President speaks on Free press

President of the Student Press Association, Dr. John M. Wright, said the student press should be free to serve as an independent instrument for informing the public, and it is his job to make sure that the student press "is in the student's hands," said Dr. Bob Wright, executive director of the Student Press Association.

The Associated Press Association (APA) is a national organization that represents student newspapers across the country. The APA is dedicated to promoting and protecting the free press on college campuses.

The APA has a long history of advocating for the rights of student journalists. In 1931, the APA published a pamphlet, "The Student Press in a Free Society," which outlined the principles of free speech and press freedom that should be upheld on college campuses.

The pamphlet stated that "the student press should be free to express opinions and publish news stories without fear of censorship or retribution." This principle has been upheld by the APA ever since.

In addition to advocating for free speech rights, the APA also works to support student journalists by providing resources and training. The APA's website offers a variety of resources, including guides on how to start a student newspaper, how to write a compelling story, and how to present your work to a publisher.

The APA also hosts an annual conference for student journalists, where they can network with their peers and hear from experts in the field. The conference includes workshops, panels, and keynote speeches by prominent journalists and media professionals.

Engle serves as student president

Engle's personal goal as president is to make every student feel that they are a part of the college experience, he said. "And that's what it's all about," he added.

Engle was a junior class president, student senate student government vice-president, and a member of the Student Senate at the University of Oklahoma. He was also a member of the Student Senate at the University of Oklahoma and served as president of the Student Senate at the University of Oklahoma.

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The Student Senate at the University of Oklahoma is the governing body of the student body at the University of Oklahoma. The Student Senate has the power to approve budgets, make policy decisions, and represent the student body on a variety of issues.

The Student Senate at the University of Oklahoma has a long history of advocating for student rights and interests. The Student Senate has been instrumental in advocating for the rights of student journalists at the University of Oklahoma, and has worked to ensure that students have a voice in the governance of the university.

The Student Senate at the University of Oklahoma has a variety of committees that focus on specific issues, including student government, academic affairs, and student life. These committees work to address the needs and concerns of the student body at the University of Oklahoma.

The Student Senate at the University of Oklahoma is an active and influential organization at the University of Oklahoma. It is an important voice for students at the University of Oklahoma, and it works to ensure that students have a say in the governance of the university.
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Frankly Speaking... by Phil Frank

Norse Wind, January 17, 1986

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Journalists to celebrate student free press month

Freedom of the Campus Student Press Month is being observed in January. Perhaps it is time to discuss just exactly who is "in charge" of the student publications, so you could get an understanding of what freedoms exist for a student publication.

Some say that the publisher of our weekly newspaper is Monty Frank. That is not the case. Frank is merely the advisor of the Norse Wind, he cannot censor what goes into the paper.

Since Frank is considered a government official, on campus the 14th amendment prohibits interference of freedom of the press by the government. Thus, student publication workers are protected by the first and 14th amendments.

Others, may say that the school administration is the publisher of the Norse Wind. That, too, is not true, for they are considered government officials for this school.

According to law, if the publisher is a governmental official, then the duties of the publisher are on the shoulders of the editor. That also works the other way around. If a student publication is in violation with the law it is the duty of the editor to work the differences out, not the administration or advisor.

Even to court, nine times out of 10 the court will rule in favor of the student editor.

This is not to say that we, as a student publication, can run anything we want. We have a code of Journalist Ethics, which outlines certain responsibilities.

If, for instance, there is a story run that goes against our code of ethics, we can be in violation of law, therefore would lose a case in a court of law.

We think that student publications are among the top in supplying information about campus activities, as well as, opinions of what is going on around us.

In order to keep it that way, there needs to be more participation among the students.

We are fortunate to have the freedom of press, therefore making it possible for all students to express their opinions without punishment, to some degree. We offer an opportunity for students to send responsive letters to the editor, through the protection of the first amendment.

In a recent poll of most reliable sources of information, the Norse Wind came in third with 62 percent of the students that read it, which actually means that 62 percent of the students at this school read or at least partially read the campus newspaper.

In conclusion, it should be brought out that in order for a newspaper to exist, there needs to be some type of feedback. We are protected by the first and 14th amendments, therefore, granting us freedom of the press.

Kevin Eddings

A Chorus Line becomes a film

"A Chorus Line-the Movie" opened at the Coleman theater Friday Jan. 10.

A Chorus Line has been a hit on Broadway and with many theater companies across the nation. Now, it is trying to make the same impression in movie theaters across the country.

However, using the Broadway version of A Chorus Line, one would think the movie can be considered a different product than that of the stage version.

Take, for instance, the "What Did I Do For Love?" number. In the stage version she sang it as her love for the theater and dance, but in the movie she sang "What Did I Do For Love?" as her love for the director, a type boyfriend.

That in itself changes the impact of the major song in the production. Other songs that are changed are the "I Can Do That" number. It is supposed to be a girl's guy that took up dance because his sister is a dancer. She will go back to dance class one day, he goes to her place. He learns dance, so he can be a dancer in such a chorus line. In the movie, he and another dancer do the dance, therefore making it look as though it is a duet response. However, putting all differences aside, one would find this show a very entertaining one.

One that is entertaining for all family members, as well as those interested in dance and "making it" on Broadway.

"A Chorus Line the Movie" offers something for everyone.

By Henry Hoffman
Diversions

by Bruce Clements

At the beginning of every new year many predictions are bandied about, with people proclaiming for the year ahead and wondering whether or not "1986" will pass us "by." As we look back at the past and look forward to the future, we find that our predictions are often wildly off the mark. Many people predicted that the economy would be booming, when in fact it was in a recession. Others predicted that the stock market would soar, while it actually fell dramatically. And still others predicted that the world would come to an end, when in fact it is still going strong.

However, one prediction that was accurate was that the price of gasoline would be lower than it was last year. This prediction was based on the fact that the price of oil had fallen significantly, which in turn had a direct impact on the price of gasoline. As a result, many people were able to save money on their fuel costs, which helped to boost their discretionary spending.

Another prediction that was accurate was that the weather would be mild. This prediction was based on the fact that the climate was unusually warm, which in turn had a positive impact on the environment. As a result, many people were able to enjoy outdoor activities without the need for heavy clothing.

In summary, while predictions can be interesting, they are often unreliable. It is better to focus on the present and plan for the future based on the information available, rather than relying on unreliable predictions.
Fall honor roll announced

At the end of the fall semester, the campus announced the names of the students who had met the academic standards required for inclusion on the honor roll. The criteria for inclusion varied by institution, but typically included maintaining a certain GPA or ranking within a certain percentile of the student body. The list was published in the campus newspaper to celebrate the academic achievements of these students. The announcement was part of the efforts of educational institutions to recognize and reward academic excellence among their students.
O’Brien adapts in role changes

Jean Bolla

Being a free shooter and a determined competitor, sophomore guard Shawn O’Brien provides leadership for the unbeatable Lady Nets.

“Shawn’s greatest abilities are her free shooting and strong defensive efforts,” said coach Brian Agar. “Shawn’s biggest contribution to the team is leading the other team members.”

While directing the team from the guard position, O’Brien makes 4 of 9 field goals and 19 of 25 free throws for 100 points this season. She leads the team in assists with 80 and she grabbed 57 rebounds.

“I am in charge of running and calling the offense,” said O’Brien. “I’m the guard who is supposed to be the shooting guard.”

“At the beginning of the season and when the crowd is loud, I have trouble communicating with Maria Antinone, Pat O’Hara and Elizabeth Hinesworth,” O’Brien said. “It takes more time to explain things to them because they are from Columbia, South America and they didn’t learn any English until they came here.”

After earning Forward of the Year and all-state awards during her senior year at Tula Kelly, O’Brien came to join the Lady Net basketball squad at the start of her freshman year. During her freshman season, she ranked 69 of 165 field goals while scoring 162 points. O’Brien had 56 assists and made 75 field goals.

This year I had a mental advantage over the freshmen players because I knew exactly what coach Agar expected from the team,” said O’Brien. “O’Brien has an extensive basketball experience of 10 years dating back to her fifth grade year. She also participated in softball throughout her four years at Tula Kelly.”

O’Brien majors in accounting and maintains a 3.2 grade point average.

“I still plan on going to Oklahoma State next year if I can get any offers to play basketball,” concluded O’Brien.

IN CONTROL

Royal Schulte dominates Luther’s Duane Warr in the consolation Final at the NEO Open. Schulte pinned Warr 6-4.

Norse travel to Colby

J.R. Stanton

Rolling into the second half of their season, the Norsemen wrestlers are traveling to Colby, Kan. for the Colby Invitational this weekend.

Twelve teams will attend the tournament, with Lawton, Garden City, and Triton being joined among the teams. The tournament features some of the best teams in the nation and is certain to be one of the most difficult of the season.

Bobby Crawford, who placed second in the NEO Tournament, will be at the 133 pound position. After getting his win by the fall, Crawford lost to Mickey Wright of Meramec in a 5-2 decision.

Jeff Ginter and Tim Heff will battle it out for the 126 spot.

Juni Goss will enter the ranks at 134. Goss squared past Barry Parrimtor, an NEO wrestler competing unattached, in the flash of the NEO Invitational. After a tie in the regulation match, the teams went into overtime where Goss pulled out a 2-1 final score.

At the 142 position the Norsemen have Mike Ryan. Ryan lost to Cliff Nofe of Luther in a 4-0 decision to grab a victory.

Shawn Goss will be at 150. Goss took a fourth place medal last year after fighting his way through the consolation side of the bracket.

Duen Martin will move up to the 154 weight, while Andy Dietrich holds the 167 position. Dietrich grabbed a silver last week after losing 8-3 to Shawn Morley of Luther.

Anthony Houston defeated Morey Earle of Dodge City 3-2 to take the gold here last week. Houston will take his place at 177 in the line-up.

The strong point of the team is the 185-pound weight class where Royal Schulte is considered one of the best in the nation.

On Friday night the Norsemen will face the Campbell County Pirates of Kentucky. The Pirates are coming off of a loss to the Enid Crimson’s Friday night.

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TOUGH DEFENSE

Shawn O’Brien guards forward Lori Beier (44) during a game against the Northern Lady Mavericks. Photo by Randy Barnes

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