Man dies on Bishop's Peak

By Christina von Stein
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You've probably caught a glimpse of them tearing up the street, rattling down hills and attracting curious states. The new scooters have arrived in San Luis Obispo. This new toy is the re-invention of something new, enjoyed by children and adults as a fast, fun means of travel.

Since scooters were introduced in San Francisco and New York last spring, customer demand nationwide has been unprecedented.

The trend, tagged "scootermania," exploded in crowded metropolitan areas where alternative transit is perceived as more practical than driving. Scooter enthusiasts join the legions of bicyclists, skateboarders and in-line skaters in making environmental vehicles viable means of transportation.

Plus, they're fun. Ask people why they scoot, and they'll tell you they do it primarily for the sheer joy of it.

Bimmer Haves, a city and regional planning freshman, bought a scooter a couple of months ago. Haves viewed a television feature on the widespread use of scooters in downtown Manhattan and searched for them on the Internet. "I kind of hopped on the bandwagon real quick," Haves said. She visited the www.raincity.com site, which specializes in selling the Razor model, one of the more popular brands of scooters.

"I went online, ordered it on Monday and had it on Wednesday," she recounted.

Haves originally bought her scooter with the idea of commuting to school, but quickly changed her mind when she experienced the hills and uneven terrain around Cal Poly.

She plans to buy a bicycle for commuting longer distances, but will keep her scooter for exploring around town.

"It's just fun to have to go other places, but I probably won't use it for school like I thought I was," Haves said. "I would definitely recommend them, because they're a whole bunch of fun!" she said.

Despite the enthusiasm of retailers such as Terra's Too, Cal Poly is giving scooters the same consideration as skateboards, which are outlawed. University Police Officer Jeff Joynt reiterated Cal Poly's alternative transportation policy:

"There is no skateboarding or rollerblading on campus, and scootering falls under that category," Joynt said. He said that he has seen a few on campus, but that "police officers have been directed to issue citations."

Skateboarding tickets are $25 initially. Violations are forwarded to Judicial Affairs. Since January 2000, officers have issued approximately 50 tickets to skateboarders.

Joynt appreciated that scooters are fun and functional, and mentioned see SCOOTERS, page 2
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that his daughters, aged 13 and 15, want one.

"They're too young to have one," he said.

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of the downtown area caused by scooter riders, the wheels will be banned.

From a health standpoint, a recent report on scooter safety identified a spike in emergency room visits by scooter riders, but most wounds reported were minor scrapes and bruises, the same injuries incurred by skateboarders, skaters and bicyclists.

Scooter riders do yield positive health benefits in pushing themselves up hills and down sidewalks, in an effort best described as skating on half a Rollerblade.

Scooters appear everywhere on local store shelves as retailers try to capitalize on the trend.

Jut Hamilton of Tom's Toys said, "I'm not sure how long it's going to last, but so far it's hanging in there."

The toy store has sold scooters to customers ranging from age five to 65 years old.

Stores as diverse as Merrey's, Copeland's, Tom's Toys and Full Circle are all selling a version of the push scooter. Most retailers offer the basic model, with black handlens and clear wheels, for $75-$100. Full Circle just began selling the Rattler At, which sports translucent yellow wheels, for $70.

Trent Noah, art and design junior, bought a scooter over the summer.

"Mainly I got one because my little brother had one," Noah said. His brother Colby is 11 and loves to scoot. The only problem Noah found with the scooters is that they tend to bottom out pretty easily, even with a small bump in the road toppling a rider to the ground. This does not stop Noah from learning to do tricks, however.

"Sometimes I put the handlens at the lowest setting and scoot under things," he said. "Yeah, and jump off curbs - those are fun. Also 180s."

The scooter trend took off last spring, and so far over a million and a half scooters have been sold nationwide.

With the holiday season approaching, scooters show no signs of slowing down.

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through at the end."

Bechtel anticipates that Souza will eventually return to Cal Poly to finish his degree, but thinks he won't use his education on hold for Hollywood.

"If something comes of this, he needs to pursue it," Bechtel said. "Hopefully this gets him somewhere - and besides, he has $100,000 to sit on."

Melanie Durdidge, Souza's older sister from Santa Maria, said her family is relieved to finally see him. She said her family is ultimately pleased with the outcome of the show.

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Art and design junior Trent Nahas shows off his moves on his scooters for some people, those scooters are toys, but for others they are a viable means of transportation. On campus, police are treating scooters as skateboards.

Tickets for skateboarding or scooting are $25.

Tiny kitten in the house, she said she plans on seeing him in the future. De Dea Pinsky, the show's health and relationship specialist, was on hand to talk about Souza's character.

"Josh is one I didn't get to come on much," Pinsky said. "He sort of stayed under the radar in terms of the stuff that was comming on - he seems like a nice guy. He played the game well."

David Jennings, a civil engineering senior, is planning on living with Souza once he returns to the Central Coast. Jennings is friends with Souza from classes and study groups. He happy that Souza took the second place prize.

Jennings said he thought Souza may have been portrayed inaccurately in the beginning of the show. He thinks the "Big Brother" producers wanted Souza to be the "player" of the house.

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — In one of the most popular TV series ever, "Cheers" was the neighborhood bar where everybody knew your name. And audiences knew the characters by name, guys like Norm the accountant and Cliff the postman. But what about the actors who portrayed them? Del George Wendt and Judge Reinhold became so closely identified with a character that they are name, signature, photograph or likeness. The law specifies that no one is acting legally when it licenses the use of "Cheers" ambiance and even featured robots who resembled Norm and Cliff. Wendt and Reinhold objected to their likenesses being used in the show and in a movie. The studio was ahead with the idea, changing the character names to Bob and Hank.

The actors sued for damages under California’s right to use one’s identity. The 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals reversed him saying the use of the actors’ identity was a violation of personal property rights. The case went back to Real who threw it out again noting the robots were not similar to the characters. The next appeal by Paramount went to the U.S. Supreme Court.

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Opinion

Conicidences shouldn't be that surprising

While at the Counting Crows live concert in Irvine this weekend, I had an unusual experience.

It had nothing to do with the band or the music or the concert itself. It had to do with where I was sitting, or, more specifically, who was sitting near me. As my friends and I waited for the lights to dim and the artists to take the stage, the stranger sitting behind me started talking to me.

"Do you go to Cal Poly?" he asked. Apparently, he noticed my backward baseball cap emblazoned with our school's logo. It turns out he lives in or, more specifically, who was sitting near me. He started talking to me.

This couple, relatively new to the Central Coast recognized me after having seen me at church last week. So now, the four people directly behind our group are talking to me, chatting about Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo and the surrounding area and waiting for the show to start. This is not an isolated concert case, either.

My friend Whitney went to a concert last weekend in San Francisco. While there, she ran into several ex-San Luis Obispo residents by chance. She said she learned some ex-San Luis Obispo, who, although not in a different state, is not exactly our neighboring city either.

These were unusual experiences, but they are not unique to SLO residents or new for me, for that matter. I once ran into the same girl from my elementary school three separate times on a trip to Canada. I met a woman from Santa Barbara who knew the only two people I knew in Orange County. My parents often see people they know in random places as airports in Houston, and we're Sacramento natives.

When it comes down to odds and averages, small coincidences like this shouldn't surprise anyone. When you think of all the people you know, and all the people you know through them, the number total up fast. Add to that the sheer number of people who simply have something in common with you, like going to the same school, living in the same city or attending the same concert.

What should be surprising is that coincidences like this don't happen more often. You shouldn't be able to go anywhere without running into someone you can identify with, whether you have a mutual friend, teacher or ex-classmate.

In fact, we all probably run into people like this all the time, but it's impractical (and amusing) to start keeping track of your acquaintances whenever someone suspects a connection. We've all experienced that social unpleasantness, and most of us are guilty of it too.

"You went to Sacramento High School? Do you know Jason? Or Rachel?"

So, next time you have a chance encounter with someone in a random place, don't get all excited. Just remember the law of averages and try to collect some juicy gossip. You may need it to pass on during your next random meeting.

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Get out and do something fun

Students are saying there's nothing to do in San Luis Obispo. The Grad has lost its appeal and Farmer's Market is just a really crowded street, unless you need some fresh vegetables. Well, this simply isn't true. I pooled my resources - boyfriend, roommate and co-workers - and came up with quite an extensive list of fun and interesting things to do and see in San Luis Obispo County.

I have to admit I'm a little hesitant to give details of some of my favorite things to do and places to go in fear that they will turn into the next Pismo Dunes or a crowded Farmer's Market. I'm not so popular that people will necessarily do what I say, but please, if you do visit some of these locations, respect the locals, the environment and pick up your trash.

Disclaimer: Some suggestions may be sarcastic, not entirely legal and may have ramifications from your mother.

The great outdoors. This involves leaving your dorms and houses, may require using your feet and muscles, and might get you a little wet. Let's start with the basics. Grab a lunch, some friends and head to the beach for a picnic. We have so many beautiful beaches up and down our coast you can hit a different beach each week. While you're in Pismo, Avila, Morro Bay or Cambria rent a kayak and hit the high seas. This is a great way to see the marine wildlife up close and personal. They like getting close. Top the day off with a bonfire on the beach. Avila is the best place to do this.

The San Luis area has some great hiking. Try climbing the seven sisters. However, I must warn you it is illegal to climb Morro Rock. A night in county jail could be an interesting adventure. Madonna Mountain and Bishop's Peak are the most popular of the seven, and are totally legal to hike.

Take a drive up Pacific Coast Highway towards Big Sur. There are many beautiful campgrounds off the road to stop in for the night. To kill some time and even yourself, try sky diving in the North country, take up golf, or learn to wind surf.

While you're outdoors you might want to check out some of the wildlife reserves in the county. While driving up Pacific Coast Highway above San Simeon, stop and see the elephant seals. They look really smooth rocks on the beach at first, but you'll know you're there when you see a lot of people looking at these rocks from the road. They like to entertain their audience.

The monarch butterfly reserve in Pismo Beach is amazing from October to March. To see some animals in a controlled environment, the Charles Paddock Zoo is open daily and costs just $3. The San Luis Obispo Humane Society on South Broad Street is always looking for volunteers to spend a couple of hours playing with the animals or walking a dog.

San Luis Obispo County has some great tourist attractions. Hearst Castle is at the top of the list. When I finally went for a tour, I couldn't believe I had lived here for so long without visiting it. There are several different tours of the castle, including an evening tour offered in the fall and spring that takes visitors back to the castle's heyday in the 1930s. Take a day and go wine tasting through San Luis Obispo's wine country. Be sure to have a designated driver. Relax at the Sycamore Mineral Hot Springs for the end to a perfect day.

There is really too much to do and see in this area. My favorite activity is trying to find new things and don't be afraid to live a little. Hey, a tattoo can kill three hours.

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The presidential elections are coming up. I know it. You know it. The entire world probably knows it. Yet, do you hear any heated debates in the town's coffee shops? Does any one mention exactly what Bush and Gore stand on the issues? What are they for or against? It would seem that instead of learning about politics we are being driven mad with infomercials, parodies and irrelevant details as politicians fill the television screens with half-truths and unsubstantiated propositions. These are the TV-elections.

More than ever, the main way Americans are getting the latest scoop on campaign issues is through TV ads. As the Los Angeles Times reported on May 14, broadcasters are expected to raise more than $600 million for campaign ads - 50 percent more than in 1996, and double the amount raised in 1992.

Marketing companies are running the show, and they are running it with a vengeance. They want suggestive images and rhetorical questions.

As Bush spokesman, Ari Fleischer, said to the Houston Chronicle: "The commercials outline the framework of the campaign, meaning that they are meant to sell to a market of images and provoking statements instead of discussing anything in detail."

In such a commercial, he speaks directly to the voters saying: "It's not popular to say, 'Our children can't afford Social Security and Medicare improving,' or 'We have a budget deficit that is not a dishonest value, but the right thing to say at the right time and the right way to make America better for everyone is to be bold and decisive. To unite instead of divide. Now is the time to do hard things.'"

Wow, I'm sure viewers were enlightened by that ad. Now all how know he plans to make this a better country, Right?

If Gore is not off the hook either. In response to Bush's ad, the Gore campaign produced a catchy ad saying: "All three of George W.'s national security and leadership, but Bush has failed voters on both." OK, now I really feel enlightened.

But even when issues are brought up, the 30 seconds seem to only offer temporary solutions using the infamous budget surplus.

In Los Angeles, Bush appears, saying the country is going through "a school recession." His solution is to use surplus dollars to give schools who improve their standing, a bonus. His plan is to motivate schools to do better. This way, the schools that have wealthy families willing to donate money into new programs will be able to "better their standing" and qualify for an extra bonus.

What are the issues?

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Proponents of public transportation are going to have to circle their wagons. I am hoping common sense will prevail. It is in the best interest of riders and drivers, both inside and outside Los Angeles metropolitan area, to improve transportation. It is in the best interest of the Earth to get out of our cars and take the bus or the train or walk.

San Luis Obispo could dangle a real carrot in front of prospective transit users: how about a ride to and from school at no charge? The Savings could be substantial, reliable and convenient transportation. It is in the best interest of our generation to get out of our cars and take the bus or the train or walk.

What would put the tear of "high gas prices" into them? Maybe that's another popular song but he's changed the lyrics and made them funny," another would say. Fast forward to today. Someone has already tried to join the "Weird Al" Yankovic bandwagon - a group of "Weird Al" fans and students get together in the back of the classroom, "What would put the tear of "high gas prices" into them?"

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**News**

**Bush, Gore set for Tuesday's debate**

WASHINGTON (AP) — At their best, Monday night's debate for the presidential nomination could showcase Al Gore's mastery of detail and George W. Bush's engaging personal style. But they might also play out more like a battle of sentiment vs. precision.

The ten debating hours — 4 1/2 hours in all beginning Tuesday — will give millions of undecided voters their last best chance to take the measure of the men who would be president.

"I don't think they're looking for a person who will win a college debate series," said Stanley Renshon, a political scientist at New York University who has studied presidential debates. "They're looking for a person who will command in their views....They're looking for a person who is not afraid to state what they think."

Each candidate has the opportunity to play up and weaknesses to overcome.

Gore, by far the more experienced debater, is well known for his command of policy details. He can turn up the heat, though, when he pushes too hard.

"I think it's about publicity aggressiveness to Gore that I would call his principal weakness when he gets mobilized in an attack mode in a debate," said Bruce Buchanan, a political scientist at the University of Texas. "If he wants the heat, his talent doesn't do him any good.

And Gore can get into trouble for over-reaching when he's opening out all the boxes to reread his recent column in which he claimed that his mother-in-law had to pay more than he did for the same anti-smoking medicine, from a study, not Gore's family.

There's also the Al Gore-p, oratorical rhetoric, which feeds into the perception that he's lecturing. "He always uses the same log, which is the rhetorical equivalent of Luck, you feel," said Renshon. "It'll be interesting to hear how George Bush handles Mr. Gore's tendency to climb up on a soap box and lecture."

During his primary campaign debates with Bill Bradley, Gore often sounded as if he were talking down to the former senator, as when he conceded that Bradley "gets a little out of step... when I talk about the substance of his policies."

Bush's strength's weaknesses are almost the flip side of Gore's. His best jokes are his sharpest allegations, and his ability to connect with voters one-on-one is a soft spot he's conceded in a poll. You're not always sure he'll be able to focus enough to show some of that empathy he displayed to the 9/11 victims.

Some of Bush's most important moments in the primary debates came when he was able to chum up his audience with easy self-insurance. For example, he got more approval for his light-hearted answer to a question about his family than for anything else.

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Another debating danger for Bush, observation, in the due run period when put on the defensive.

"There's a kind of rhetoric, a dimension to their debate," said Fields. "He's got to avoid projecting anything... so that he's sure to be heard."

In the primary debates, Bush was sometimes so at the consultants, dominantly telling one rival, "You don't know what you're talking about," and on several occasions complaining, "Let me finish! Let me finish!"

Buchanan, Nader call debate unfair, stage own forum Sunday in protest

WASHINGTON (AP) — Ralph Nader and Pat Buchanan staged a minidebate of their own Sunday and grumbled about being shut out of Tuesday's faceoff between George W. Bush and Al Gore.

"What are they afraid of?" asked Buchanan, the Reform Party nominee. Green Party candidate Nader said he'll be in Boston for the Bush-Gore event and joked: "Maybe I'll crawl up on the stage there."

The bipartisan Commission on Presidential Debates, organizer of the five 90-minute debates this month between the Republican Bush and Democrat Gore, said last week that Buchanan and Nader had failed to meet its criteria for participation Tuesday.

Candidates' names must appear on enough state ballots to have a chance to win a majority of Electoral College votes, and they must average 15 percent support in five major national polls. For weeks, Nader and Buchanan have been at least 15 percent or below in the polls, while Gore and Bush have been at 40 percent or above.

As an alternative, Nader and Buchanan appeared on NPR's "Meet the Press," where they vehemently challenged the commission decision.

Gore and Bush, meanwhile, continued studying for the debate, with Gore hunkered down in Sarasota, Fla., where he prepared for his 1996 vice presidential debate, and Bush at his ranch outside Waco, Texas. Bush planned to campaign Monday in West Virginia before heading to Boston.

Nader said the debate commissioners' decision means Republicans and Democrats "have a monopoly on the debates, and the networks have allowed them to have a monopoly."

He planned a rally in Boston later Sunday to dramatize his demand to be admitted to the debate.

Buchanan, whose Reform Party participated in the 1992 debates because of the early popularity of party founder Ross Perot's ideas, and the recognized parties, Republican and Democratic, Reform and Buchanan received $12.6 million in federal campaign funds this year based on Perot's 8 percent showing in the 1992 election.

"The other two parties are engaged in a conspiracy basically to deny me access to the debate that's going to decide the election and the presidency... and the American people are being denied... the right to see and hear a candidate they're paying for," Buchanan said. "That's the injustice."
Closing ceremony caps end of 2000 Sydney Olympics

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) - The Sydney Olympics had farewell to the world Sunday in an Ausie-tized extravaganza of exuberance, sparkling the skies and rocking Olympic Stadium in a closing ceremony bursting with the exhilaration of the land they call Oz.

But before the party, there were a few final acts.

Gaelen Abela of Ethiopia won the Sydney Olympic final event - the 26.2-mile marathon - striding into the stadium just a few hours before it was taken over by the robots on stilts, the Frankenstein kangaroos and the giant shrimp on bicycles that helped Sydney cap its games.

The U.S.' "Dream Team" survived another holocaust to dream the gold in an 85-75 victory over the United States.

With 13 minutes left in the second half, Cal Poly sophomore Megan Schlegel just missed a shot by a few feet. Minutes later, Trione missed a shot high.

"We had a lot of good opportunities today," Trione said. "We just need to work on capitalizing on them a little more." St. Mary's had their chances as well. With just eight minutes left in the game, Garcia let a pass from a teammate slip by her and roll nearly into the net. Fortunately for the Mustangs, the ball rolled just a few feet wide of the goal.

Although the Mustangs weren't satisfied with the tie, they knew they didn't play their best.

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Men's soccer beats New Mexico 2-1

By Mike Gilmore
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Cal Poly's men's soccer team opened up Mountain Pacific Sport Federation league play on Saturday with a 2-1 win over the University of New Mexico.

Johnny Cummins opened the scoring with a header past New Mexico goalkeeper Chris Menohfeld to put Cal Poly up 1-0. Evan Clark added to the Mustangs' lead with a goal at the 65-minute mark.

New Mexico was able to cut Cal Poly's lead in half with a goal by Jeff Whiting at the 72-minute mark in play. Whiting's goal was the only allowed by goalkeeper Benton White.

Cal Poly goalkeeper Brentuiy Gaudio added to the Mustangs' lead with a five-game victory over Utah State. With the split, the Mustangs improved their record to 5-4-1 as they open Big West play on Friday against Pacific.

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Volleyball splits road matches

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Cal Poly split two road matches this weekend against Boise State and Utah State. With the split, the Mustangs' record improved to 4-3.

Cal Poly opened Big West play with a five-game victory over Boise State. The teams split the first four games before the Mustangs pulled out a 15-7 victory.

Against Utah State, Cal Poly jumped out to win the first two games 15-12 and 15-11. Utah State battled to win the next two games 15-4 and 15-10. In the deciding game, the Mustangs fell to the Aggies 15-9 in front of 334 fans at Utah's Smith Spectrum.

Cal Poly's next game is against Big West conference opponent Idaho on Saturday at Mott Gym at 7 p.m.

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Sports Trivia

Yesterday's Answer:

Dan O'Brien set the decathlon world record after failing to qualify for the event at the 1992 U.S. Olympic Trials.

Today's Question:

Who was the first major league to get more than 3,000 hits and 500 home runs?

Briefs

Giants keep Johnson from 20 wins

PHOENIX (AP) — Trying to win 20 games for the second time in his career, Randy Johnson fell short.

Johnson was knocked out after Calvyn Murray's fourth-inning grand slam, and the San Francisco Giants beat the Arizona Diamondbacks 11-4 Sunday in their regular-season finale at the Polo Grounds. Johnson had a 2-0 start when going 20-4 for Seattle in 1987. Johnson (19-7) was pulled for all nine runs — eight earned — and seven hits in 3 1-3 innings.

Football defeated in Utah

MUSTANG DAILY STAFF REPORT

After one quarter at Southern Utah, it appeared that the Mustangs might be able to even their record at 2-3.

The second quarter, however, made it sure that wasn't going to happen. The Thunderbirds scored 21 points in the second quarter en route to a 42-13 win over the Mustangs on Saturday night.

Southern Utah amassed 472 rushing yards against Cal Poly's defense. Quarterback Matt Cannon rushed for 152 yards and two touchdowns and passed for 71 yards and one touchdown. Fullback Rod Madden also picked up 164 yards on 24 carries.

Cal Poly quarterback Seth Burford completed 16 for 35 passes for 219 yards and one touchdown pass to Tim Thurman. Cal Poly missed the extra point, which would have tied the score at 14. Southern Utah went on to tack on another touchdown before halftime making the score 21-13.

The Thunderbirds rolled off 21 straight points in the second half and held Cal Poly scoreless.

Please submit sports trivia answer to sports@mustangdaily.calpoly.edu. Please include your name. The first correct answer received via e-mail will be printed in the next issue of the paper.