State slow to refine solar potential

Experts say Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger's solar power incentive bill will not be enough to bring state up to par

Crystal Phend

California has been called the Saudi Arabia of solar power. But unlike the oil-rich nation, California has failed to take full advantage of its solar resources.

California is far behind other states, even New Jersey, but Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger's recent bill to renew a solar power incentive program aims to bring the state up to par. However, local experts say it is going to take much more than rebates and tax credits to catch up.

"It all sounds good on paper just like the hydrogen economy, all the guys say the magic words," physicist Leonard Wall said. "But when it costs the state money then they have second thoughts about it."

Solar panels absorb light from the sun to free an electron that can then flow as electricity. Since a new solar panel system costs around $24,000, most people would need rebates or tax credit to build them.

Solar panels are necessary if a substantial number of homeowners are going to install the typically $24,000 systems, said John Ewan, owner of local solar merchant Pacific Energy Co.

New Jersey is emerging as one of the most solar-friendly states, according to solarbuzz, a Web site devoted to information-and-answer sessions with state policy makers.

New Jersey is one of three in the country because solar homes actually produce more electricity than the state/energy section will be published Tuesday. See Snack, page 2

Arnold to terminate junk food

Erica Werner

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger said Sunday he wants to ban all sales of junk food in California schools and legislation was being introduced to accomplish the goal.

Vending machines in schools should be filled with fresh fruits, vegetables and milk, Schwarzenegger said during a question-and-answer session with CBS on the final day of his Arnold Classic bodybuilding weekend.

Students invent better way to snack

Cal Poly students won a national product development competition with a snack bar called 'Mizamonde'

Nicole Stivers

Keep an eye on the shelves at the local grocery store. Cal Poly students have created a new snack bar.

A team of food science and nutrition students was first place in a national product development competition last month with their snack bar 'Mizamonde.'

The team used up the name by combining the Spanish word mazana, meaning apple, and Miss Almond.

"This project allowed us to work with something from beginning to end," said Marion Cook, food science and team member. "We learn about these things in class, but we actually got to do it; not hear about it or read about it."

The team heard about the California Almond Board-sponsored competition in one of their classes.

Food science senior Anne Boin wanted to create a peanut snack bar for her senior project and decided to get a team together to enter the competition.

Food science seniors Cook and Patricia Courthey joined Boin to create a product. Two food science professors, Hany Khalil and Anmar Ohba, assisted the team.

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homemaker can use during mid-day peak electricity usage times, which reduces the demand on the power supply, Echols said. “A new power plant is going to cost two to four times more than installing panels that can produce an equivalent amount of energy,” he said.

One incentive is that as more people decide to go solar, the best thing to do is make California in the meantime.

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Almond Innovations Contest asked food science students across the country to create snacks incorporating almonds.

Prior to developing the bar, the students surveyed numerous ingredients for their nutritional value. “Mitzamonde” contains almonds, flour, honey, powdered milk and prunes. We designed our bar to be a good source of false calcium, calcium, protein, powdered milk and prunes. Our team then got down to business and made our first batch of bars. We then took them to a local health fair and sampled them to the public. We received positive feedback and decided to continue developing our bar.

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pared to 51 percent of 26 to 37 year-olds, 49 percent of 38 to 56 year-olds, and 42 percent of people 57 and older. One issue that got a lot of attention in the 2004 presidential election was the use of steroids. A recent study from the National Institute on Drug Abuse found that 41 percent of 18 to 29-year-old voters think that gays and lesbians should be allowed to legally form civil unions but not marry, compared to 35 percent of 30-44-year-olds. This age demographic represents most college-age students. While there are a number of special interest groups on campus, Cal Poly is in a unique position because of its lack of diversity.

“Numerous numbers don’t necessarily reflect the Cal Poly campus,” said Mel Commaro English senior and Pride Alliance Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Center member. “There are extreme on both sides, and there is a large middle group who really don’t voice opinions either way.”

Research by CIRCLE shows significant changes in the perspectives of youth toward racial and ethnic minorities. The study reports that younger generations are more supportive of diversity than older groups. People 26 and older are more than three times as likely to favor segregat-

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SAN FRANCISCO — A federal court in Mexico has ordered jeans maker Levi Strauss & Co. to pay $45 million to former contractor C’omexma, which sued the company for the fallout from a June 2001 incident at its plant.

Accompanied by local media, Mexican police raided Comexma looking for evidence of bogus Levi’s brands based on information provided by a company attorney. The brand-protection attorney set up the raid without getting the required company approvals, Levi’s said.

LOS ANGELES — A California woman who sued to retrieve $150 million worth of family paintings stolen by the Nazis was in mediation Monday with the departmental office of Kevin Shelley, who resigned amid investigations into his personal and ethical conduct as the state’s top elections official.

Shelley’s Feb. 4 resignation took effect at midnight Friday.

Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger has nominated former state Sen. Bruce McPherson to finish Shelley’s term, which expires in 2007. A confirmation hearing before the Senate Rules Committee is set for March 16.

WASHINGTON — The White House on Monday said it was “absurd” for a former hostage in Iraq to charge that U.S. military forces may have deliberately targeted her car as she was being rushed to freedom.

White House press secretary Scott McClellan said the car carrying Italian journalist Giuliana Sgrena was traveling on one of the most dangerous roads in Iraq when it was fired upon. An Italian intelligence officer in the car was shot and killed.

DENVER — Prosecutors want the Colorado Supreme Court to review a 12-year state prison sentence handed down for a woman who started the worst wildfire in Colorado’s history.

In a motion filed last week, prosecutors said the Colorado Court of Appeals erred in its interpretation of a U.S. Supreme Court ruling in an unrelated case when it considered an appeal filed by Terry Barton.

Barton is serving six years on federal charges in addition to the state term after he admitted starting the 138,000-acre Hayman fire in June 2002. The appeals court ruled in December that Barton must be resentenced on the state conviction, noting that the judge who presided over the case had at least “the appearance of prejudice.”

ORLANDO, Fla. — Middle-age women can cut their risk of heart disease by regularly taking low doses of aspirin, and the pills help prevent both problems in women 65 and older, a major study found.

The results are opposite what is known about aspirin in men, where its benefit for stroke is limited and in ability to prevent heart problems is legendary. Since women proportionately suffer more strokes and men more heart attacks, this is generally good news, specialists said.

Despite the violence, both sides reported progress on transferring West Bank cities to Palestinian security control after weeks of deadlock over whether Israel would remove army roadblocks outside the towns.

The Palestinians had insisted on the removal of the roadblocks, which have severely disrupted life in the West Bank during more than four years of fighting.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic — Rival gangs fighting for control of a provincial Dominican Republic prison set pillows and sheers ablaze Monday, starting a fire that killed at least 133 people after rescuers were thwarted by a jammed entrance, officials said. Only 26 inmates were rescued from the public jail in Higaya, 75 miles northeast of the capital on the island’s eastern tip, said National Police Chief Manuel de Jesus Perez Sanchez.

BAGHDAD, Iraq — Iraqi insurgents set off bombs and fired rocket-propelled grenades and automatic weapons at military convoys, checkpoints and police patrols in a spate of violence Monday that killed 33 people and wounded dozens.

The terror group Al-Qaida in Iraq, led by Abu Musab al-Zarqawi, claimed responsibility for much of the bloodshed.

HEBRON, West Bank — Palestinian militants shot and wounded two Israeli border policemen Monday in an attack on a military post near a West Bank shrine, the latest attempt to disrupt a delicate cease-fire, Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon, reacting to the attack, said.

Jews would continue to live and pray in Hebron, endorsing the settlers’ presence in the tense city.

SACRAMENTO — A former California state agency worker was sentenced to more than six years in prison Monday by San Francisco-based federal judge who presided over the case had at least “the appearance of prejudice.”

CIVIC CENTER — A former city employee of the California secretary of state’s office took off work as acting secretary Monday with the departure of Kevin Shelley, who resigned Friday after a series of controversies.

SANTA FE — New Mexico’s embattled state election official has asked that her re-election be considered null and void, according to an appeal to the state’s highest court.

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IN OTHER NEWS

SAN LUIS OBISPO — A new county law aims to keep readers from reading libraries in San Luis Obispo County have had their own rules banning offensive body odor since 1994, but the policy became law after the Board of Supervisors last month adopted an ordinance that lets authorities kick out malodorous guests.

A strict code of conduct, officials argue, is needed to ensure one patron’s right to use a public library doesn’t infringe on the rights of another.

The law can raise tough questions for librarians, said Irene Macias, Santa Barbara’s library services manager.

"What is bad odor?" Macias asked. "A woman who wears a strong perfume? A person who had a garlic meal?"

SAN MARCOS — Elementary school students who launched a helium balloon to study weather patterns were astonished when it ended up on a farm in North Carolina.

Fifth-grade students at Richtland Elementary on Dec. 2 set off the 12-inch balloon, which carried information on how odor is dispersed. On Feb. 19, a farmer in Asheboro, N.C., some 2,200 miles away, discovered the balloon’s remnants.

Teacher Gary Nash said he initially doubted the farmer’s report.

He called the principal, the student, and the farmer's wife, Carla Queen, when the contact ed him to report the finding.
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WASHINGTON — One year after the launch of the most in-demand online college directory, thefacebook.com is battling a lawsuit and defending its popularity among numerous similar Web sites vying for a piece of the Internet phenomenon created by thefacebook.

ConnectUConn, a thefacebook-esque Web site launched more than two years ago by three Harvard sophomores, Divya Narendra, and twin brothers, Cameron and Tyler Winklevoss, is suing fellow Harvard peer Mark Zuckerberg, the creator of thefacebook. Zuckerberg worked with connectU in its preliminary stages and connectU filed the lawsuit after thefacebook launched, due to the close similarities between the two sites.

According to Chris Hughes, the spokesperson for thefacebook, the allegations against Zuckerberg are false. He said that while Zuckerberg did work on an online database for dating among Harvard students called theharvconnection, it was a much different site from the current connectU. Hughes said that Zuckerberg's relationship with the creators of connectU was informal, in the sense that he was never paid, nor did he have contact with them.

Hughes estimates that the lawsuit will cost thefacebook over $200,000 to defend, "despite the fact that the claims of connectU are absolutely unfounded." He said that thefacebook is countering for "abusing the legal system," in order to try to regain lost business.

Despite the battle between thefacebook and connectU, other sites such as myspace.com, etriculate.com, campusnetwork.com and studentcenter.org also exist on the Web, appealing to interests similar to those on the thefacebook.

David Clark, the creator of etriculate, launched his site in 2002 after the birth of the facebook, after transferring from Michigan State to Muskegon Community College. He launched it in order to create an easier way to meet people and network at a place where most students commute.

"There was no communication, there wasn't even a school paper and I wanted to know what classes, to take, which professors are the best...so I wanted to make a social networking site to get to know people," Clark said.

Ettricate includes a blog page, online shared photo albums, professor ratings and personal profiles.

Clark said he thinks the reason his site didn't catch on three years ago is because people were not as trusting with the Internet as they are today. "The guys who did thefacebook were around at the right time," Clark said.

With little success at MCX, Clark decided to re-launch his site this past Valentine's Day. His site is also available to any high school or college student.


Clark, now a junior at Ohio State, decided that by offering his site to high school students, he might be able to hook his users early.

"How do we get people to stop using thefacebook? We just get to them before they start," Clark said. "We're finding the best reception with high school kids. It's a popularity contest."

With only 110 members so far, etriculate still has a long way to go before it matches the 1.8 million users of thefacebook.

"In general, college students return to the site to find information on their peers, to make connections with friends and acquaintances and to communicate with one another. It's a reference tool and a means for communication. I think that combination — and the fact that it's free to use — keeps people coming back," Hughes said.

"Basically, I think it's another form of procrastination," Clark said.

Even with the popularity of the thefacebook, there are still some college students out there who are skeptical of the whole idea.

"It's like, 'do you want to be my friend?' If you really need friends, the facebook isn't going to help you," said sophomore Christiana Scollin of St. Joseph's University in Philadelphia.

Scollin said that thefacebook just caught on at St. Joseph's and it's "the talk of the town." She hasn't joined it yet, because she said, "it's just not that cool."

"I don't want to buy into the stalker methods," Scollin said. "We don't need the FBI now because we have thefacebook."
Christina Joslin

With an all-star cast and a great director, this movie had the potential to be a huge hit. Yet, it fell short of cool.

"Be Cool," the sequel to 1995's "Get Shorty," is close to two hours of altering nonsense about rival gangs and factions vying to control the destiny of a promising young singer, Linda Moon (Christina Milian). It's instantly forgettable, but smooth fun for the most part, with John Travolta reprising his role as the hopelessly cool Chili Palmer, a strong-armed debt collector turned Hollywood movie producer.

Feeling "itchy," Palmer switches from movies to the music biz. After spotting Moon in a Los Angeles nightclub, he helps free her from a bad contract with the newly widowed Dee Athens (Uma Thurman), who inherited her late husband's struggling record company.

With characters connected through dozens of invisible money trails, everyone wants a piece of Palmer.

There are many obstacles involving this same sleazy, but most are pretty dull. Moon's sleazy-gangsta manager (Vince Vaughn) who has the street cred of Vanilla Ice, and his gay wannabe-actor/singer bodyguard (Jeremy Johnson aka The Rock), doesn't want to let the singer go; neither does the shady businessman Nick Carr (Harvey Keitel). And somehow, this movie's villain of choice, the Russian mafia, gets involved too. As does Sin LeSalle (Cedric the Entertainer), the Ivy League-educated music producer and his trigger-happy cousin, Dabo (Andre 3000).

More of an intolerable presence than an obstacle is Aerosmith's Steven Tyler (as himself). Bluntly put, as far as his acting goes, he makes his daughter Liv look like Julia Roberts.

"Be Cool," director F. Gary Gray ("The Italian Job" and "Friday"), distributes a film full of chaos. One starts to question if this movie is just plain atrocious or if it's meant to be an exact takeoff of other bad Hollywood movies.

As for Travolta, he tends to be the anchor of the film, caught in a sea of disorder. If nothing else, he plays Palmer with such subtle intimidation so bluntly, that one may not even notice he steers this entire film without ever holding a gun. He's not as bad as "Basic," but he's also not the Travolta we know from "Face/Off" or "Pulp Fiction." He's good, but not memorable.

From the "Kill Bill" movies, Thurman has become an action movie icon. In "Be Cool," she is purely average. She has a presence, but none of the devious energy she carried in her portrayal of the bride. The only two people who seem to be having any fun in this film are The Rock and Andre 3000. One of the best scenes in "Be Cool" involved The Rock, a "Bring It On" monologue and western-style music video. Surprisingly, this superstar wrestler and hip-hop icon holds the movie together.

Overall, "Be Cool" is entertaining and bits are outright hilarious, but it doesn't meet the standards of "Get Shorty." The movie is worth seeing, but don't expect too much; it's purely there for a few good laughs.
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Survey: Students’ choice is quality

Have any of your friends ever come up with an idea in which you thought, “That’s a great idea!”? There comes a point in every interaction where you are both dreaming about what could happen and how great it would be, and then the question comes; “Wait, are you serious?”

That is what happened last fall when ASI sent out the “Your Voice, Your Choice” survey. We wanted to gauge how serious students were about improving quality-of-life facilities on campus, and with more than 4,400 survey responses and focus groups, we got our answer. The motto we stand in this issue is “For the students, by the students.” We listened to what you wanted and are responding accordingly.

For the past two weeks, I’ve been writing about the ASI Master Plan which was created out of student desires for more facilities on campus. Out of the thousands of responses, 66 percent of students said they would support expanding and creating a new student activity center, creating a new student activity center by campus market and renovating the current ASI Union and Union Plaza.

It shouldn’t be surprising that 74 percent of students said that sustainability tended to what you wanted and are responding accordingly.

The top two reasons why students supported these improvements were, “The project is important to overall campus life” and “The project will be a great addition to campus.” The top two reasons students were unlikely to support it were, “Satisfied with existing facilities,” and “I don’t believe students should pay for it.”

Less than 3 percent have ever opted to go the personal pension route and less return on investment. In the end, neither simple nor black and white. Let’s face it — all of us will have to share the burden at some point, somehow. There is no “mush” nor should simple maths try to resolve a complex problem. That’s why I don’t see Bush as the one who should be tasked with finding the solution.

Reto Koenen

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Lions hold off the Mustangs for two wins

Mustangs also split a doubleheader with San Jose State before Loyola Marymount earns two victories Saturday

**POLY STAFF REPORT**

It was as if it was Cal Poly women’s softball team sport Saturday in the Lion den.

The Mustangs lost a doubleheader to the visiting Loyola Marymount Lions, falling 5-3 and 3-2, in a non-conference fiesta at Bob Janssen Field.

The Lions Kayla Meeks (1-0) earned the win, holding the Mustangs to three runs of seven hits with only one earned run. The Mustangs Eva Nelson gave up 10 hits and five runs with seven innings pitched for the loss and takes her record to 3-6.

Kelly Comstock went 2-3 with one run, and Shannon Brooks and Kristi Alvers each went 1-3 with one RBI.

The Mustangs took the Lions to nine innings in game two of the match-up, only to lose 3-2, and have their record fall to 10-9. Robyn Kontra (7-3) got the loss, pitching all nine innings giving up 10 hits and three runs.

“Robyn pitched a good game,” said Mustang head coach Jenny Condon. “Our offense just didn’t pick it up.”

Cal Poly’s four hits came from four different players. Lisa Modglin, Jackie Gehreke-Jones, Chelsea Green and Kristi Alvers each had one hit for the Mustangs.

Gehreke-Jones had the RBIs for both teams.

Before the weekend, the Mustangs split a two-game double header with the visiting San Jose State before Loyola Marymount doubleheader with San Jose State.

**SPORTS**

**Big turnaround for men’s tennis**

**MUSTANG DAILY STAFF REPORT**

Seven was the key number this weekend for the Cal Poly men’s tennis team.

On Sunday, Cal Poly shut out Boston University 7-0 in a non-conference men’s tennis match Sunday at UC Irvine’s Anteater Tennis Stadium. One day earlier, the Mustangs were on the receiving end, as Irvine administered a 7-0 thrashing.

Against BU, Cal Poly (4-9) won all six singles matches in straight sets. At No. 1 singles, Matt Baca was a 6-1,6-3 winner over BU’s top seed, Barrett Wolf.

Fred Dewitte, Davie Jones, Brett Van Linge, Brody Saunders and James Powers also won in singles for the Mustangs. Baca also teamed with Van Linge for an 8-5 win at No. 1 doubles.

On Saturday, the UC Irvine men’s tennis team defeated Cal Poly 7-0 in a Big West Conference match.

Brian Morton of UC Irvine defeated Baca 7-6 (0), 6-2 in No. 1 singles as the Anteaters swept the six singles matches.

The Anteaters won two of the three doubles matches to claim the doubles point. Seniors Brian Morton and Rye Keshwahara defeated Travis Crawford and David Jones 8-2 in the No. 1 match. Junior Peter Surapol and sophomore Aaron Ellis defeated Fred Dewitte and James Powers in the No. 3 spot.

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Cal Poly won UC Santa Barbara’s I for a 1:30 p.m. Big West Conference match Wednesday.

**Spring football in the air**

There were the standard signs of rust on display Saturday at the Cal Poly football team’s Spring Game, like Anthony Garnett’s two interceptions.

Then there were the things that made the game what it was all about, Cordell Webb snagging both of those picks. Webb, who backed up Garnett this past fall after transferring from St. Mary’s, debated at cornerbuck Saturday, snaggng two of the second’ary’s three interceptions.

“This game was a chance for a lot of guys who haven’t played before — the redshirts and walk-ons — a chance to play,” said fifth-year Mustang head coach Rick Ellerton. “What’s spring ball is about is a chance for those guys to get a chance to play.”

Redshirt freshman quarterback Emre Cooper hit Scan Kennedy, another redshirt freshman, with a 33-yard touchdown pass, and Anthony Garnett, Frederick Hives II and Adam George all scored touchdowns on runs as the offense, dressed in white jerseys, scrimmaged the defense, dressed in green jerseys.

Four quarterbacks completed just five of 29 passes for 111 yards, with Garnett completing two of 10 passes for 64 yards and Mende, Cooper and Matt Broman combining for just three completions. Kennedy was the top receiver with two catches for 41 yards. Hires finished with twelve carries and 48 of the offense’s 181 rushing yards.

**POLY STAT RACK**

60 years of Mustang-Bulldog baseball and finally a sweep consecutive wins for Pacific hoops, longest in the nation

**WHAT DID YOU SAY?**

“I’m sorry. I’m a fan and the fact that he’s with the Yankees makes it even better.”

— Robyn Kontra defending Randy Johnson and his mullet

**GAME SCHEDULE**

**MUSTY ZONE**

Gary Daley

Jessica Haus

**ODDS AND ENDS**

**WE'RE YOU AWARE?**

Cal Poly Hall of Fame Ozzie Smith’s son, Nikko Smith, is one of the finalists on “American Idol”.

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