton Friedman

By KyLynn K. Kosoff
Staff reporter

Central's economics club, its adviser Dr. Bob Carbaugh, and Central president Ivy Nelson talked with Nobel Prize winner Dr. Milton Friedman last Tuesday about the state of domestic and international economics. Dr. Friedman won the Nobel Prize in economics in 1976.

"We have enough to do right here," he said. "He has an amazing ability to express the complex ideas of economics in a very basic form that anybody could understand," said Mike Gibbons, a senior in economics who attended the conference call.

Carbaugh asked Friedman how he got interested in economics.

Friedman said he was interested in mathematics but didn't know how to make a living at it so he took an economics course and ended up with a double major in mathematics and economics as an undergraduate. Friedman, who is currently at the Hoover Institute in California, has written numerous articles for the Wall Street Journal, wrote "Capitalism and Freedom," and most recently co-authored a book with his wife Rose Friedman, also an economist, titled "Freedom to Choose." This book was made into a series on television about different aspects of the economy and is available in the university library.

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Friedman wrote a letter to Friedman on behalf of Central's economic club, Omicron Delta Epsilon, asking if he would be interested in devoting an hour of his time to answer questions the students and faculty may have.

Carbaugh said it was fortunate Dr. Friedman agreed to participate for free because he is usually paid around $20,000 for speaking engagements. The large group piled into a small room in the library awaiting the 3 p.m. phone call from Friedman.

Carbaugh said he wished he could have obtained a larger facility for the interview, however, the library room was the only room that was equipped for the specific time.

"I would of booked the call for an auditorium and invited the whole university," he said.

Carbaugh said the economic club would like to do more interviews similar to this again, at least twice a year.

Carbaugh also said this would be an event which remains in students' minds.

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4 p.m. Cost is $10 per person. History buffs can enjoy two free walking tours—one of the Central campus and one of Ellensburg.

The first begins at 1:30, the second at 3 p.m. Art fans can see the Sarah Spurgeon Art Gallery exhibit in Randall Hall from 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

The University Bookstore will also be open during the weekend for those browsers or buyers to check out the various Wildcat souvenirs.

Holmes Dining Hall will serve lunch from 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m., for $7 and a barbecue dinner from 4:45-6:30 p.m. for $9.

Saturday culminates with a comedy show in McConnell Auditorium at 8 p.m.

The show features a North-west capella group called Trenchcoats and stand-up comedian Ross Shafer, former host of Seattle's Al- most Live. Cost is $7.

Activities on Sunday include a Mother's Day Brunch in the SUB Fountain Room from 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

During the brunch, the outstanding student recognition awards will be given to this year's most noted students in both the Central campus and city community.

People may also listen to another jazz concert at noon entitled 'Jam For Brunch' in Hertz Auditorium. Cost is $3.

Also at noon, there will be a golf tournament at the Ellensburg Golf Course. The cost is $10.

Also at 3 p.m., there will be an auction at the Hertz Auditorium.

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Police Beat

By Andrew Martin  
Staff Reporter

* Police arrested someone for suspicion of driving under the influence of alcohol Thursday after an officer observed the car traveling over the centerline and speeding on Eighth Ave.

The person was transported to jail and was given a breathalyzer test and was then booked into jail.

* Police responded to a report of a hit and run accident in the J-8 parking lot on Friday.

Police said someone was backing out of a parking space when he turned sharply to the left hitting another car. The car was damaged in the rear quarter panel. The first car took off without stopping according to police.

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NCATE accreditation expected in fall

by Ellen Pope
Staff reporter

Passing the scrutiny of the National Council for Accreditation for Teacher Education (NCATE) will not be a problem come Nov. 14, 1992, said Dr. Ronald Frye, interim dean of Central's school of professional studies.

Frye said that NCATE "was flexing its muscle a bit" when it disapproved the teacher education program at Central, which is "the flagship institution in the state."

"NCATE used to be a rubber stamp," Frye said. No one ever failed NCATE accreditation until that last November when it disapproved one of every three universities it visited that year, Frye said.

Being the major accrediting body for teacher preparation in the nation, NCATE's stamp of approval is necessary for prestige, Frye said, but not mandatory for graduate students.

All Iowa state schools, for example, have withdrawn from NCATE even though they had been approved, Frye said.

Their decision was made for three reasons: NCATE standards don't measure quality, NCATE is too expensive, and the expense isn't worth it.

"Central is not planning anyTHING along those lines," Frye said. The criteria used by the state and national accreditation teams are not the same. While state criteria are based on the Washington Administration Code, those of NCATE are based on the so-called "knowledge base," which it now uses as its first standard.

"This is a hot one," said Dr. Osman Alawiye, interim associate dean of Central's school of professional studies.

He explained that the knowledge base is the design of the curriculum, which has essentially remained the same since NCATE's visit.

"The same courses, but with a different flavor," he said. Responsibilities have changed at the faculty level."

Alawiye coordinates the campus committee preparing for the NCATE visit.

Instead of using Central's century-old logo, "Docendo Discimus" — "By teaching, we learn," Alawiye's committee came up with its own theme last fall: "Facilitators of Learning in a Diverse World." The two main problem areas Alawiye's committee addresses are:

- Having an identifiable college of education or "unit."
- Design of the curriculum.

Central has established a center for the preparation of school personnel to fulfill the first criterion.

A major part of the second criterion, according to Dr. Libby Street, Central professor of psychology and a member of Alawiye's committee, is that for many years Central had a stable faculty. Word of mouth was the common practice for disseminating philosophies, procedures, and policies.

New Central is experiencing a high rate of staff turnover. New faculty are not privy to the NCATE "was flexing its muscle a bit" tradition, which necessitates written records.

Both Alawiye and Frye will be replaced July 1, 1992. Dr. Linda Murphy will serve as the new dean of the School of Professional Studies.

Frye will return to his position as associate dean. Alawiye will return to the classroom.

Dr. Murphy is currently the assistant dean for administration at the University of Toledo's College of Education.

Students sit in one of Central's many education classes. Despite the loss of NCATE accreditation, Central's teacher preparation program still attracts students.
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LETTERS

Guilty verdict brings angry response from a student

As a woman of conscience, I am disgusted and saddened at the verdict in the Rodney King beating case. It appears that all the rhetoric I was taught in school as a child about "justice for all" is, at best, a gross misrepresentation of reality.

In the 1980s, we saw a growing nod of approval toward the open expression of hatred and racism.

This notion, that it is "okay" to be a bigot, has undermined the hard fought for goals of the 1960s and has given to the brutality and blatant injustice of the 1990s.

The trial in Los Angeles is a case in point.

Frankly, I am ashamed of our society, which on one hand espouses the ideologies of equality, justice and the dignity of the individual, but on the other hand, does not embrace or value ALL of its citizens.

We have thrown the concept of "equal justice" out the window with a racist and hypocritical heave-ho.

If we, as a nation, do not actively seek out and passionately hold to the principles of the Constitution, we will perish in a failure of will, purpose and social idealism.

Sincerely,
Jo Miciotto-Brown

DREAMWORLDS portrays the reality of rape

Contrary to Matt Ayton's editorial last week, I would like to applaud STEPS for showing the "DreamWorlds" video.

As a Living Group Adviser, I showed the same tape as part of our Sexual Assault Awareness Week last quarter. And, unlike Ayton, our residents learned something.

Most importantly, "DreamWorlds" teaches us that rape stems from motives other than sexual needs. It is a result of how society —through rock and roll, movies and television— degrades women. I'm glad our residents can see how much it hurts and what it does to women.

Now it's time for us to wake up and realize what rape looks like. Then they can see how much it hurts and how women are perceived and treated.

Ayton also said STEPS should have done a presentation on "how to prevent sexual assault, not show us what rape looks like.

Well, news for you! "DreamWorlds" shows exactly how to prevent rape. Dressing conservatively or walking with a friend at night doesn't prevent rape — it just POSTPONES it.

Instead, prevention begins inside each of us, by correcting harmful attitudes.

It's good for people to see what a rape looks like. Then they can see how much it hurts and how women are perceived and treated.

Ayton felt "literally nauseous" when he watched the video. He must not have known much then, because "DreamWorlds" shows the rape as it is, inside each of us, by correcting harmful attitudes.

We all cause rape. We tell others how to prevent it. Administrators, faculty and students still believe prevention is easy. But pamphlets and escorts aren't the best answer.

Now it's time for us to wake up and realize what rape looks like. Then they can see how much it hurts and sexualize female survivors.

Sincerely,
Staci West
Reardon's integrity in question

I would like to take this opportunity to question the honesty and integrity of Aaron Reardon. Specifically, I would like to question the statements he listed on the statement sheet at polling locations.

On the statement sheet, Mr. Reardon wrote a letter in this paper attacking Eric Peter on his qualifications to discuss the 14 percent tuition increase.

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He states, "To prove Eric is a pretty poor leader, let us look at the trip to the capitol ... All we did was take a tour of the capitol and learn some history about the buildings."

In the statement sheet, he claims to have learned how to discuss the trip to the capitol and discuss the buildings.

Consider that both were spoken by the same person at different times. I personally believe the former to be the case.

Moreover, in the April 16, 1992, edition of The Observer, six BOD members spoke out to refute Reardon's obviously inflammatory statements.

In the letter, the authors state, "Each study shows that the so-called "brain dead" "daze" people are not "unfeeling and as I'm."

In conclusion, I would like to say that Mr. Reardon's tactics are not hardball politics and that he knows how to represent us (the students) in the capitol.

Submitted by

David Viebrock

Overgrading grading

This letter is focused on "Student grades too high," The Observer, April 30, 1992, p.2.

We feel that the point was lost to the statement sheet, he...at least what the cleanup offered. Why weren't more students made aware of the opportunity to benefit the campus and their living environment?

That's what we would like to know. We believe that it is primarily due to lack of coverage by The Observer. Two articles were written about the cleanup, the first as an invitation and the second as a summary, and neither made it to print.

Sincerely,

David Viebrock

Cleanup cleaned up without exposure

The campus cleanup which took place on Saturday, April 25, was a tremendous success. Over 100 pounds of garbage was removed from the campus by more than 25 dedicated students.

Although there was a more that satisfactory turnout, it is our belief that more students would have come out if they had known a little bit more of what the cleanup offered.

We realize that there is limited space in The Observer, and RHC appreciates the publicity we received recently. However, why not include the positive actions on our campus as well as the more controversial issues?

Because of the unfortunate decisions made by student leaders, we were not able to acknowledge the merchants in our community who donated their time and service to enhance the cleanup and increase student incentive and support.

Thank you for giving us voice to our concerns, if this will ever make it to print.

Sincerely,

Denise Skaggs, Sheila Gilbreath, Joe Butler
RHC executive officers

Film depicts reality

We feel we must respond to Matt Ayton's letter addressing the film "DreamWorlds" (which we refer to as the 1990 Sexual Assault Awareness Week).

The film explored how rock videos influence the way we view women, and how sexual objectification leads to violence. Mr. Ayton felt that the film was inappropriate because it did not teach him how to prevent sexual assaults, or how to deal with it if it happened to someone he knows.

STEPS teaches things like these, but we feel a variety of educational formats is necessary to focus on areas of violent sexual assaults.

We acknowledge that the film did manipulate scenes to create an effect, and to make a point. Mr. Ayton was obviously affected ("the rape scene ... did nothing but make me literally nauseous"), but he seems to feel that the point was lost to manipulation.

Yet, this manipulation is exactly what happens to all of us everyday when we view television programming and commercials, listen to the radio, flip through a magazine, or glance at at billboard: we are affected and we don't realize it. Eventually we become numb to the objectification of women, which lead to violence against women, are formed.

Education follows awareness. Our hope was that the film would open people's eyes and minds, lead to a desire to get educated about preventing sexual assault, and more importantly, how to stop the attitude which lead to this in the first place.

We invite Mr. Ayton, and those who are concerned about any area of sexual violence to join STEPS at our next meeting on May 5 and 5 p.m. in the consulting center.

We encourage everyone to become more educated and aware.

Sincerely,

Students and Staff for the Education and Prevention of Sexual Assault (STEPS)
Under the old oak tree...

Well, under the weeping willow anyway. Every campus across the nation sports at least one tree under which students study. Central is no exception.

A casual game of Hackey Sack in front of the SUB is just what some students need to ease the mid-term blues.

All work and no play.

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Central Drama students performing this weekend in 'Our Country’s Good' from L to R are Scott Battishill, Kyton Richards, and Troy Blendell. This humorous play focuses on Great Britain’s effort to ship convicts to Australia.

Frazzini’s new ownership takes over

We have the feeling, pride and know-how to give something special to our customers.

— John Frazzini

Mike and Kathy Jones turn the key to their new business venture which is Frazzini’s Pizza. Have the feeling, pride and know-how to give something special to our customers.

Frazzini’s mother, Rose, and sister Donna are also business partners and will be leaving with him. Now that his children are grown, Frazzini said he wants to sell the business and pursue a slower pace of life.

“Frazzini’s needs to be owner-occupied for the little things to be done,” Frazzini said. “My customers aren’t only my customers, they’re my friends.

“It’s time to let go and give somebody else an opportunity to have as much pleasure as I have had in the field.”

He has sold his business to Mike and Kathy Jones, who Frazzini has known for 22 years. Jones said he and his wife felt they had gone as far in their careers as they could. Mike is a hydraulic technician and Kathy is a legal secretary. They wanted more of a challenge.

The business will remain as it is now.

“The recipes and name will go with the sale. Everything will be kept the same,” Frazzini said.

He will remain with the Joneses for 30 to 90 days to help with any questions or problems they might have.

Frazzini said it is important the business stay the same and that customers know that.

“This is going to continue to be the business it’s been for the last 16 years,” said Frazzini. “The Jones’ are going to carry on that tradition.”

WHAT’S HAPPENING

“JAM FOR BRUNCH” AT CENTRAL

The music department at Central will present a jazz concert called “Jam for Brunch” May 10. The recital is at noon in the Hertz Recital Hall. Admission is free.

EXPERT ON RELIGION TO SPEAK AT CENTRAL

Dr. Houston Smith, professor from the University of California, will be lecturing on these two most powerful forces in mankind May 11, at 4 p.m. in Hebersler Auditorium.

“LETS COMMUNICATE” TO BE AIRED

Central President Ivory Nelson will field questions about Central and university’s future during a live May 12 telecast on KCWU, Channel 2 between 7 to 8 p.m.

FREE SCREENING OF “THE DISABLED WOMEN’S THEATRE PROJECT”

“The Disabled Women’s Theatre Project” will show at 7 p.m. on May 12 in the Barto Hall.

BIGFOOT SPEAKER

May 12 at Central’s Kamola Hall lounge, Kevin Lindly will talk about Bigfoot. Lindly has been researching the creature for years and has photos, audio and video tapes and plaster casts of the footprints. The lecture is free and begins at 7 p.m.
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BOARD OF DIRECTORS
King’s first screenplay ‘Sleepwalkers’ plays through the weekend

by Ian Hamilton
Staff reporter

Director Mick Garris takes a Stephen King screenplay, a name cast and an above average special effects crew to produce “Sleepwalkers,” a suspenseful thriller set to entertain audiences through next weekend at the Grand Central Cinema.

“Sleepwalkers” is the story of a mother and son, part of a nearly extinct race of cat-human hybrids. The couple, both Sleepwalkers, feeds on the souls of virgin women. Invincible by conventional standards, their only enemy is the cat. A cat scratch could be deadly to the Sleepwalkers, making their skin burning-hot and smoking.

In “Sleepwalkers,” the son, Charles, attempts to seduce Tonya, a local high school student, in order to feed on her soul. Charles quickly finds himself in trouble with the law. Undaunted, he fights them off in pursuit of Tonya.

“Sleepwalkers” is the first film that King has written as a screenplay. Until “Sleepwalkers,” all of King’s films have been derived from books, the most notable recent entry being “Lawnmower Man.”

This writing from book to screenplay fails to give the audience a taste of true Stephen King. The whole screenplay of “Sleepwalkers” is pure King, while only one scene in the film “Lawnmower Man” is detailed in King’s book. Another break from convention is Kings cameo appearance. In “Sleepwalkers,” King plays a cemetery caretaker attempting to convince the authorities that a violent incident at the cemetery was not his fault. His plea falls on deaf ears as King wanders from official to official, searching for someone who will listen.

“It’s a thriller, not a horror movie”
—Jim Shipley, art student

This type of role is a stretch for King, who until “Sleepwalkers” has limited himself to very short appearances. As in many Stephen King films, suspense rules over true fear.

“It’s a thriller, not a horror movie,” said Jim Shipley, a senior art student from Olympia. During “Sleepwalkers,” audience members are always wary of believing in temporary calm; always anticipating a hand reaching out to grab them. These are the sort of film tricks that have made King famous.

King rivets his audiences to their seats awaiting the creature that is going to jump out at them. And just when they think it is safe to look, out of the shadows lurches the villain.

What King lacks in this, and many of his other films, is to really scare his audience. Some horror films leave movie-goers afraid to drive home at night, looking under their beds for things that might grab them. In short, freaking them out for days on end.

“Sleepwalkers” is not one of those films. For gore lovers, “Sleepwalkers” is a delight. In the film two policemen are killed; one with a pencil shoved through his brain, the other stabbed in the back by an ear of corn. Add that to the removal of a few fingers, and a couple hundred dead cats and you have “Sleepwalkers.”

Although “Sleepwalkers” fails to really scare the audience, it is an entertaining night at the movies.

Fitness Club raises $1,300 for American Heart Association

by Brent DaPron
Scene editor

The P.E. and Fitness Club and volunteers from P.E. classes raised $1,300 for the American Heart Association last Saturday in a four hour dance-a-thon.

The dance-a-thon took place at the dance studio in the Nicholson Pavilion. Approximately 50 students helped raise money donated by local businesses. "This is the first time the P.E. and Fitness Club has sponsored this type of event," said Colleen Kramer, P.E. and Fitness Club member. “But the dance-a-thon has been going on in Ellensburg for a long time."

Local businesses donated refreshments and door prizes such as T-shirts, teddy bears, and free tanning visits for the dancing volunteers. The event started by announcing the winners of the door prizes. Next came stretching and warm-up for vigorous dances like the "Electric Slide." The event wrapped up with a cool-down session.

“We had a good time,” said Marcy Faling, P.E and Fitness Club member.
Central tracksters are charging ahead this season, and are confident their strong finish will carry them through the upcoming NAIA conference. Head coach Charles Chandler estimates 10-15 individuals will make it to nationals this year.

The majority of the team has qualified for the district meet and some already for nationals. Those that have already qualified for the national meet include:

- James Mitchell, competing in the 100-meter dash and also hope to do better.
- Rick Maib, pole vault.
- Brad Hooper, marathon.
- Kris Kelso, heptathlon.
- Mitchell, Goreal Hudson, D.J. Livingston and Brian Meyer. Others who can still qualify.

Those that have not qualified yet but are confident they will include:

- Paul Pederson, javelin.
- Paul Pederson, heptathlon.
- James Mitchell, competing in the national meet. Also in nationals would be enough motivation for all runners to run as well as they can.

No matter what the outcome, Chandler said, "the team will represent Central well and do the university proud.

Individuals with a shot:
- Central will compete and run well so we can finish high and score points," said Chandler. For the team to finish one better this year. The team will represent Central well and do the university proud.

For some it's their last chance to reach this goal. Baker, Mitchell, Kelso, and Hooper are all seniors. Already national contenders, it's their last chance to do well at national meet.

"No matter what the outcome at districts," Chandler said, "the team will represent Central well and do the university proud."
Wake up! You’re going to districts

by Ron Munson
Sports editor

With the NAIA District 1 finals in track and field approaching this weekend, you would think that those who have qualified would be anxiously awaiting the opportunity.

One would think they couldn’t sleep because of the excitement and visions of running, flying and jumping through the air like a “super friend.”

One would think their hearts would be pumping like those of astronauts rocketing through the atmosphere while people keep chanting, “Central, Central, Central…”

However, this is not the case for track team members Mario Andaya and Darrin Smith.

Will somebody please wake these guys up before the bus leaves for Abilene, B.C.?

Track and Field isn’t like other more competitive sports, said Smith.

“All the competitors are pretty friendly, everybody encourages everybody and you can compete against yourself,” Andaya said.

“Another reason why track and field is mainly an individual’s sport at Central is the lack of participation.”

“PLU has over 100 and they use all of their people,” Andaya said.

“At our level we try to better our own marks and contribute points to the team.”

“We’re confident Central will win more than its fair share of events at the district finals. The problem is racking up more points from persons who finish third or lower,” said Smith.

“People who don’t qualify for districts early in the season usually quit,” Smith said. As for Andaya and Smith, they both expect to fare well this weekend.

“If I can get on the board, I think I can go to nationals (next weekend),” said Andaya.

Andaya’s specialty event is the long jump, but the coaching staff may enter him in the javelin throw also.

Smith also will be jumping for distance and will be entered in the 100-meter dash and the 4-by-100-meter relay.

“If everybody runs to their potential, we should win,” said Smith.

Smith joined James Mitchell, Keith Baker and Gereal Hudson on the relay team when both D.J. Livingston and Rob Thomas were hurt earlier in the season. Since then the relay team has qualified for nationals and is expected to do well at both districts and nationals.

“We have some of the top athletes in the school and we are not recognized,” said Smith. Hmm. Could it be that sports fans find it easier to support team sports instead of individuals competing by themselves? This sports editor thinks so, anyways...

Smith defends track and field as a legitimate sport.

“Sports also figures into these guys’ futures as well.”

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Andaya graduated from Bothell High School in 1989 where he lettered twice in football as a wide receiver and a defensive back.

He also lettered in track twice. His personal bests in the long jump and triple jump are 21 feet 6 1/2 inches and 43 feet respectively.

Andaya is looking to better his eighth place finish the last two years at districts.

Smith graduated from Wilson High School in 1989 where he received all letters in baseball. He played first base, outfield and pitched.

Smith placed seventh with a season best jump of 21 feet 1/4 inches in last year’s districts.

“Introducing Trista, our new hairstylist.”

by Mark Eaton
Ex-“Big Guy”

Not since women’s tennis legend Billie Jean King met the challenge and beat Bobby Riggs has a man versus woman sporting event been so hotly contested.

In what ended up being a lopsided affair, Heidi Trepnier went one-on-one with Greg Miller in a best of three basketball match.

For two weeks, Miller taunted Trepnier who finally gave in to the pressure and agreed to a best-of-three series.

Trepnier is no slouch and plays forward on the Ladycats varsity basketball team but has been sidelined after foot surgery last year.

Miller is a nobody. A 5-feet-9-inch tall white guy, who used to edit sports for the Observer. But when the final shot sank through the net Miller was a somebody.

The contest was half-court one-on-one, make-it take-it. Miller smoked the first game 11-1, continually greasing the hoop with a hot outside shot.

After the second game started and was a close 3-2 in Miller’s favor, there was an astonishing 20 minute break taken by Trepnier to regain her composure.

And that she did. The lead was battled back and forth until Miller started pouring in the outside shots and finished her off 11-8.

“I played fair,” Trepnier said.

Miller was impressed with Trepnier’s talent.

“Heidi is a true sportsperson,” Miller said. “She picked it up in the second game.”

“If you can compete and be relaxed about it and it doesn’t interfere with school,” they said.

Andaya and Smith aren’t just involved in track. They also take part in recreational sports like intramural football, softball and basketball.

Andaya is a member of a United States Volleyball Association team this summer.

Sports also figures into these guys’ futures as well.

Smith, a law and justice major, hopes to coach little league baseball while pursuing a career in law enforcement. He wants to work for the FBI someday.

Andaya wants to put his marketing degree to work by opening his own specialty retail store, possible in sporting goods or outdoor equipment.

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Tracksters Darrin Smith and Mario Andaya contemplate the upcoming districts.

Ron Munson/The Observer
Tennis teams do well in districts

by David Jones
Staff reporter

Central's men's tennis team completed its 1992 season placing fifth in the NAIA District 1 tournament it hosted last weekend. It was the best finish for the Wildcats since 1988 when they placed sixth in the NAIA District 2 tournament. The highlight of the tournament for Central, was a first-round doubles win by Bob Strickland and Darin White over the University of Puget Sound's Jason Ritchie and Keith Vernon. Ritchie and Vernon were seeded fourth in the tournament. “Everyone contributed this year,” Strickland said. “Everyone got a point and we did the best we've done in years.”

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A Lady 'Cat serves one up last weekend in districts held here at Central.

Storby said. “It would have showed people what we have it take to win,” he said.

Chamberlain, a senior co-captain from Tenino, said making districts doesn't determine the season. “By not making playoffs, doesn't mean we were deflected,” he said.

The comradery with teammates, the experience, it's all worth it whether you make district or not. District is only the topping off of the season, it's not the season.”

Only two regular starters completed their eligibility during the season—Chamberlain and Bala.

Chamberlain won the team batting title with a .388 average and also led the team in runs (28), hits (40), doubles (9) and assists (70).

Bala batted .305, also for Central, Zehtner led the team with 30 RBI, three triples and 13 extra-base hits, while Milligan was the home run leader with six.

In addition, Ryan Hoff led the team in stolen bases with five.

In game two, Zehtner was 2-for-2 with a two-run single in the first inning and an RBI double in the third inning. In addition, Dave Jones had two RBI, including a bases-loaded walk in the first inning.

For the 'Cats in game one, Milligan hit his fifth home run in three games, which contributed two RBI. Also, Knight had a double and Zehnder had a double and three RBI.

In the second game the Washington State Christian College's Loren Sandhop lead the way. Sandhop went 4-for-5 with three RBI, including a two-run single in the first inning.

In this game, which was televised nationally, Central had a chance to win in the ninth inning, but left the bases loaded.

For the game Bala was 2-for-4 for the Wildcats. He had an RBI single in the eighth inning and added another RBI on a grounder in the ninth. Also, for the 'Cats, Zehtner was 2-for-5.

“I would have liked to have won the (Washington game),” Storby said.

“With a 1-4 record at 17-13, which is the most victories for any team since 1980. Senior Neil Hoiby ended the season as the top winner in Central's women, Hoiby finished with a 14-8 record in singles. Hoiby was also 10-9 in doubles.

Nancy Cole and Amy Templeton had the most doubles wins with 12. ‘The women were drawn up against some tough matches,’ said head coach Mark Merrill. ‘When it came down to it we were basically self-sufficient.’

Central's men and women completed their dual meet season's with records of 15-11 and 10-14, respectively. The wins by the men tied the single season school record set in 1940. That club posted a 15-1 record.

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13 singles record. His 49 career victories is the most for any player in the past decade at Central.

Todd Caldwell was named team captain to advance past the second round in the tournament. However, Caldwell lost to the eventual champion Alex Tibbits of Lewis and Clark State, 6-1, 6-3 in a third-round singles match.

First-year Bobby Huynh ended the season as Central’s top winner in singles posting a 19-10 record. It was the most victories for a Central player since Mark Villegas won 18 in 1986.

Huynh combined with Shane Valez to win in the ninth inning, but left the bases loaded.

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