**Poly serves at home and abroad**

**By Christine Janocko**

A girl sitting in the University Union is all decked out in military garb. She must be part of some top-secret campus infiltration strategy. Or perhaps she thought Halloween was so much fun.

Women learn the ropes in Cal Poly’s ROTC program

**By Christine Janocko**

On his second mission, Allen Haile saw himself in the Taiwanese darkness again. He had slept all day to prepare for the night missions that would later total 134.

**Campus veterans recall toils and triumphs of war**

**By Alexis Garbeff**

"We danced through the anti-aircraft bullets."

Allen Haile, Vietnam forward air controller

**Haile, left, with Mack Memborn, is getting ready to fly another mission. Haile and his crew bombed enemy trucks along the Ho Chi Minh trail in Vietnam.**

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**Backpack thief arrested at Poly**

**By Erin Crosby**

A Cal Poly alumna was arrested last Thursday for stealing 26 backpacks from various places around campus.

The suspect, Caterina Caliyeva, is described by Cal Poly Public Safety investigator Mike Kennedy as a 26-year-old Cal Poly graduate who lives in the Atascadero Grande area and is a nurse in town. Caliyeva is Caucasian with dark hair.

Starting as far back as Sep. 16 of this year, Caliyeva would enter the Cal Poly Rec Center and steal unattended bags. Her most popular targets were the women’s locker room, the bathroom, and the poolside. She would also steal bags from the women’s locker room in Mott Gym and at the Lighthouse. All of the bags were either left out on benches, poolside or in unlocked lockers.

"We are very happy that the women have been caught," Assistant Director of Recreational Sports Joe Long said. "We were frustrated with the thefts because these stu-

**Walk in the dark lends insight to safety needs**

**By Erin Crosby**

Students and faculty members concerned about safety at Cal Poly will get a chance to voice their opinions at Wednesday’s Night Walk.

At 6:30 p.m., on Nov. 10, those interested may join Energy and Utilities Coordinator Edward Johnson on a one- to two-hour walk through campus.

"In the past we used to walk through the whole campus, and it would take four hours," Johnson said. "This year we are just going to the areas of concern, so it won’t take nearly as long."

The walk will include stops at the bridge from H-2 to H-12, the area around R-2, the R-1 parking lot, the G-2 parking lot, the area by building 113, the new C-1 parking lot, the path behind the Health Center and anywhere else where people voice concerns.

"I will be going along on the Night Walk because I am concerned about the parking lots," child development sophomore Amy Cobb said. "Last year when I lived in the dorms and would have to come home late at night, I would walk back to my dorm with the safety off on my pepper spray because I was so scared. There aren’t enough lights in resident parking."

According to Johnson, the participants on the walk will look for burned-out light bulbs, areas where more light is needed or areas where overgrown bushes and trees are obstructing views.

"The campus is landscaped in a way that no one can hide behind bushes," Johnson said. "And the trees are cut high enough so people can see for into the distance."

Johnson said Facility Services is trying to find more efficient ways of improving campus safety.

"It costs a lot in electric bills and maintenance to own a street lamp," Johnson said. "But when it comes to safety, it is a cheap price to pay."
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bullets that night but then got hit. The hole in his wing was big enough to fit a refrigerator.
Allen, now director of community and government relations for Cal Poly, and his crew survived the hit and the 133 other missions that would follow during his stay in Thailand. As a result of his missions, Allen was given the Distinguished Flying Award.

While Allen was dodging enemy bullets, another veteran had been teaching mathematics at Cal Poly for almost two decades. But he too had a story to tell of a life before the Viet Cong and napalm attacks.

On April 15, 1952, U.S.S. Saint Paul Gunnery Officer George Mach was aboard the 820-foot cruiser sailing to Korea. The cruiser’s main mission was to protect aircraft carriers since they were so vulnerable to submarine attack.

During battle conditions, Mach and others aboard the cruiser had four-hour watches. This morning was no different. For Mach, who was an officer and lived in a bedroom with three to six other officers, life on the ship was tiring. The rest of the sailors lived in compartments with racks of canvas bunks.

After dining off dishes donated by the mayor of Saint Paul, Minn., the men returned to their four-hour shifts. It was not unusual for the cruiser to be fired upon by North Koreans.

As Mach and the others were preparing the Saint Paul with five- and eight-inch guns, which pealed the communist port, the North Koreans were trying to send the cruiser to the ocean floor.

“As we were firing above targets, one of the turrets—a large, heavily armored cylindrical container—exploded.”

A shell inside the turret went off and a lot of lives were lost. Damage-control teams pulled 20 bodies out of the compartment as poisonous powder flames engulfed the room.

For two hours, the Saint Paul held its ground and continued to peel the port while sailors gave artificial respiration to the injured. All fatalities were by suffocation.

“Thirty-one sailors were killed—it was the largest number of casualties aboard a single ship in Korea,” Mach said.

After completing his night shifts, Mach accepted a teaching position at Cal Poly in 1954 because the university didn’t offer night classes. He taught at Cal Poly for 37 years before retiring.

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"which is pretty good," said Capt. Philip Kwong, assistant professor of military science. Having 22 percent of a workforce be women is higher than most industries can claim, he said.

"We do better than most of corporate America," Kwong said.

That’s not to say he doesn’t want to do more. ROTC uses several methods to reach out to women on campus, including information booths during Week of Welcome, at Farmers Market and at Open House.

But Kwong said they’re looking for new ways to get their information to women, such as being guest speakers at campus club meetings to explain to students the benefits of ROTC.

Rummelhoff already knows the benefits. Rummelhoff, a business junior, first looked into ROTC as a high school student. He had been in the armed services, so she was familiar with the military way of life. She applied for and received, a ROTC scholarship during her junior year of high school.

“I thought it’d be a way of life I’d really enjoy," Rummelhoff said.

She was right. Now Rummelhoff is a ROTC platoon leader, which is equivalent to an Army lieutenant. Though she enjoys business, she’s looking forward to a career in military intelligence, a behind-the-scenes role that entails communicating, transferring information and planning tactics.

ROTC cadets are trained in these areas as well as others essential to military service, such as weapons handling and marksmanship. But throwing hand grenades and shooting M-16s isn’t what ROTC is all about, Rummelhoff said.

ROTC has given Rummelhoff skills to ensure her success not just in the army but also in society. Leadership skills, problem solving and teamwork are especially emphasized in cadets’ training, Rummelhoff said, and these attributes are also valued by civilian employers during the hiring process.

That more women don’t take advantage of ROTC training, Rummelhoff said, could be due to the stereotype that the military is a “guy thing” which turns a lot of women away.

“It is male-dominated, but that doesn’t mean women don’t dominate too,” Rummelhoff said.

Kwong agrees. “The nice thing about ROTC is everyone’s on equal footing,” he said. “We don’t distinguish between male and female cadets.”

There are no quotas in the program, Kwong said. Selections and promotions are based on merit. “Everything they get, they deserve,” he said.

In fact, several female cadets are in the running for battalion commander—the top job in ROTC—and it’s very likely one of the women will be selected, Kwong said.

Rummelhoff said people who think the military is unfavorable to women just aren’t informed. “They see movies, hear stories and that’s about it,” she said.

Rummelhoff said she’s never been discriminated against or been given a hard time because she’s female. “I’ve never felt like less of a soldier (than the male cadets),” she said. “The guys don’t scare me.”

One thing that may scare women away from military life is the physical training, Rummelhoff said. Those days a week at 6 a.m., Rummelhoff joins other cadets for an hour-long training session. Women shouldn’t let the physical aspect dissuade them, though. There are different physical standards for cadets based on age and sex, Rummelhoff said, so women don’t have to worry about keeping up with the guys. And women don’t have to be top-notch athletes to survive the exercises. Rummelhoff said she wasn’t in the best shape in the beginning but has achieved physical fitness through intense training.

“I’ve worked at it, and I do fine now,” she said.

Being young is really the smallest part of ROTC, Rummelhoff said. The mindset is what’s really important—the desire to learn, the urge to perform and the will to excel.

But ROTC isn’t all seriousness and hard work, Rummelhoff said. They see ROTC, page 6
Clinton holds first online town hall meeting

(U-WIRE) WASHINGTON — President Bill Clinton made history Monday night, answering questions during the first presidential online town hall meeting.

Clinton said the town hall was a "hold experimentation" and compared his participation with other presidential firsts, including Franklin Roosevelt's fireside chats and John F. Kennedy's press conferences.

Clinton participated in the online town hall at the George Washington University, which was sponsored by the Democratic Leadership Council and the Excite@Home Web portal. Other Democratic politicians, including New Hampshire Gov. Jeanne Shaheen and Maryland Lt. Gov. Kathleen Kennedy Townsend, participated in the chat from their own states via the web. Marc Andreessen, co-founder of Netscape Communications, was also online.

Clinton was read questions by DLC President Al From, from people who were viewing the event online. Town hall participants originated from coast to coast and also from England and Canada. Clinton and the other politicians' answers were submitted online. The chat was broadcast with video and sound as well.

Clinton covered topics including health care, crime, education, the budget and technology. Fred Siegel, Excite@Home senior vice president for marketing, said his company sponsored the online chat to showcase how technology and the Internet are such powerful forces in the world and to open up the political discourse to more citizens.

"Politics is becoming very hot on the Internet," Siegel said.

"It was not free from technical glitches. It took more than 30 minutes for San Jose Mayor Ron Gonzales (D) to get connected to the chat.

"It takes a few to get all our neighborhoods connected," Gonzales said after finally receiving a connection.

In his discussion about the issues, Clinton encouraged future politicians to maintain the AmeriCorps program. About 15,000 young people participate in the community service-oriented program, Clinton said.

"AmeriCorps is changing America for the better," he said. "It's a wonderful, wonderful thing." Clinton said there are a variety of ways to ensure safety in schools. Clinton said two solutions for preventing school violence include a anti-violence policy for weapons and a system that identifies troubled children before something goes wrong. He said that even with recent violence in schools, they are still the safest places for students to be.

Clinton also defended the role of the federal government in education, saying that helping people affliliated with colleges and developing and assisting in the Head Start Program are "appropriate goals for the federal government."

"The federal government has been involved in education for over 10 years now," Clinton said.

Townsend said Maryland provides Hope Scholarships for students who are "appropriate goals for the federal government."

Clinton was also asked about his future — the legacy his presidency would have and his plans after he leaves the White House. "I'm very grateful for the chance I have served," he said.

Clinton said he hopes the legacy of his presidency will be a time of transformation and hope. As for his plans after his second term as president is over, Clinton said he wants to work on projects that don't get in the way of the next president.

"I want to build my library and public policy center in Arkansas," Clinton said. "And I want to be a useful citizen."

New Web site gives expert advice to those seeking help

Most college students turn to the Internet these days to research papers, but it's hard to know where to turn. Even the best search engines are maze, half the time taking you to your friendly neighborhood porn site quicker than finding the information you need.

There's a small revolution going on that may help busy students get to the information they need with fewer impediments along the way.

This concept isn't a savior since it may take a little longer to get an answer, but with some planning on your part, that idea for your medieval French poetry paper may be closer than you think.

Now there's Xpertsite.com, a place assembled with the sophistication of a directory (like Yahoo), but with the personal touch of a bulletin board. It's like walking into a room full of people offering you their advice. With 10,000 catalogued experts in fields such as cooking, golf, law and finance, Xpertsite runs the gamut of possible paper topics. As with most web sites, Xpertsite asks that you log in using an e-mail address before you can get too deep into the information.

Although it's easy to find an expert in your area of interest, it's quite a bit harder to chase down an answer (many of the people who answer questions on the site don't respond very quickly). And, worse, there's no way to verify an "expert's" credibility. Much like the book reviews on Amazon.com, any disgruntled reader with a vendetta could post misinformation.

There's information for more than half term paper research, too. A person claiming to be a former Microsoft recruiter sits in the resume panel, offering help on your job search.
Trivial Pursuit questions don’t indicate much

I hate Trivial Pursuit. Whenever I play, I manage to lose because I don’t know the answer to some obscure pop culture trivia, like whose face is on the $100,000 bill.

I’m not the only one who feels strongly about Trivial Pursuit.

How about if the SAT and ACT were replaced with one giant game of Trivial Pursuit, and whoever did well gets to pick whichever university they want to attend?

How would you like it your score in Trivial Pursuit was how people judged your intelligence?

That’s how presidential front-runner George W. Bush must feel, after being grilled by a Boston television reporter in an interview last week with questions about leaders of foreign countries.

The reporter asked Bush if he could name the leaders of four countries with current conflict—Chechnya, Taiwan, India and Pakistan.

There is a correct way to deal with the kind of questions the interviewer asked. Such a response was demonstrated by another presidential hopeful, Bill Bradley.

“I’m not going to play this game,” Bradley said. “I think these are pop questions. And I don’t think they illustrate the qualities that are important to be president.”

I’m not saying that presidential candidates shouldn’t know the names of important foreign leaders. However, if they get elected, they will have to worry about being the leader of the most influential and powerful nation in the world and will have plenty of aids who will help him remember names.

The president of the United States is not the person who knows the most pop culture, and that’s why the Trivial Pursuit champion hasn’t taken up residence in the White House.

“Clearly, it’s important to know how a country functions, its leader, who is it at a particular time,” Bradley said. “What I’m objecting to is that this is a technique that’s used to supposedly illustrate the depth of knowledge someone has about, say, foreign policy. And I don’t think that’s fair.”

I couldn’t have said it better myself.

Matt Sterling is a journalism sophomore and Mustang Daily staff writer who never wins at Trivial Pursuit.

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Opinion

Who was the sexiest teacher you’ve ever had?

▶ "Jean Wetzel — she’s an art history professor. She’s so emphatic about her art."

Richard Vye
graphic design/fine arts junior

▶ "My art history teacher in high school. He’s a really young, Stanford graduate — really cute. Mr. Glass, that was his name."

Kari Rende
food science senior

▶ "Sexiest teacher? Come on, I’m an engineer! All the teachers are guys."

Blake Gaderlund
mechanical engineering senior

▶ "Mr. Torrance — he was my English teacher in high school. He wasn’t young or anything. I think it was his profile."

Katie Bergstrom
animal science freshman

▶ "My eighth grade math teacher because she’d just graduated from college and she was hot."

Matt Nguyen
second-year mechanical engineering

▶ "Dr. Francis Villalbaeuce because he has long, beautiful hair."

Jen Nafziger
ecology and systematic biology senior

▶ "That’s a man who makes astronomy sexy."

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Letters to the editor

Get involved with ASI Editor,
I wanted to let you know that I was disappointed in the editorial, "Case of the missing student government" (Nov. 3). Unfortunately, you seem to continue two very important points with some critical misunderstandings about Associated Students Inc. associates. The fact that you get the information about ASI associates wrong should not detract from your real point: "Where is ASI?"
I would like to say that ASI has been on the cover of the Mustang Daily the last couple weeks. ASI has been working in the forefront on issues such as opposition to mandatory community service, FERPA parental notification guidelines and neighborhood cooperation week.
However, your point wasn't that ASI does not do anything; it was that students don't know what ASI is doing. As someone extensively involved in student government, I believe that ASI may have failed to communicate with and engage students correctly.
If we're interested in what ASI is doing, I invite you to check out www.asi.calpoly.edu for all the latest meeting schedules. Go attend a meeting and find out what ASI is doing. I have been involved in a variety of positions within ASI, and I have to say communicating with a broad group of students is very hard. But if you think-placing the campus with fliers will do the job, come help me put them up. Come one, come all to help spread the news about the work student government is doing on your behalf. See you Wednesday. It will only take a little while.
Samuel Aboine is an industrial engineering senior who has been involved in ASI for four years.

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Police, and I must say even the slowest of opposing coaches could pick up on our offense after several series. Every first down we ran a variant of the same play. Craig Young straight up the middle. How hard is it to defend this when you know it is coming? These plays are usually an easy speed for a slow- or a gain of very short yardage. This puts the offense in a hole. If substantial yardage isn't gained on a second down, the opposing defense knows almost for certain that the Mustangs are going to have to pass on third and long. I must also make a note about Coach Welsh's attitude toward his players. Several times during the Montana game I saw him get in the face of some of his players and chew them out. This is no way to motivate a team. Who would want to play for a coach like that? Coach Welsh, you cannot be mad at your players for being frustrated this past Saturday. Their tempers are certainly going to start to flare on the field when you put your team in a hole that they can't climb out of.
Athletic Director John McCutcheon, I ask you to listen to the players if they again come to you at the end of the season expressing their dismay toward their coach. Coach, and your team members are not the only ones who feel this way about Coach Welsh, as you must absolutely know. His dislike has been echoed throughout the crowds the past two seasons. If you don't want to lose more fans than you already have, I ask you to make the wise choice this next offseason and do what is necessary to bring the few football fans back to the glory days.
Brian Selvy is an aeronautical engineering sophomore.

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"It's almost like a traternity or a sorority," she said. The cadets become close to each other — an easy transition, said the cadet battalion executive officer, a business senior, who has since become the ROTC involvement began which puts her second in command. She's learned new skills, like mountain climbing, but she's also gained better understanding of things she already knew. In her history class, for example, understanding war stories has come easy.

"Nothing makes more sense when you know what the terms mean," Breslin said.

But Breslin said many women won't give themselves the opportunity to learn these things, and she believes stereotypes play a large part in that.

"A lot of people still have the image that (ROTC) is men playing 'GI Joe,'" Breslin said, but that's not what it's about. If it were, Breslin said, "I probably wouldn't like it so much."

Breslin encourages women to find out about ROTC before making any generalizations.

"Just get out there; try it, get dirty before you make up your mind," Breslin said.

"There are friends I'll have for the rest of my life," Rummelhoff said.

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Renowned Irish poet brings work to Poly

By Christine Janocko

Irish culture in lyrical form will grace the PAC on Friday.

Eavan Boland, an award-winning poet from Dublin, will read some of his work to the public as a part of Cal Poly’s Writers’ Speak program that’s been put on by the English department for about the last three years. The event brings one nationally recognized writer to the campus each quarter for readings, question-and-answers and signing books.

According to a biography at http://www.eavanboland.com, Eavan Boland was born in Dublin, Ireland, in 1944. She is currently a professor of English at Trinity College Dublin and University and writes for The Irish Times.

During her writing career she has earned eight volumes of poetry, including “In a Time of Violence,” “The Lost Land” and the widely acclaimed “Outside History.” Her poems have earned her several distinguished awards, including the 1994 Lannan Literary Award for Poetry, the American Ireland Fund Literary Award, a grant from the Ingram-Merrill Foundation and the Irish Literature Prize in Poetry for 1997.

This quarter’s event will have Boland speaking to Hills English 329 on submitting and sharing her poems with the audience in Phillips Hall in the Performing Arts Center. Boland’s appearance is the keynote reading for the 16th annual San Luis Obispo Poetry Festival. Though Writers’ Speak is not a part of the festival, festival coordinators help fund the Cal Poly event, said Sarah Charukesnant, an English senior and executive coordinator for Writers’ Speak.

The aim of Writers’ Speak is mainly to get poetry out into the community, to familiarize people with what many consider a dying art, Charukesnant said.

Boland was chosen for the event because she’s such an important figure in the world of verse.

“She’s at the forefront of poetry right now,” Charukesnant said. Charukesnant hopes to absorb Boland’s poetic language at the reading and expects to see a lot of other English majors attending Writers’ Speak. For her, she said being immersed in poetry is a special experience, one that provides her with insight into a different world.

“Boland’s lyrical and meditative poems will not leave an impact,” she said. “This is an amazing opportunity to see one of the finest poets writing today.”

Adam Hill

Writers’ Speak director

From Boland’s latest collection of poems, “The Lost Land,” I am your citizen: composed of your fictions, your compromise, I am a part of your story and its outcome. And ready to record its contradictions.

Boland’s poetic language at the reading and expects to see a lot of other English majors attending Writers’ Speak. For her, she said being immersed in poetry is a special experience, one that provides her with insight into a different world.

“It’s exciting to be around people who are doing what I want to do,” she said.

Hill said that every student can benefit from hearing Boland’s topical poetry and encourages them to come.

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One Writers’ Speak event will be held each quarter this academic year. On January 28, author Tobias Wolff will present his work, and on May 5, David Wong Louise, a young fiction writer, will visit Cal Poly. This fall’s Writers’ Speak starts at 7 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 12. After Boland’s reading, her publications will be on sale in the recital hall. Admission is $2 for Cal Poly students.

Being John Malkovich

uses wit to avoid silliness

By Brent Marcus

There aren't many people who are barely suppressing an incredible urge to be John Malkovich. For that matter, there aren't many people who have never heard of the Academy Award-nominated actor, but in "Being John Malkovich," stardom is secondary. Being someone, or anyone else, is the utmost superpower.

Craig Schwartz (John Cusack) is a struggling puppeteer who arrives at the painful realization that playing the man’s head because "the over-the-top world of the side of the New Jersey Turnpike."

Craig and Maxine start a lucrative business charging $200 per person to be John Malkovich, until Malkovich (playing himself) finds out and the characters become embroiled in a war to control the man’s head. Malkovich is largely responsible for making the movie work. His seriousness in preserving his sanity gives a sense of reality that keeps the film from deteriorating into silliness. Cusack, Dietz and Keener also give fine performances in a movie they obviously enjoyed making. Charlie Sheen, Brad Pitt and Sean Penn also play themselves in brief cameos that also keep the movie grounded. It might sound strange, but this existentially grounded film is more realistic than most of the big-budget blockbusters that are regularly 

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By Mike Munson

MUSTANG DAILY STAFF WRITER

One of English history's most stirring dramas comes to life at the Cal Poly Theatre Thursday when the university opens its fall quarter production of "A Man For All Seasons."

Written by Robert Bolt, the play tells the true story of Sir Thomas More, Lord Chancellor of England during the reign of Henry VIII. When Catherine of Aragon did not give Henry a son, he broke away from the Roman Catholic Church in order to divorce her. The king demanded his subjects' support, but More refused to sign an act of supremacy because of his concrete beliefs.

According to Al Schnupp, "A Man For All Seasons" director and head of the theater and dance department, the story is not just a history lesson but a human drama about honor.

"It's really a story about a man remaining true to his conscience and trying desperately not to judge those around him," Schnupp said. "He very much gives everybody their intellectual and spiritual freedom, but he stays true to his own convictions."

Despite pleas from his wife, daughter and friends at court, More refused to compromise his beliefs.

"I think the play has a great message about standing up for your beliefs and what is right," Schnupp said. "It's very hard to separate it from life — almost something I have to aspire to. It's like I have to do this for him."

Schnupp said the cast often noticed parallels with modern society and applications to current political conditions while they assembled the play and dealt with its central theme of integrity.

"Politics is very much the same these days. I play a rich lawyer and spin doctor for the king," said busi­ness senior James D'Albora. "I think the play has a great message about standing up for your beliefs and what is right."

Mark Stryk, a theater senior who plays the Duke of Norfolk, said the play deals with a whole range of emotions and relationships—from politics to intimate family scenes.

"My fear with this show is that people just assume it's a very serious historical drama," Stryk said. "But it transcends time — it's about balancing your life and where your pri­orities are. I'm not a big history buff, but I love the script."

Set in the sixteenth century, the play depicts Tudor-style scenes throughout London and at King Henry's Hampton Court Palace, which are designed and con­structed by Tim Dugan of the theater department. The ornate court fash­tions of the time were researched, designed and con­structed by Eric Loye, a profes­sional guest designer.

The cast and crew include stu­dents of all majors, Cal Poly staff members and even two community members. They have worked on the play since the first week of the quar­ter.

"Such a great cast brought it together really quick," Stryk said. "It's a great show and I'm really proud of it."

Tickets are $8 general admission and $7 for students and seniors. They can be purchased at the Performing Arts Ticket Office and at the door on performance nights. "A Man For All Seasons" plays November 11, 12, 13 and 18, 19, 20 at 8 p.m.
Rosa's combines old world, new thinking

Rosa's is a family-owned and operated Italian Restaurant, and is a local favorite. Bill and Rosa MacMillian, along with their son, Doug, have owned the restaurant for 11 years. "And we're going to be here for another 11, at least," says Doug. With two generations in the kitchen, Rosa's combines the best of old world and new world thinking to create a wonderful menu.

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Many recipes have been developed over the years based on seasons and current tastes. Specialties of the house include cioppino, osso bucco, pastas, seafood and home-made tiramisu. Rosa's orders are made daily to ensure that all meals are made with fresh ingredients. The award-winning wine list features local California wines that pair well with Rosa's cuisine.

Rosa's placed 2nd in the 1999 Clam Chowder Festival, received the December 1998 Business of the month award for service, and in 1996, the Fleur-de-lis Award for excellence in fine cuisine and service. Doug is also proud to display his People's Choice Awards won in 1996, 1997, and 1999 in the Central Coast Cioppino Contest, served at Rosa's on Wednesday nights. Rosa's also believes in contributing to the community's youth, hosting a junior high soccer tournament and a Christmas dinner with Santa Claus.

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I f you've never taken time to stop and smell the roses, now's your chance. Everything is always in full bloom at Morro Bay Flowers and Gifts.

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Kurt is a member of the California State Floral Association and has been a Teacher Assistant for the Botanical nursery retreat held at Cal Poly every year in August. He worked in the Los Angeles area for many years before coming to the beautiful Central Coast. His decorative arrangements are always beautiful. Kurt has even done flower arrangements for many celebrities. He was one of the florists involved in doing the flower arrangements for Karen Carpenter's wedding in 1980. Staff at Morro Bay Flowers and Gifts has even more to offer. You can visit Morro Bay Flowers and Gifts online at www.FTD.com/morrobayflowersandgifts. You can even order your flowers right from their web site. Special arrangements online include Harvest Celebration, Autumn Beauty, Bountiful Garden, Thanks-A-Bunch Bouquet, and Changing Colors Centerpiece complete with two romantic candles. And there are many more to choose from.

The owner's favorite arrangement is the Indian Summer Bouquet, which you can purchase for just $34.99! Bouquets range in price from $30 dollars and upwards. The web site boasts same day local delivery when you place your order by noon!

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Someone in Colombia owns El Corral, not Cal Poly's El Corral, but a hamburger place called El Corral with an elcorral.com website. That's why the Cal Poly bookstore website can be found at elcorralbookstore.com.

Marketing manager Theresa Kaiser said the site enables El Corral to compete with other online textbook sellers, and it also gives customers new and improved purchasing opportunities. Students can currently mail-order new and used textbooks on El Corral's website. And by next fall, they should have the option to order textbooks on-line and pick them up on campus.

Because El Corral Bookstore is a retail operation, its commercial website is serviced off campus by The Grid. The website and page links get about 60,000 hits per week, mostly from off-campus sources, according to Kaiser. While students may order textbooks, computers and class rings on-line, many more non-student customers buy spirit merchandise, Cal Poly clothing and imprinted gifts, as well as university catalogs and schedules. This holiday season, Cal Poly cheese packs will be available for purchase on elcorralbookstore.com.

"We've always had a nice store — a brick and mortar store — and now we can also service people that aren't here or that can't park on campus," said Kaiser. Kaiser said that by being both on campus and on-line, El Corral is open 24 hours a day.

"That's the biggest thing about the website — it makes everything much more convenient for everybody," she said.

Courseware department manager Cindy Giambalvo said academic departments can and do use the website to requisition textbooks. There's at least two advantages to this system, according to Giambalvo. First, departments can place orders 24 hours a day; and second, since all on-line requisitions are typed by the departments, there is a reduced risk of errors.

"Someday in the future, students — especially if a used textbook is needed — may be doing," said Giambalvo. El Corral also posts graduation information, store promotions and price surveys on its website.
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Florida (14-3-3)
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First Round
No. 13
Fairfield (14-3-3)
Colgate (10-7-2)

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No. 14
Stanford (12-6-1)
California (13-6-1)

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No. 15
Connecticut (15-6-0)
UCLA (14-6-0)

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Michigan (16-5-1)
Maryland (10-9-1)

Quarterfinals
No. 19
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Central Florida (15-5-1)

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No. 20
Stony Brook, SUNY-Albany, Elon, Belmont, Sacred Heart, High Point, Oakland and Alabama A&M.

Midfielder Jill Nelsen played and started in all 20 games for Cal Poly.

Ten things to know about this college basketball season

Ten things fans should know as the 1999-2000 college basketball season begins:

1. The first game of the season is Duke vs. Stanford on Nov. 11 in the Coaches vs. Cancer Classic at Madison Square Garden, Connecticut

2. Twenty-three teams start the season as the Coaches vs. Cancer Classic. The match in the season is the second game of the doubleheader.

3. The last game of the season will be Monday, April 3, at the NCAA Dome in Indianapolis.

4. The best of the early season tournaments include the Preseason NIT (Arizona, Kentucky, Utah, Ohio State); Maui Invitational (North Carolina, Florida, Georgetown, Purdue); Great Alaska Shootout (Kansas, Xavier, Louisville, Georgia Tech); Puerto Rico Shootout (Michigan State, DePaul, Texas); Big East Invitational (Arkansas, Cincinnati).

5. A leading returning scorer in Division 1 is junior guard Brian Marxism of Texas-Pan American (23.7). The top rebounder is junior Jann McInnis of Dartmouth (12.2). The leading assist man is senior Doug Gorstlie of Oklahoma State (8.8).

6. The statistic every fan should think about as the season begins. Pete Maravich averaged 44.2 points per game over his three seasons at LSU. Last season no player in Division I scored more than 44 points in a game.

7. The leading transfer front. Loren Woods moving from Wake Forest to Arizona will help the Wildcats up front. The Lake Angel will make a difference at Kansas after leaving Texas.
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things in common that make this sit­
uation intriguing.
1. They both had outstanding careers deserving of enshrinement.
2. They were both implicated in situations involving gambling and base­ball.

3. Neither one has ever admitted guilt.

Like any great bureaucrat, Selig's
stance on the House's resolution is to
investigate whether Jackson should be
reinstated.

Now Selig is a bright man, but even
Houdini couldn't get out of this trap.
If he follows Congress' lead and
reinstates Shoeless Joe, Ross's situa­tion is so similar he has to be next.

On the flip side, if Selig goes against
what the House called righting an old
wrong, he looks like a bitter man
cowardly choosing tradition over a
history-changing and just reinsta­tion.

So Ross waits for Selig and as long
as he doesn't think about Jim Gray,
he should smile knowing he's close to
Cooperstown.

The timeliness of the resolution
should also indicate both Jackson and
Ross will eventually be in the Hall of
Fame. Remember, this is the decade
where we forgot an alleged rape, Mike
Tyson, to continue playing and we increas­ingly support a
president who is involved in more
scandals than Pete Rose had his.

So the House has created an inter­est­ing bit of drama and Selig has only
one way to go.

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balanced over the season," Wells
said. "We go with what we know
best, but it's nice to see everyone
getting involved and being a part
of the game.'

Injuries have sidelined a number
of Mustang players lately. Wells
wants his team to be healthy and
enjoy the last games of the season
as a team, not as parts of a team.

"These guys work so hard all
season. I would like for them to get
something out of their hard work," he
told. "They deserve to be on the
field together and not be on the
sidelines."

Cal Poly quarterback Andy
Iepson, who went to the hospital
during last week's 28-14 loss to
Montana, will be back in practice
this week. What was thought to be
a possible broken rib turned out to be
a bruised lung. Welsh expects
the senior to be part of the line­
up at kickoff.

"Andy's tough. If he can breathe
generally and get through practice
this week, he will be the starter on
Saturday," Welsh said.

Cal Poly's defense has improved
over the past several weeks. With
the strength of their schedule,
touchdowns have been hard to come
by for the Mustangs. Defense has
been the key to remaining close in
games and having a chance to win
at the end.

Our defense has been tremen­
dous lately," Welsh said. "I'm
proud of our guys on both sides of
the ball, but the defense really
deserves a lot of credit.

The defense should have an eas­
tier time this week as it faces a
struggling team without its star
wide receiver. St. Mary's (2-8) will
will just have to look other places
for points.

Despite the injuries, Rasmussen
expects a tough game. Cal Poly
leads the all-time series 7-1 be­tween the two schools.

"It's going to be a very competi­
tive game," he said. "It always is when these schools get together."

Wells knows his team will have
a good following on Saturday. The
rivalry factor only adds to the
case of Cal Poly having good
fan support in an away game.

"Last time we played up there,
the stands were packed for both
teams," he said. "The end zones
were full. We get an excellent
crowd up there, and their follow­
ing is truly appreciated. This
should be a fine-up game for the
fans and the teams."

The game starts at 1 p.m. in
Moraga on Saturday.

Managing editor Joe Nolan
wants to be a sports writer so he can
get inside information and make big
game decisions. He can be reached
at joelon@polymail.calpoly.edu.
NCAA Tournament awaits Cal Poly

Women's soccer makes first appearance at College Cup

By Bryce Alderton

The pressure of the regular season didn't get to women's soccer coach Alex Croeter, and he isn't about to let the NCAA Tournament make him sweat either.

Croeter leads Cal Poly's women's soccer team into the NCAA Division I Tournament for the first time today. The team will play at Fresno State, which will also be making its first appearance in the tournament tonight at 7 p.m. The Mustangs fell to the Bulldogs in overtime earlier this year, 1-0.

"We have been playing well lately and the players are excited about it," Croeter said. "They just have to stay loose and go out and play their games." Cal Poly has won seven of its last nine games while posting three shutouts in those matches.

"We have been playing with pressure all season long because we knew we had to win every game," Croeter said.

Cal Poly finished the season 12-8 overall while going 8-1 in the Big West Conference, which assured the team's tournament berth. The Mustangs won their final eight conference games after dropping the opener to Utah State, 4-1.

They come off a 2-0 victory over St. Mary's last Friday, which gave the Mustangs some momentum heading into the tournament.

Croeter wants the Mustangs to focus on themselves and not worry about the Bulldogs.

"Fresno has a couple dangerous speed players, a strong midfielder and a deep sweeper, but we must worry about ourselves," Croeter said.

Cal Poly senior forward Gia Oenqeru said a key to see NCAA, page 14

see FOOTBALL, page 15 The Mustangs' Vic Greco gets face to face with a Portland State defender.

St. Mary's, 2-8, may end Mustang road woes

By Aaron Emerson

MUSTANG DAILY STAFF WRITER

The football team will try to tackle St. Mary's this Saturday in search of its first road victory of the season.

Cal Poly (2-7) averages 165 yards per game rushing, but now faces a porous run defense this weekend in Moraga. The Gaels give up more than 200 yards rushing per game, including an astounding 526 last week against Southern Utah University.

"We will try to remain balanced this Saturday," Cal Poly head coach Larry Welsh said. "But we'll take what the defense gives us, of course." St. Mary's defense was run over from the start of last week's game, giving up four rushing touchdowns in the first quarter. Southern Utah, one of two teams Cal Poly defeated so far this year, had five scoring drives of more than 80 yards and nearly had four 100-yard rushers.

The Mustangs will be looking to create a similar balance on offense.

"We've gotten more and more