Students gear up to tackle global problems at United Nations conference

By Debbie Holmes

Students from Cal Poly have been invited to debate global conflict resolution with other college students in a mock United Nations conference next spring—but they need funding first.

Cal Poly, a charter member of the Western Collegiate Model United Nations Association, must raise most of the travel and lodging money for the six-day meeting in New York.

The conference participants will start at the U.N. buildings and move on to the different diplomatic posts, where they will talk to international delegates from the various U.N. member countries.

Students from the different colleges will take on the role of a country they choose. They research the country’s point of view on critical issues, including human rights, environment, politics, and economy, then engage in discussion and conflict resolution with the other conference participants.

Political science senior Isaac Reyes, who is vice president of Cal Poly’s model United Nations class, attended a western regional conference with the class last year in San Francisco. Cal Poly chose to represent Mexico at the conference.

“It was great. We took what we learned in a class of 19 people and applied it to a room of 100 people,” Reyes said.

Biochemistry senior Tiffany Sotelo conducted the research for her committee.

“I was on an environmental committee from Mexico,” Sotelo said. “Mexico is very important in the Latin American block. (Cal Poly) played a key role in the international debate and mock resolution of their problems.”

It was determined after Cal Poly’s version of global debate that Mexico and some other third world countries would stop exploiting their own land, Sotelo said.

Currently, POLS 250 and 350 serve as the launching pad for these global mediators under the direction of professor Richard Kranzdorf. The class has not yet chosen a country to represent this year, as they are still raising funds for the trip.

“This is unlike any other course I teach,” he said. “I don’t do much lecturing—the students get more out of the discussions on their own.”

“It’s important that students realize how much they can contribute,” Kranzdorf continued. “They are empowered, realized they can make a difference in their own lives and in the future.”

Future goals of the students are as varied as the attitudes dealt with at the conference.

Few of these students are planning careers in politics, they said, but they often develop a multicultural interest in other people.

Kranzdorf stressed that although students spend a lot of time researching their chosen country, they are prepared for intense debate, they also have fun.

Each fall, officers are elected for the class. Students then have almost a year to prepare before the conference.

Steven Lunich, executive director of the Western Collegiate Model United Nations, said, “It wasn’t known if those arrested would be released on their own recognizance or ordered to post bail. They don’t want to be bailed out because they feel they have done nothing wrong, ” said Mar­

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SAFE-SLO Nonprofit invites community members to learn about rape defense skills on Nov. 3 from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. The program is free and is being held in the Self Defense & Empowerment Training Center. The program begins with a description of violence prevention principles and culminates with an opportunity to observe the skills in action.

Today
The Cal Poly Ballroom Dance Club has its first annual costume ball, “Halloween Masquerade” at Odd Fellows Hall (520 Dana St.) from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Tickets are $5 at the door and $4 in advance. Tickets may be purchased at Cal Poly theatre and dance department.

Upcoming
The first update of the County’s Clean Air Plan is underway, and the public is invited to attend two workshops to learn about proposed revisions and to provide input to the Air Pollution Control District staff. The workshop will be held on Nov. 2 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the community room of the City/County Library. A second meeting will be held on Nov. 6 from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the same location.

Sigma Tau Delta, the international English honor society, is sponsoring a series called “The American Scholar” which takes a look at what is uniquely American about intellectual life in this country. Professor Mike Wenzel, who has taught for 27 years at Cal Poly, is speaking at the first lecture Nov. 1. The lecture is being held in building 52 room B-65. Refreshments will be served.

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Association, said students go to the conference ready to apply knowledge in a practical way with other students. They learn the art of persuasion, not manipulation or overwhelming people, he said.

Participants develop public speaking skills, assertiveness and self-confidence, he said. Before they speak, they learn to respect others and be open to different points of view.

"They aren't sitting in class listening to a lecture," Lunich said.

Current president of Poly's model United Nations Eric Marshall pointed out the value of students getting involved in U.N. activities and political pursuits.


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To promote...

Editor,

I would like to add my support to Dr. Laura Freberg in her plea for promotion to full professor. I have often worked with Dr. Freberg, a clinical assistant at Disabled Student Services, and an intern with Student Support Services. Over the past few years I have come to value her professionalism, scholarship and knowledge, and to admire her as a person and an instructor.

Dr. Freberg is a genuine concern for her students and a sincere interest in their success. I have seen her design study techniques and suggest supportive strategies for struggling students to fit their learning styles. She is a leader in student learning, empowers students with the assurance to stand up for themselves and finds confidence in students that were on the verge of giving up. Dr. Freberg's students know they can depend on her to assist them with classroom difficulties, university obstacles and life concerns. You will not see one office hour without a crowd of students. Somehow she makes time for them all without lowering the quality of her assistance.

I am aware that promotions are not based solely on service to students. However, Dr. Freberg excels in other areas as well. She serves the psychology and human development department as one of the most requested advisors. In Winter and Spring 1995, she advised 45 students in senior projects or independent studies. As a faculty member advised 27. She contributes to the College of Liberal Arts as advisor to the social science honors fraternity Pi Gamma Mu and to the university as chair of the Senate Instruction Committee. She also serves on the Athletic Governing Board and is faculty advisor to the Multicultural Center Board. Perhaps her most notable gift to Cal Poly is chairing the Ethnic Studies Advisory Committee, which they wrote and gained approval for the ethnic studies minor.

It puzzles me why Dr. Freberg has not received the promotions she deserves. Is it in her justification behind the "non-collegial" label she has been given, as this does not fit the professor and the woman I know. I seamlessly await the outcome of her case. I hope that in the tradition of others who have gone before her at this university — Drs. Buggies, Harmon-Elliot, Cooper, Labhart — that her plea will be heard.

Jessica Wolf Stewart
Graduate student, psychology

Or not to promote

Editor,

Your headline "Poly professor calls foul after repeated promotion denials" and the article contain factual assertions and outrageous allegations. The professor making the repeated denials for promotion. In fact, there has been denial of an application for early promotion and no denials of promotion in the normal promotion cycle. Although I am not at liberty to discuss the validity of the claim that "her credentials and experience are equal to or greater than male professors who have received promotions," the statement is irrelevant because no male professor in my department has ever received early promotion to full professor.

Patterns of creativity and human development are very aware of sexist attitudes, conscious and unconscious, that frequently lead to discrimination. We try hard to counter those attitudes in ourselves and in our students. We have had some success. Ten of our 23 tenure track positions are held by women. None of these women had been denied tenure or normal promotion. Six are full professors. Our past three department chairpersons over the last eight years were women.

Why did the Mustang Daily report comments from four male professors or administrators, and no comment from the nine female professors in the department who have not complained about gender discrimination? Avoiding that act of gender discrimination would have allowed the Daily to print a more accurate description of how women are treated in our department.

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A. M. Sapp, Associate Sports Editor

To copy or not to copy, that's the question

by Jon Paul Mahaffy

Illegally copying software is an insidious form of theft since on the surface, it seems as though no harm is done. It is especially widespread among poor college students who haven't the money to purchase all the software they wish to use. But great harm is done — both to the student and the programmer who created the software.

Copying rose with the advent of personal computing and generalized software. Instead of creating one program specific to one user for a huge sale price, programmers could now create one program for millions of users for a nominal price. People realized they could enjoy the benefits of their neighbor's software without paying the programmers. For years, the programmers tried to combat this piracy by shipping disks with special codes, rendering the programs unusable. However, hackers would crack the code and distribute copies on the underground modem network.

When the programmers realized the hackers would eventually disable any anti-copying code thrown at them, they acquiesced and began shipping disks (which anyone could copy) with only an FBI warning similar to those on movies. Today, it is even easier to steal software than movies since people can simply borrow a friend's disk and install the software on their own hard-drives.

Most people view software copying as a marginal (if not acceptable) form of stealing. If a person steals a car stereo from a vehicle, then the owner of the vehicle no longer owns a car stereo. Since copying software does not deprive other people of their property, a person will usually rationalize that no real harm has been done. Other items included in this non-bereaving category are music recordings, cable television and videotaped movies. As many Cal Poly students realize, it takes a lot of self-motivated effort to complete a computer science degree. Years of learning computer architecture, programming languages, software strategies and general education. Then many more years of higher education. Company training are required to reach the stage of software developer. Most people don't have the discipline or the patience to achieve that goal and certainly not to program the quality software being produced today. Yet software pirates choose to take and use valuable software without giving payment in return. That is tantamount to getting a cure from a doctor and never paying the bill, or having an architect draw up your dream home and then making copies of the plans for the contractor while telling the architect, "I already have the plans, don't worry about it." Some people claim they couldn't pay for the software if they wanted to, it makes no difference to the software company whether they copy it or not. They're not going to get any money either way. The problem with this approach is that the software is an idea rather than a tangible item. To use a person's valuable idea — the very idea which they create to exchange for money — and give nothing in return is just as contemptible as outright theft.

Also, when choosing whether or not to pay money for an item, a person always rationalizes a judgment between the value of the item and the monetary cost. If a person has the option to copy software for no cost, he never reaches the stage of recognizing the software's value to him, and it follows that he'll never pay for the software, since in his mind it has no value. If we were impossible to copy software, then every user would have to consider the value each piece of software has to him. This is the same dilemma criminals face all their lives: if they have a difficult time finding values in life since they rarely earn anything.

Programmers and software companies create programs in order to make a profit. It would be silly to believe these companies would go on producing quality games, word processors and utilities if the goodwill of the user was their only payment. For an example of what this would be like, one need only compare the U.S. software market with that of the former Soviet Union. Since you've now read this commentary and understood the consequences of your actions in relation to non-bereaving theft, you have three choices: 1) With full understanding of the value the programmer has created, choose to purchase and use the software or not purchase and use the software depending on whether it is worth the sale price; 2) With full understanding of the value the programmers have created, choose to copy the software without giving the programmers anything in return for their effort; 3) Blank out the issue from your mind with the software, and hope that no one ever asks you whether you truly value other human's rights or whether you deserve to live in a free society.

Jon Paul Mahaffy is an electronic engineering junior.
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By Ernest Sander

SAN DIEGO — Often in the past 15 years, Susan Moore would come out at her back yard and see illegal immigrants — sometimes dozens at a time — in the three-to-four a.m. flow has dwindled.

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agents zooming back and forth in the popular Tijuana staging grounds yesterday," said Moore, 26, who trudges through the brush at dawn to watch the flow of trucks.

The Border Patrol was right on him. They've got it pretty much - bit by bit.

"This series of events was the 67th time the trio has shared the stage, but the American Free Trade Agreement, for example, was just the right moment to dart across the international line, but that is not going to change," said Alonzo Crespo, 36, scanning the horizon for Border Patrol trucks from atop a dirt mound in Tijuana.

"The fields will always need new produce, and new wranglers, pushers," said Marco Luis Estrada. He had made several crossing attempts during five days but has made it to "exactly the other side," the said.

"Since Pancho Villa's time, people have been moving north and that is not going to change," said Achtenberg.

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By Ekke Tumikheev
Associated Press

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Interior Minister Ramil Usakov told The Associated Press on Sunday morning that at least 289 people had died, including 28 children. Morgue officials said they counted at least 303 bodies, and the independent Azerbaijani news agency Turan quoted medical officials as putting the death toll at 337.

The fire broke out between two subway stations in central Baku on Saturday afternoon because of a malfunction of the train's electrical system, officials said.

Survivors described sparks flying from high-voltage cables just after the train left the busy Ulduz station.

Rescuers battled the blaze until early Sunday, then pulled the injured and the dead, wrapped in rugs and blankets, from the tunnel. Police and security forces sealed off the area, barring journalists.

Authorities initially said only two people had died in the fire, but the death toll climbed steadily overnight as more bodies were found.

The high number of deaths may have been caused "by a fire in three to four cars and an ensuing panic, for there was no light, the door cars closed and fire was raging all around," Anatoly Berez, a Baku subway security officer, told the ITAR-Tass news agency.

"It's impossible to predict the width of the impact," said Jean-Marc Bouchard, whose fiery speeches have been credited with winning — let's grasp it — separatist votes. "Tomorrow's referendum. "Then the flames enveloped the tunnel I saw a flash," said a Montreal company Legere.

"We know there's a chance to win — let's grasp it," separatist leader Lucien Bouchard told one of the final rallies before Monday's referendum. "Tomorrow night, a people will be born."

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In Moscow, where the subway carries 1 million people a day, of the injured, 62 were killed in two terrorist attacks on the Baku subway. Both cases are still under investigation.

Colombo, Sri Lanka — Thousands of Sri Lankan troops advanced on the rebel stronghold of Jaffna city Sunday, and at least 30 soldiers and 40 guerrillas were killed in fierce fighting, the military said.

Heavy civilian casualties were also feared as the military offensive to capture Jaffna entered its 13th day. The advancing columns were five miles from the city.

More than 300,000 civilians have fled their homes as the military shells the area, a Catholic priest in the war zone said Sunday.

Priests accused the army of bulldozing houses and fields in an area captured, and urged diplomats and human rights groups to pressure the government to halt the offensive.

The fire broke out between two subway stations in central Baku on Saturday afternoon. The train operator probably should have driven the train slowly to the next station rather than stopping in the tunnel.

Subway traffic resumed Sunday morning on most lines in the city of 1.7 million.

Last year, about 20 people were killed in two suicide attacks on the Baku subway. Both cases are still under investigation.

Immediately after Saturday's accident, rumors began circulating around Baku that the fire was also a terrorist act. Authorities said there was no indication of terrorism in Saturday's fire.

"Azerbaijan, an oil-rich Turkic nation on the western shore of the Caspian Sea, borders on Russia, Georgia, Iran and Armenia. It has been weakened by economic and political turmoil and war with Armenia over the Nagorno-Karabakh enclave.

With a cease-fire in the war now holding, Azerbaijan is hoping for an economic boost, especially after concluding a multibillion-dollar oil deal with a Western consortium.

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Storm rages Central Philippines, kills 68

Associated Press

BACOLOD, Philippines — Tropical storm Zack whipped through central Philippines over the weekend, killing at least 68 people and leaving thousands homeless before heading into the South China Sea on Sunday. With gusts of up to 65 mph, the storm destroyed hundreds of houses and major roads, knocked out power and通信 areas, and sank a ship and several boats.

Zack struck hardest on the islands of Negros and Panay. The death toll was raised to 68 Sunday when three bodies were found floating off a jetty in the port city of Iloilo City, the island's capital. People were swept away by swellover rivers.

Officials said a motorized outboard speeding on Negros, at the height of the storm Saturday night, but rescuers later found six passangers, including one of them, 9-year-old John Ray Tayag, told a radio station that he heard gunshots and saw a man and four other men Saturday night when their boat turned over.

"I held on to the outrigger and never let go of it. I thought I would never see my father again," the weeping boy said as he was reunited with his father Sunday.

Gov. Rafael Coscolluela said the storm lasted only an hour in Western Occidental but caused many people unprepared. The storm hit the island at 8 p.m. Saturday, hours after pummeling Cebu, west of Negros.

From Negros, the storm swept northwestward to Panay Island before midnight, causing floods that have isolated many from Iloilo City, the island's main urban center. Officials said at least 57 people drowned on Negros and 24 were injured. On Panay, flooding drowned four people, two were reported missing and seven were trapped. Six people died on the island of Guimaras.

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In Manila, President Fidel Ramos ordered calamity funds released for affected areas.

By early Sunday night, the weather bureau said Zack was moving northward into the eastern Visayan Sea and further away from central Philippines.

Zack, named locally Pampi, was the 13th tropical storm to enter the Philippine area this year, and the worst to hit Cebu since 1990.

Tabledos Blast DJ for tricking Queen

Associated Press

LOUGHBorough, England — Prying on the royal family is a serious business for British tabloids. But Sunday the poorhouses turned gamekeepers. Some tried to get the royal family's Canadian disc jockey for tricking Queen Elizabeth II into an on-air phone call set up by Adaptive's, new sensation. All agreed she came out of it very well.

Britons seldom hear the queen's voice but when they do, she's usually making a set speech. So to hear the 69-year-old monarch asking the disc jockey if she thought the British and Canadian disc jockeys were "Every action was under the guidance of Islamic Jihad and the Maltese government," said Shakaki, who rejected any short-cut of Palestinian self-rule government and radi-cals such as Shakaki who reject anything short of a Palestinian state in all of Israel and the occupied territories. The source, speaking on condition of anonymity, said Shakaki was the only leader who could hold the assassination threatening to renew the cycle of violence just as Israel's peace agreement with Jordan was reaching fruition. But the removal of hard-liners such as Shakaki was always in the balance of power.

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A Palestinian source said Islamic Jihad had split between people who want to reach a compromise with Yasser Arafat's PLO peace agreements and has claimed responsibility for attacks that have killed dozens of Israelis in the two years since the first accord was signed.

The attacks included an April suicide bombing that killed seven Israeli soldiers and an American student, and a January attack on a bus stop that killed 21 people and wounded 62.

Islamic Jihad banners in Gaza City accused Gaza's Israeli-backed authorities of planning new attacks. "We will explode Israeli boats and travel with it to the heavens," said one. The group also called for a one-hour strike Monday throughout the West Bank and Gaza Strip.

Arafat, in Amman, Jordan, for an economic conference, refused to comment Sunday on the killing. But ministers in his Palestinian Authority condemned the assassination and urged Islamic Jihad not to retaliate.

"Political violence has always led to the increase of violence and counter-violence," said Saeb Erekat, Palestinian minister of local governments. Planning Minister Nabil Shaath said Arafat's government had been "on the way" to reaching an agreement with Islamic Jihad "to end violence on all sides."

Shakaki was born in 1951 at the Shahrak refugee camp in the southern Gaza Strip. In the 1970s he studied medicine in Egypt, where he came under the influence of the teachings of Sheikh Omar Abdel-Rahman — the blind clergyman convicted of masterminding the World Trade Center bombing — and Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini of Iran. He joined a group of Islamic Jihadists involved in the 1981 assassination of President Anwar Sadat of Egypt.

Asked Sunday whether Israel was involved in Shakaki's killing, Foreign Minister Shimon Peres, attending the economic conference in Amman, said, "Not that I know of."

But he added: "The Islamic Jihad is a murderous organization and he headed it. He was someone who killed and was proud of it, and whoever deals in murder is taking the risk of being murdered."

Shakaki "had a lot of enemies," Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin of Israel said. "I bet he even had Palestinian enemies."

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Daily Staff Writer

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Renovation of the new field began last year after heavy rains consumed the pre-existing field because of poor drainage. A retaining wall had to be put in place between the field and the new volleyball courts, causing temporary delays in the field's progress.

Although the field will most likely be used for intramural sports and physical education practices, it is best suited for playing soccer, Overman said. It has been expanded to encompass a regulation-size soccer field.

In order to enlarge the grass area, the road adjacent to the field is also being reconstructed.

When construction is complete, the one-way street will be converted into a pedestrian walkway and bike lane.

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Psychotherapy can ease Halloween fears
By Mary W. Aldrich
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NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Kathy Rhodes gets edgy every Halloween.
In 13 years as a psychiatric nurse, she has seen hundreds of
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from depression to attempted suicide and homicide.

But things get worse at Hal­
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Mediators try to keep peace in Croatia

By Jasmino Kuzmonovic

ZAGREB, Croatia — With crucial peace talks on Bosnia just days away, diplomats struggled Sunday to keep Croatia and Serbia from starting a new war over a slice of land in eastern Croatia.

The dispute also was central to Sunday’s Croatian parliamentary elections, which were expected to give President Franjo Tudjman a new mandate to continue his tough line against the Serbs.

Talks on returning a piece of Serb-occupied territory to Croatian control broke down Saturday, raising the specter of a new war.

“Tudjman repeatedly has threatened to retire eastern Slavonia, if negotiations fail. He already has used military force twice this year to retake other land that had been held by rebel Serbs since Croatia’s 1991 war of secession from Yugoslavia,” Galbraith said.

Galbraith said he hoped the issue could be resolved when the presidents of Croatia, Serbia and Bosnia gather for peace talks that start Wednesday in Dayton, Ohio.

Although the negotiations are aimed primarily at ending 3 1/2 years of bloodshed in Bosnia, Tudjman has managed to keep Croatia’s land dispute to center stage.

His threats to retake eastern Slavonia left U.S. and U.N. envoys with little choice but to include the matter in the Ohio talks.

“That’s a difficult road ahead, and we should not have unrealistically high expectations,” Galbraith said. “We are concerned that military action could disrupt the peace efforts.”

Bosnian Serb leaders expressed hopes for the talks, but warned of new problems. Nikola Kajcic, a senior Bosnian Serb official who will take part in the talks, accused Tudjman of cutting electricity supplies to the Serb stronghold of Banja Luka in northern Bosnia.

Experts predict a big victory by Tudjman’s party in Sunday’s elections, which he called a year ago to exploit the army’s recent success in driving Serbs from land they held in southern and western Bosnia.

Tudjman’s anti-Serb theme was going over strongly in many areas.

“It is known who we will vote for. They liberated our land,” said Dragica Fabijanac, 62, as she voted in Glini, a town retaken from Serb rebels this year.

Tudjman’s Croatian Democratic Union and a closely allied ultra-nationalist party aim to win a two-thirds majority in the parliament — enough to allow them to amend the constitution at will.

Officials in Tudjman’s party, which now holds 78 of 138 seats in the current parliament, say they want to strengthen the presidency.

Opponents accuse Tudjman, a former Communist general, of using his political power in western Bosnia.

The new election law also allowed as many as a half-million Croats in Bosnia to vote. That angered the Bosnian government, which is wary of Tudjman’s political power in a wide area of northern and western Bosnia.

“This is absolutely normal that I can vote in both states,” said one elderly man, who voted in Sarajevo. He said he was voting for Tudjman’s party because “it will protect interests of us Croats here.”

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49ers' Rice breaks NFL receiving yards record

By Bob Glater

SAN FRANCISCO — On the day he became the NFL's career leader in touchdowns, Jerry Rice was thinking about the pass that he didn't catch.

Rice had eight receptions for 108 yards Sunday, surpassing James Lofton's mark of 14,004 yards from Elvis Grbac late in the fourth quarter.

"It was a short pass, a 10-yard pass from Grbac, its probably the most critical pass he has ever thrown," Rice said. "I had my hands on it, and I could have made it if I didn't drop the ball." Rice said. "I had to use so much energy to try and make the catch." Rice's career leader record total is 14,040 yards.

Rice was upset at him—let's face it, they are all upset with him. He is the biggest problem in the business, even though his name never is brought up as a possible managerial candidate. But he had the home run hits, and, as David Justice, who homered in Game 6, said, "We've had the best pitching for five years, and Leo Mazzone, general manager John Schuerholz said, "Whatever it took, the credit goes to Bobby Cox and Leo Mazzone," general manager John Schuerholz said. "We've had the best pitching for five years, and this puts a crown on it."
The Quest Continues

The women's soccer team takes a step closer toward the NCAA Division-I playoffs after beating USC 5-1

SCORES

FOOTBALL
Cal Poly .............................................. 20
Saint Mary's ........................................... 31
California State ........................................ 5

WOMEN'S SOCCER
Cal Poly ................................................. 5
UCSB .......................................................... C
Cal Poly ......................................................... 5
UCSB .......................................................... 2

VOLLEYBALL
Cal Poly ................................................. 8
Sacramento State ..................................... 3

MEN'S SOCCER
Cal Poly ................................................. 4
UCSB .......................................................... 2

SCHEDULE

TODAY'S GAMES
• There are no games scheduled today.

TOMORROW'S GAMES
• Women's soccer vs. Saint Mary's, 4 p.m.

POLY BRIEFS

Women's cross country excels, places first; men place third

The women's cross country team became the American West Conference Cross Country Champions Saturday, while the men's team placed third in Cedar City, Utah.

All seven women runners placed in the top 10 of the race, scoring a combined team total of 19 points and bringing home the title for the second consecutive year.

Cal Poly runner Angela Orefice took the individual title as well for the second consecutive year, finishing the race in 19:22.87.

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NATIONAL BRIEFS

Sanders' debut with Dallas

ATLANTA (AP) — Deion Sanders returned to "his house" Sunday and saw teammates Troy Aikman, Michael Irvin and Emmitt Smith lay claim to the Georgia Dome's deed in the season's last game at Mustang Stadium.

Aikman, Irvin and Smith led the Cowboys to three touchdowns in a span of nine minutes as they overcame an early 10-0 deficit to beat Atlanta 28-13.

Sanders' debut with Dallas hardly approached his first trip back to his old football home with San Francisco last year. On that day, he managed to get into a fight with Andre Rison and return an interception 93 yards for a touchdown, becoming the American West Conference Division-I individual total of 19 points and bringing home the title for the second consecutive year.

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

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By Melissa M. Geister

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Midfielder Lori Wagner started the Mustangs' second half onslaught, scoring off a corner kick sent by midfielder Patty Greeman.

Shortly after Wagner scored, midfielder Kolleen Kassis broke away from the action and went head-to-head with USC goalie Shari Simms.

Kassis beat Simms to the goalkeeper's right and sent the ball into USC's goal without any pressure from the rest of the USC defense.

"We did really well," Kassis said. "We were more in sync in the second half."

One of the game's highlights was Kassis breaking closer to the playoffs Sunday, slowly pulling itself out of the must-win hole it dug after losing to the University of Washington.

Cal Poly kept its NCAA Division-I playoff hopes alive beating the University of Southern California 5-1 in the season's last game at Mustang Stadium.

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