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## A System That CAREs

By Jason Tiedkte  
Reporter

Faculty and staff at Dana have developed a program to assist the students and staff throughout the school year.

Project CARE, according to member Leann Riley, is designed to provide assistance for both professors and students. Help ranges from academic counseling to campus life and societal problems. The program is a process available to troubled students or faculty that sense a student needs guidance. The area of most concern is academics. The majority of referrals by faculty deal with student attendance in class.

Behavior relating to alcohol and drugs is another area of concern for CARE. Unusual behavior by an individual on a regular basis can lead to a referral if felt necessary.

The process of assisting students starts with identifying students in need of help and meeting with them one on one. The member then may refer the stu-

dent to someone more capable of helping the individual. Support and evaluation follows this up to assure the success of the student. Members feel the program has been successful because the faculty is more aware of students in class and notice when they are faltering in grades or attendance.

All the work CARE does is confidential. The members pride their program on privacy between the member and individual involved. Member Kathy Foley stated, "Project CARE is intended only to help the student in any aspect of college life." CARE was implemented in Febr. 1992 after several months of planning. It is a part of a larger state program called School Community Intervention Program (SCIP).

Getting in touch with a CARE member is as simple as a phone call. Questions can be handled over the phone or a meeting can be set up with a CARE member.

Project coordinator, Nancy Penna can answer questions or arrange appointments. She can be reached at x.7208 during campus business hours.

## Edelman and Simpson Crowned

Seniors Jennifer Edelman of Merna, Nebr., and Kalani Simpson of Naalehu, Hawaii, have been selected as this year's Homecoming King and Queen at Dana College.

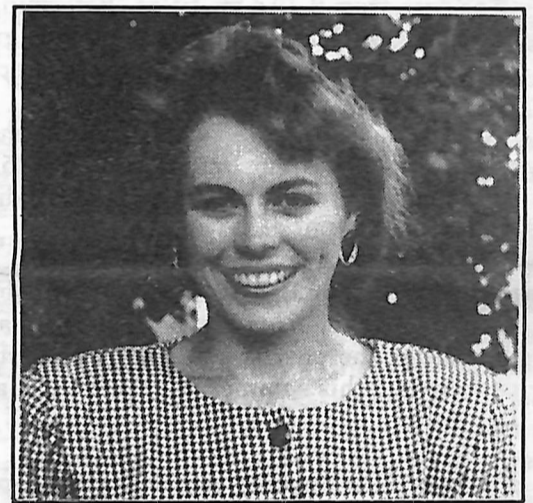
Edleman is a special education major at Dana and is involved in Student Senate, the Student Educators Association, and is a member of the women's basketball team.

Simpson, a communication major, is active with the college campus radio station KDCV-FM, Student Senate, and is a member of the Viking football team.

Coronation for the Homecoming Royalty was held Monday evening in the Lauritzen Theater of the Madsen Fine Arts Center.



1992 Homecoming King Kalani Simpson



1992 Homecoming Queen Jennifer Edelman

## Dana Homecoming Royalty 1992



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Members of the Homecoming Royalty are back row: Craig Barsness, Cathy Shaw, Kelly Ryan, Mike Carruba, Manuel Johnson; front row: Jennifer Davenport, Maija Nielsen, Kalani Simpson, Carol Mueller. Not pictured Jennifer Edelman.

## Senate Committees Report

By Denise Daubendiek/Copy Editor

The Student Senate met Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the Forum.

The committee reports were discussed. The Budget Concerns committee is looking into making mace available to students at cost. The Communications committee felt that the first and second parts of their "Vote America" campaign has been a successful and is looking forward to the third and final part of the project.

Student Services hopes that the new cement slab near the student parking lot will be approved for additional student parking. The committee said that although there is no major concern about campus security, they still may install security phones. Also, students will have an opportunity to make adjustments to their Flex meal plans.

Reports were given by Dana's Organization of Commuting Students (DOCS) and Media Advisory Board (MAB). DOCS plans to start an endowed scholarship fund. MAB discussed the media convention in Chicago, Ill., at

the end of the month which four Dana students will attend.

In other business, the outdoor basketball court will hopefully be completed by next week. Before the Homecoming football game, senators will be offering free face painting. On October 19, the senators will have the opportunity to meet Pavel Palazchenko from Russia before his presentation in the Madsen Fine Arts Center. The Spanish Club constitution was approved.

Budgets were discussed for several organizations. KDCV asked for funds to cover the cost of the speakers planned during their AIDS Awareness Week. Resident Hall Association is planning an "Applerama" for alcohol awareness and asked for funds to purchase the apples used in their activities. Argo Hall needed money to pay for decorations and food for their Halloween dance. DOCS asked for money to purchase supplies for an activity planned for later in the semester. All budgets were approved.

**NEWS AND INFORMATION**

**Homecoming Fun Run and Golf Tournament**

Students who enjoy running or golf are invited to participate in two Homecoming activities on Oct. 10.

The Fun Run (two and five miles) is sponsored by the Dana Boosters and begins at 9 a.m. For more information, see Dale Albers in the business office.

A golf tournament will be held at the Blair Country Club with registration beginning at 8:15 a.m. and a shotgun start at 9 a.m. For more information, see Duey Heffelfinger in PM 209 or Ann George in PM 211.

**Balloons, Balloons, Hot Air Balloons**

Homecoming Saturday, Oct. 10, at 8 a.m., more than a dozen hot air balloons will rise from the campus oval, weather permitting. Viewing of this colorful spectacle is best from the Campus Center dining room over a breakfast of Danish Aebleskivers. Reservations are required for the breakfast.

**Homecoming Talks**

Students are invited to attend two lectures at Homecoming on Saturday morning, Oct. 10. Both are in Dana Hall of Science Auditorium (DHA).

The first, from 9-10 a.m., titled "Reforming Congress," will be given by Dr. John Hibbing, a 1976 Dana graduate. Hibbing is professor and chair of the Political Science Department at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Hibbing has been a NATO Fellow in Science at the University of Essex in Great Britain (in 1984-85), and a Visiting Fellow at the Institute of Regional Studies in Budapest, Hungary (in 1990).

The second event, from 10:30-11:30 a.m., will be an illustrated talk on the *Bethsaida dig in Israel* by Dr. John Mark Nielsen and Prof. Fran Mallory. Nielsen has participated in the dig for the past two summers as a surveyor; Mallory participated this summer as a member of a team led by Dr. Del Hutton.

**Former Gorbachev Assistant to Speak at Dana**

Pavel Palazchenko, former assistant to Mikhail Gorbachev, will appear at Dana College for a public lecture on Sunday, Oct. 18 at 7:30 p.m. He will also hold a student lecture Monday, Oct. 19 at 10 a.m. The lectures will be held in the Lauritzen Theater of the Madsen Fine Arts Center.

Palazchenko is the former advisor and translator to President Gorbachev and Edward Shevardnadze and has participated in all U.S.-Soviet summits since 1985. He played a principle role as an assistant to President Gorbachev in preparing for the Moscow summit in 1991.

**Dana Investment Challenge Hosts Second Speaker**

Dana Investment Challenge got off to a great start on Sept. 29 when fifty-eight students heard Mr. Kirk Hutton speak on the investment process. Next week the second speaker in the series, Mr. Earl Madsen, will speak on mutual funds investing. Madsen is the vice president and general manager of Dain Bosworth's regional office located in Omaha, Nebr. Madsen began his career in the investment field over 40 years ago with Warren Buffett.

Madsen will speak from 9-9:50 a.m. in the Dana Hall of Science Auditorium on Tuesday, Oct. 13.

Students must attend two of the three sessions in order to participate in this contest. Cash awards for the contest total \$1150. In addition, five returning students will be enrolled in a national contest one year from now. Prizes for the national contest include \$25,000 and a trip for two.

**Stress Relaxation and Massage**

"Stress Relaxation and Massage" is the title of the presentation sponsored by Residential Hall Association (RHA) on Oct. 19, at 9 p.m. in the President's Room. Come and learn how to manage stress and relax at the same time.

**A Family Experience**

By Amy Barta  
Reporter

Education has always been a family experience at Dana. The small campus and caring faculty have given this school a family feeling. This sentiment was recently enhanced with the enrollment of the Bye family.

Dan Bye is a sophomore weekend college student majoring in computer science. His wife, Marilyn Bye, is a senior social work major. Their daughter, Jennifer Abbott, is a freshman elementary education major.

The Bye family's experience with Dana began in 1988 when the family decided to move to Blair due to employment reasons. Blair Hall became home to Mr. Bye while he looked for housing for the rest of his family. The positive experience led to his

enrollment in weekend college the following spring.

Marilyn Bye was also encouraged by the warm attitude of the college. She enrolled in the fall of 1989.

Jennifer Abbott joined her family at Dana this fall. Abbott decided on Dana College for several reasons; namely proximity and a desire for a sound education. She admits her parents did play a large role in her decision.

Due to their different majors, the family isn't likely to encounter each other in the classroom. However, Abbott and her father share Roger Olson as their advisor. Abbott says this can get difficult because her father can always find out about her. The family feels that the faculty members are ethical and trustworthy, so they don't worry that their grades will be shared with other family members.

However, there are other

disadvantages. Abbott feels her parents can really keep an eye on her. The small Dana community enhances this. As Mr. Bye stated, "A parent always has ways." It can also be difficult to follow in a family member's footsteps. Abbott voiced this concern, "I don't think they try to compare you, but I think it happens."

The family has found there are also many advantages. Sharing a college and professors has really brought them together. Mrs. Bye says, "It is fun discussing the different professors." Abbott and her mother often share rides to school or have lunch together on campus. Abbott feels she gets great insight about the campus and faculty from her parents.

Overall, going to college together has really been a great experience for the Bye family. They find the family atmosphere at Dana continues to enhance their family at home.

**Sibling Rivalry, Not at Dana**

By Jon Rademacher  
Reporter

"At first I was really worried that there would be a shadow, that I wouldn't be able to be my own person, but now ... it hasn't been that much of a problem."

Sophomore Heidi Grappendorf talks about her decision to attend the same college as her older sister, Kris. It's a decision that was made by several sibling combinations at Dana College.

Senior Kevin Wass recalls his first year of college when sister Kristin also attended Dana: "It was sort of cool because, when I first got here, I knew a lot of people, all the seniors and juniors, so I fit in right away."

Sharing the same college with his twin brother, Jeff, seems to suit junior Jason Kemp just fine. "It's great! I'm used to being around him." Sharing the same room, however, is a different story. "When we were at home, we were always fighting when we were in the same room. That's why I have my own room, so I can invite my company over and do what I want to do. It's essential I have my own space."

The presence of a brother or sister at Dana has proved helpful to several students. "We can call home on one call instead of two, and save gas going home," says Chantil Larsen, who also shares a class with her brother Nate.

Juan Cruz, whose brother Julio also attends Dana, says, "I can concentrate a little better because that feeling of homesickness isn't there like it was last year."

"If I'm really broke, then he can lend me money!" laughs Cathy Shaw about her brother Stan.

Jamie Pestel notes that "getting old tests!" from his brother Jon is a big plus for him. "Not that I would do it, of course!" he said.

The family bond also provides advantages that can't be found elsewhere. "Sometimes there are just situations that you'd rather talk to a family member about," says Larsen. "There are just some things you don't want to tell your friends. It's easier for me to talk to Nate about certain things because he knows me."

Sharing a school with a sibling does have its down side. Wass relates that a disadvantage was "having someone look over your shoulder all the time. She could always keep track of what I was doing and who I was with."

"We have to watch what we say

at home, in case we get in trouble," says Cathy Shaw. "We have to get our story straight before we go home!" Stan agrees, noting that "the other might find out things that we don't want the other to find out!"

So what about the sibling rivalry, the pressure to follow in the footsteps of an older sister or brother? According to Jeff Rademacher, it doesn't matter. "It's not like a challenge where I have to be better than [Jon]. I'll just be myself and if that's what people want to know me for, that's great. If not, it doesn't bother me."

"In a way, there's always that sibling rivalry," said Grappendorf, "where you try to outdo the other. If I were compared [with Kris] more, and not allowed to do my own thing, it'd be different, but I'm glad we're both here."

**Dragon's Head Weekly Specials**

**Monday**  
Ham and Scalloped Potatoes

**Tuesday**  
Hot Turkey Sandwich with Mashed Potatoes

**Wednesday**  
Reuben and Chips

**Thursday**  
Burritos with Spanish Rice

**Friday**  
Barbecue Beef Sandwich and Soup of the Day

# Retired Missionary, Neve, Volunteers Teaching Services

By Janelle Stolen  
Reporter

While Delvin Hutton, Dana's Professor of Religion, is on sabbatical for the fall semester, Dr. Lloyd Neve will be taking his place. Dr. Neve is teaching Introduction to the Bible and the Hebrew Prophets this semester.

Dr. Neve is teaching here at Dana this fall on a volunteer basis. His children attended Dana and this is his way of paying Dana back.

Lloyd Neve was born and raised in South Dakota. He was the middle child in a family of seven children. Dr. Neve's father was a pastor, and his mother was a full-time housewife. He went to Dana from 1941 until he gradu-

ated in 1945. A few years later, Dr. Neve got a Ph.D. in Old Testament Studies from the Union Theological Seminary in New York City.

He and his wife have six children. For about 40 years, Dr. Neve worked as a missionary. He also taught in Papua New Guinea, Africa, Brazil, and also in Japan before retiring.

According to Dr. Neve, he really enjoys teaching here at Dana. "I like to teach the Bible. I find it very enjoyable. I have a chance to get acquainted with teachers and students," he said. Dr. Neve has taught for 23 years all together. He and his wife are both retired now and they live just up the street from Dana College, and just across the street from Elkhorn Hall.

Dr. Neve and his wife, Muriel,

enjoy gardening and yard work. The other things that they like to do in their free time are playing tennis and giving their time and money to poor people all over the world through the organization Bread for the World. Dr. Neve also picks up food and gives it to the Open Door Mission in Omaha.

He and his wife do so much to help the poor because they've lived in two very prosperous countries, the United States and Japan. Now, they can do something to help the poor of the world.

Dr. Neve considers himself an environmentalist. He prefers to ride his bicycle instead of driving a car, especially when he's going the short distance from Dana to his home. He also makes sure the lights are always turned off.

# Holocaust Survivor Speaks at Dana

By Jesse Render  
Reporter

Cantor Leo Fettman brought his "Message to the Free World" to the Dana campus last Thursday, Oct. 1. The lecture/discussion took place in Dana Hall of Science Auditorium at 7 p.m. There he addressed the issue of "evil and hatred" in today's modern society.

Fettman is a Jew, who at age 19 lost 40 members of his family during the Jewish Holocaust. He saw the cruelty and disregard for humanity shown towards his people under the Nazi dictatorship during his stay at the Jewish "detention camp" in Auschwitz.

However, Fettman managed to

survive the horrors of Auschwitz and at the end of World War II, he moved to the United States. He now lives in Omaha, Nebr. Fettman has since dedicated the remainder of his life to traveling and speaking to groups of people throughout the country regarding his experience.

He hopes his message will educate others about the reasons behind the persecution of Jews and other minority groups and also avoid similar episodes from occurring in the future.

He emphasized the point that ignorance of other cultures, religions, races, etc. is a major factor contributing to the violence and hatred we see today and have seen in the past. He stated that by educating ourselves about other people and developing an understanding of their cultures,

we might effectively undermine our seemingly natural tendency to stereotype and look down upon them as inferior.

He went on to say that we should view each other as "different, but equal."

Fettman fielded questions regarding the details of his days as a prisoner at Auschwitz and his subsequent escape from Germany after the war. The point was also made that the world should remain aware of the injustices done upon minorities during the last few centuries.

This lecture and program brought to light the fact that the human race has a way to go if we all are to live together on this planet. Fettman would tell us that education is the first step we all must take to get there.

## From the Desk of..

Dana College President,  
Myrvin E Christopherson

**HOMECOMING.** What does it mean to me? As Dana College President, it means busyness. It means that my wife, Anne, and I will scurry from meeting to meeting and from one program or activity to another beginning with meetings of the Board of Regents Thursday evening and all day Friday and events continuing through the Saturday football game, evening reunion dinners and ending with Homecoming worship, lunch and concert.

We will be tired, but more important, if our experience this year is like that of the past, we will not just be busy but we will be full. Of course, we will eat our fill of good food. But more importantly, we will be filled with the excitement and the affirmation of alumni and friends who return at Homecoming. We will be "filled" because I know there will be people who will be excited with us over the progress on the Old Main replacement building and the many campus improvements. We will be filled with pride at the accomplishments of alumni who share their stories with us at Homecoming events. Of course, I hope that we will also be filled because of the outstanding performance of our volleyball and football teams and the talented performances of Dana students, faculty and staff who help to make the weekend a success.

Homecoming is a time when Dana students are energized over the activities that start with the Homecoming Court and Coronation and extend over the entire weekend. We will show our colors. We will see a lot of people decked out in red and white, sporting Dana attire, and there will be a chance to honor out-

standing achievements by Dana alumni and students.

Yes, to me Homecoming means we will be busy and full. However, for all whom Dana is alma mater, we will feel good about being home. What is home? Well, it's a place where we feel welcome, where we fit in because we know the Dana fight song or can join in when the choir sings "Hail, Fair Dana." It's being able to be in the know when someone refers to the "Head" or the "Canteen" or "Parnassus." It's familiarity with names like Snowbeck and Bansen and C.X., Madsen, Weckmuller, Warman, Pope, or Coach Pete. It's conjuring up an image of a building when somebody says DHA or Mickelsen, Borup or AMA. No stranger can feel in the know in a conversation sprinkled freely with names such as these. It takes a Dana College Viking to brighten at their mention. Homecoming is a time for celebrating the Dana family. For many of us it is a time to remember the Danish Lutheran immigrants whose dedicated Christian faith moved them to establish this place of learning on the hill. It's also fond memories of roommates, parties, crazy stunts and impossible exams, assignments or professors.

Whatever your feelings, memories and plans for this weekend, all of us in this community come together to celebrate this remarkable center of faith and learning that we call Dana. It is a very special place, not just because of the people or the buildings or the names but because of the culture that we have together created here and the little bit of difference we make in the world because for much joy and celebration. Welcome home, one and all!



Kris Flack

The Dana Viking Cheerleading squad leads the crowd in a cheer at a recent football game. They are from left to right: Kim Bleich, Shari Olsen, Carmen Toel, Cheryl Kaup, Terri Marsh, Denise Daubendiek, Holly Halsell, and Nicki Tobin.

## Congratulations

Heap  
of the  
Week  
winners

# 1

Maija Nielsen

1971 Olds Vista Cruiser  
Named: WAR WAGON

# 2

Trasy Sparr

# 3

Gregg Yanta



Kris Flack

Stan Shaw looks a little disgusted after not finding his jelly bean in a mound of whipped cream at Dana Olympics (part 1) on Wednesday.

# RAs Have More Than a Title in Common

By Becky Baumker  
Page Editor

## Argo Hall

Vanessa Brunssen, age 19, is the Resident Assistant for second floor of Argo Hall. She is a sophomore with majors in elementary and special education. Her hometown is Belden, Iowa, and she is involved in choir.

Brunssen said she became an RA for "the power, prestige and money!"

What she likes best about her job is developing friendships with different types of people and the thing she likes least is the hours.

Brunssen thinks her experience as an RA will help her in the future because it has taught her how to deal with people and how to resolve conflict.

After graduation, Brunssen hopes to establish a career in the special education field.

Lynne Johnson, age 20, is the RA for third floor of Argo Hall. She is a sophomore with a major in elementary education. Her hometown is St. Paul, Minn., and she is involved in Nova.

Johnson said she became an RA because she wanted her own room and wanted the experience. Her favorite part of the job is being able to meet people and make new friends. She doesn't have anything she dislikes about the job.

Johnson said her job has taught her responsibility, organization,

stress management and how to interact with others.

After graduation Johnson plans to be an elementary school teacher.

Michelle Klockentager, age 20, is the RA for the fourth floor of Argo Hall. She is a junior with majors in elementary and special education. Her hometown is Storm Lake, Iowa, and she is involved in Student Activities Board (SAB), Student Ambassadors, homecoming committee, Student Education Association (SEA), Dana choir, Argo Hall committee, and the Dean's list.

Klockentager said she became an RA because she felt she could help change residence life.

"I decided to become an RA after my freshmen year," she said. "I felt there would be some positive changes I could make so that the experience of living in the residence halls could be better. I've since found out that the challenge is harder than it appears."

Making new friends and meeting a variety of new people is what Klockentager likes best about her job.

Her job also has a down side as well. "The biggest frustration I feel with my job is the fact that some people see our role as if we are out to bust people," she said. "That is not true. That is the hardest and least enjoyable part of the job."

"Being an RA has taught me a lot about myself. It has also been a lesson in organization, responsibility and leadership," she said.

"All of these are important in life and I feel this job has given me a head start."

After graduation, Klockentager would like to pursue a teaching job in a special education classroom at the elementary level. Eventually, she would like to return to school and enter a master's program in speech pathology.

## Mickelsen Hall

Shad Beam, age 21, is an RA on the second floor of Mickelsen Hall. He is a senior with a major in psychology. His hometown is Denison, Iowa, and he is involved in soccer club, tennis, KDCV, and the *Hermes*.

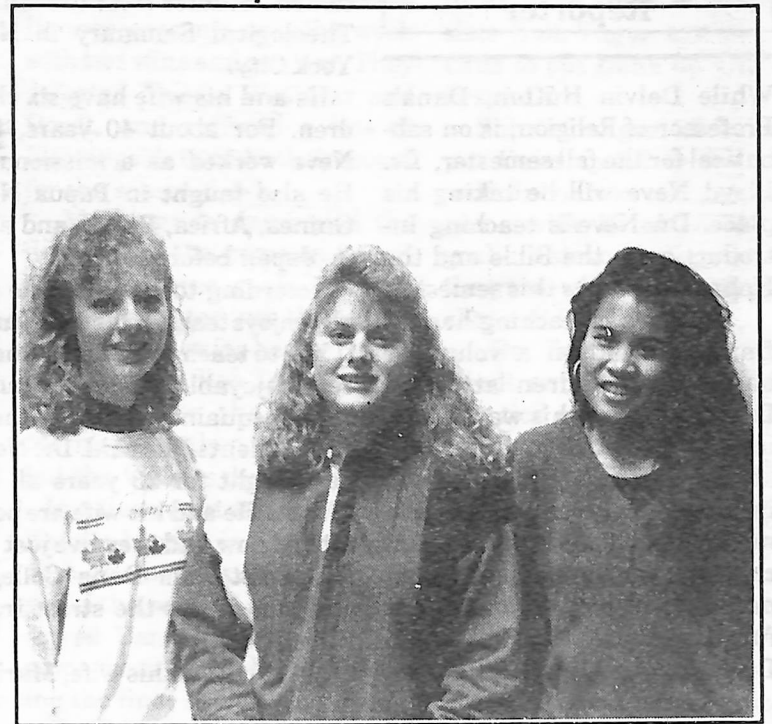
Beam said he doesn't know why he wanted to become an RA. He just applied and got the job. He also said that he really hasn't had enough time to get the feel of his job yet so he hasn't made any judgements on what he likes the best and least about his job.

Beam, however, does think that his experience as an RA will help him because it will show people that he can handle a leadership position.

After graduation, Beam hopes to go to graduate school for psychology on the east coast. Eventually he would like to be a criminal psychologist for the FBI.

Randy Meyer, age 22, is an RA on the second floor of Mickelsen Hall. He is a senior with a major in elementary education. His hometown is Buffalo Center, Iowa, and he is involved in foot-

## Argo Hall Residence Assistants



Kris Flack

Argo Hall Residence Assistants Vanessa Brunssen, Michelle Klockentager and Lynne Johnson.

ball.

Meyer said he became an RA because he needed the money and wanted his own room.

According to Meyer, his experience as an RA will help him because it has taught him to work with all different types of people.

After graduation, Meyer wants to work as an elementary school teacher somewhere in the midwest.

Mark Huberty, age 21, is an RA on the third floor of Mickelsen Hall. He is a junior with a major in biology. His hometown is Belden, Iowa, and he is involved in football.

Huberty said he became an RA because he wanted to help keep everyone on the floor happy and talking to each other.

Getting to meet and know a lot of people is Huberty's favorite part of the job. Staying up late and making rounds is his least favorite.

According to Huberty, his experience as an RA will help him in the future because it will look good on a resume and show people that he's dependable and trustworthy.

Huberty does not know what he wants to do after graduation.

Rich Ullarich, age 19, is an RA on the third floor of Mickelsen Hall. He is a sophomore with a major in marketing. His hometown is Norfolk, Nebr., and he is involved in soccer and basketball.

Ullarich decided to become an RA because he wanted to challenge himself in his college life.

What Ullarich likes best about his job is the open door policy that allows people to come to him whenever they need to. Ullarich said this policy has allowed him to meet and get to know a lot of people he otherwise would not have known.

One thing Ullarich doesn't like about his job is the feeling of superiority others feel he has. "I hate having to be over all of my friends. I try to keep everyone on an equal level," he said.

Ullarich's job has taught him leadership, which he says will look good on resumes in the future.

After graduation Ullarich wants to get a job at a big marketing firm or sports equipment store and make lots of money.

Jenny Neumeister, age 20, is an RA on the fourth floor of Mickelsen Hall. She is a junior with majors in elementary and special education. Her hometown is Weeping Water, Nebr., and she is involved in volleyball, basketball, campus ministry and campus bible study.

Neumeister said she became an RA because she liked working with people and being able to meet and spend time with the people on her floor.

Neumeister says the job can be a bummer sometimes especially when she has to be on duty when there are other campus activities going on.

Her experience as an RA has taught her many valuable things, Neumeister said. The most valuable of these is the ability to solve conflict. Neumeister said

## Mickelsen Hall Residence Assistants



Kris Flack

Mickelsen Hall Residence Assistants Shad Beam, Mark Huberty, Randy Meyer, Jen Neumeister, Camilla Larsson and Rich Ullarich.

# Different Interests and Backgrounds Make Up the Residence Life Team

## Blair Hall Residence Assistants



Kris Flack

Blair Hall Residence Assistants Kyle Herzog, Julie Schmidt, Amy Goering and Kary Knapp.

this will help her be a good leader in the future because she will be able to solve conflict among her co-workers.

After graduation, Neumeister wants to be an elementary or special education teacher and coach or go back to school to become an athletic trainer.

## Blair Hall

Kyle Herzog, age 20, is the RA for the first floor of Blair Hall. He is a junior with majors in accounting and finance. His hometown is Sioux City, Iowa, and he is involved in Student Senate.

Herzog took over for Harold Short who quit his job as an RA in mid-September.

Herzog said he likes his job so far. "In Blair Hall things are pretty relaxed and calm," he said. "There isn't that much involved in my job here whereas in another hall the people might be a little more rowdy."

After graduation, Herzog hopes to get a job as a banker.

Julie Schmidt, age 21, is the RA for the second floor of Blair Hall. She is a senior with a major in social work. Her hometown is DeWitt, Nebr., and she is involved in Residential Hall Association (RHA), campus ministry, BACCHUS, and Social Awareness Organization (SAO).

Schmidt said she became an RA because she wanted to be in a leadership position.

She said she has gained a lot of experience working with people in her job and that is the most enjoyable part. Her least favor-

ite part is enforcing the alcohol and visiting policies.

According to Schmidt, her job has helped her learn how to better interact with people and to accept their differences.

After graduation Schmidt wants to attend graduate school for social work. She wants to go into family counseling and working with adolescents and children.

Kary Knapp, age 20, is the RA for the third floor of Blair Hall. He is a junior with majors in accounting and finance. His hometown is Madison, Nebr., and he is involved in football and intramurals.

Knapp said he likes working with people and being able to help them with their problems. He doesn't like being on duty all weekend.

After graduation, Knapp would like to get a job at a bank or a brokerage house in this area.

Amy Goering, age 22, is the RA for the fourth floor of Blair Hall. She is a senior with a major in social work. Her hometown is Avoca, Minn., and she is involved in SAO and BACCHUS.

Goering said she became an RA because she thought it would be a good experience to get to know a lot of people she normally wouldn't.

Goering said her job has also helped her with her studies because she often gets to try out her social work skills.

After graduation, Goering wants to go into the Peace Corps

for about three years.

## Holling Hall

Shannon LeFave, age 20, is the RA for second floor north in Holling Hall. He is a sophomore with majors in biology and secondary education. His hometown is Yamhill, Ore., and he is involved in soccer club, SAB, Student Senate and campus ministry.

LeFave said he likes his job because it's fun plus he gets to know and have fun with his residents.

However, there are bad parts to the job, such as doing rounds at 1:30 a.m.

LeFave said his job experience has helped him to work with people in group settings on a one to one basis.

After graduation, LeFave plans to teach high school biology in Oregon and run a small farm during the year.

Rochelle Dufresne, age 21, is the RA for second floor south in Holling Hall. She is a junior with a pre-med major. Her hometown is St. Paul, Minn., and she is involved in ARS Medica, radio, speech/debate, and BACCHUS.

"I decided to become an RA because I like being involved with people," she said. Helping people is her favorite part of the job.

"I like to be accessible for people when they need me, whether it be a physical need, an emotional need or just being there as a friend," she said.

There is a downside to her job as well. Dufresne said the things

she dislikes the rules, especially when people should know better.

According to Dufresne, her job has taught her how to accept all kinds of people and has opened her up to all the different walks of life.

After graduation, Dufresne wants to go to medical school to become a doctor.

Pete Katzdorn, age 19, is the RA for third floor north in Holling Hall. He is a sophomore with a major in history. His hometown is Norfolk, Nebr., and he is involved in wrestling.

Katzdorn is unsure why he became an RA, but he said what he likes most about his job is getting to interact with people.

His job has taught him a lot about communication and has sharpened his communication skills.

Katzdorn is unsure what he wants to do after graduation.

Jennifer Davenport, age 21, is the RA for third floor south in Holling Hall. She is a senior with majors in accounting, finance, and economics. Her hometown is Omaha, Nebr., and she is involved in intramural sports and SAB.

Davenport said she became an RA because she wanted to take on responsibility during her last year, and she also wanted to meet as many people as possible.

Her job has taught her a lot

about working with people, especially in team situations.

Davenport also said being an RA gives you a sense of responsibility, just like a real job would.

After graduation Davenport wants to be a certified public accountant.

Stan Shaw, age 20, is the RA for fourth floor north in Holling Hall. Shaw took over on September 21 after Jamie Keatts quit. Shaw is a junior with a major in language arts. His hometown is Omaha, Nebr., and he is involved in Student Senate and golf.

After graduation, Shaw would like to go to law school somewhere in the midwest.

Michelle Bristol, age 19, is the RA for fourth floor south in Holling Hall. She is a sophomore with a major in elementary education. Her hometown is Waco, Nebr., and she is involved in BACCHUS, RHA, campus ministry, SAB and band.

Bristol said she decided to become an RA after spending a lot of time with an RA last year. She got to see what an RA does and decided she would like to do that too.

Bristol said her job as an RA will help her in the future because it has taught her how to deal with people, particularly people younger than herself.

After graduation, Bristol wants to be a youth minister.

## Holling Hall Residence Assistants



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Holling Hall Residence Assistants Michelle Bristol, Stan Shaw, Jennifer Davenport, Rochelle Dufresne, Shannon LeFave and Pete Katzdorn.

*Hermes will not be published next week due to fall break.*

# Lady Vikings Defeat Midland

# Dana Soccer Sports Winning Record

By Carrie L. Larkins  
Editor in Chief

The Dana Lady Vikings hosted two Nebraska-Iowa Athletic Conference (NIAC) matches in the past week, winning one and losing one.

Dana fell in five set defeat at the hands of Nebraska Wesleyan on Friday 4-15, 13-15, 15-6, 15-8, 8-15.

The Vikings dug themselves a hole, dropping the first two games. They rallied to take Wesleyan to five games before eventually falling to the conference rival.

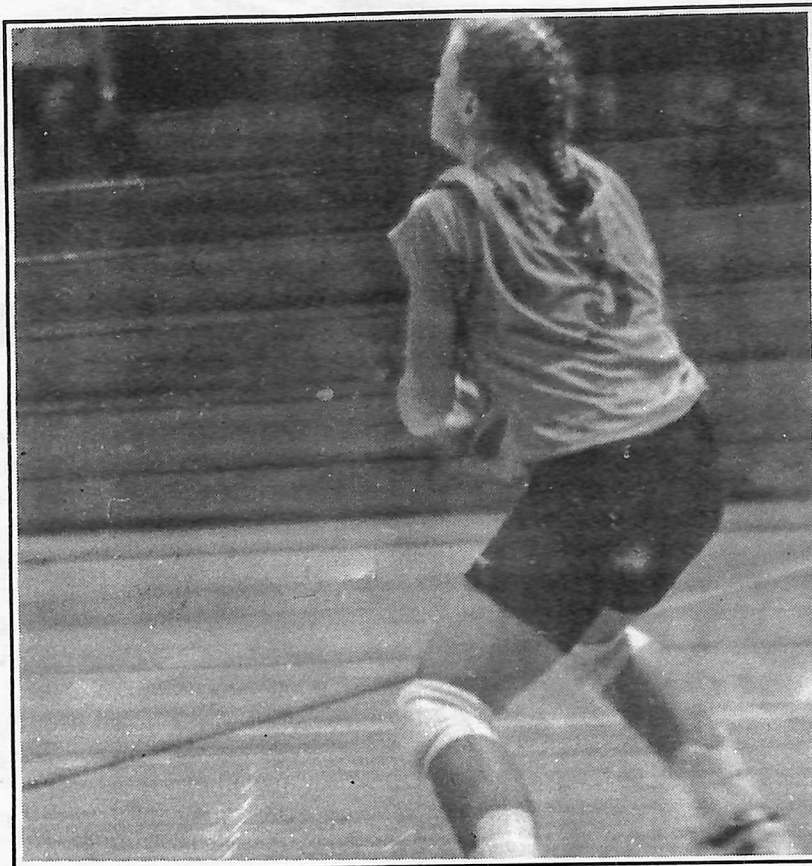
Shelli Wiebelhaus and Melanie Hild led the Viking attack with eight kills a piece. They also had 17 digs each. Hild led the squad with seven blocks. Wiebelhaus had four.

Katie Krueger had 31 assists and 21 digs.

Stephenie Wilson had a team leading 33 defensive digs and slammed six kills.

After two previous defeats this season, the Vikings rallied to beat the Warriors of Midland Tuesday in Borup Coliseum 8-15, 15-3, 15-10, 15-10.

"This was a big win for us," said Coach Kathy Foley. Dana hasn't defeated Midland in volleyball in the past two years. "We've gotten tired of Midland coming in here thinking they're going to win all the time."



Kris Flack

Viking Stephenie Wilson gets set to make a dig in the match against Midland on Tuesday. Wilson leads the district in digs per game with a 6.06 average.

Dana controlled the momentum of the match. "They only really challenged us in the fourth game," said Foley. "Our serving kept them off balance."

"It was the best consistent match for our attackers," said Foley. Three Vikings reached double figures in kills in the four-game match. Wiebelhaus and Angie Heise each had 15 kills. Wilson had 14 kills.

"Everyone really contributed,"

said Foley. "We turned the corner in a lot of areas."

Wilson again led the Vikings defensively with 32 digs. Krueger had 41 assists and 15 digs in the match. Hild had a team leading eight blocks.

The Vikings, now 19-14, take on Northwestern tonight in Borup. They have home conference matches with Doane on Tuesday and Hastings on Thursday.

# Leefers Rewriting the Books

By Jeff Rademacher  
Sports Reporter

Wide receiver Brent Leefers is having banner year for the Dana Vikings.

Leefers, a senior from Omaha, Nebr., has already set three new Dana Vikings school records and is closing in on two other marks. On Oct. 3 against Midland, Leefers' 253 receiving yards

erased the single game record he set two years ago against Peru State (238 yards). He also had three touchdown receptions against Midland, tying a Vikings game record shared by two other Dana receivers.

In last week's game against Doane, Leefers became Dana's all-time leader in receiving yardage. His 149 yards in receptions gave him 2,141 career yards with the Vikings, surpassing the record of 2,099 yards held by

Paul Sanders (1985-88). He also tied another Dana record with his seventh touchdown reception of the season and twenty-first of his career, adding to a record he previously set.

Leefers will set another receiving record when he catches six more passes. He is second on Dana's all time receptions list with 120, five behind the 125 passes caught by Sanders. Watch for this record to fall when Leefers and the Vikings play host to Nebraska Wesleyan University in Saturday's homecoming game at Viking Field.

# Viking Football Stats and Team Leaders

Record: 0-2 NIAC games, 1-4 overall

Points scored: 140

Points scored against: 145

Game results:

Dakota Wesleyan 21 Dana 7

Dana 54 Mayville State 18

Peru State 20 Dana 13

Midland College 38 Dana 33

Doane College 48 Dana 33

Team leaders:

Rushing - Jesse Walker 78 attempts for 454 yards and 4 touchdowns

Passing - Mike Carubba 93 completions of 163 attempts for 1,219 yards with 12 touchdown

passes and 6 interceptions  
Receiving - Brent Leefers 38 receptions for 646 yards, 7 touchdowns

Tackles - Ryan Murtaugh 56 unassisted, 34 assisted for 90 total tackles

Fumble recoveries - Shane Rencountre with 3

Interceptions - Courtney Ross and Michael Allen with 2

Return yards - Manny Johnson with 528 total

Scoring - Leefers, 7 touchdowns for 42 points

Sacks - Rencountre with 4

# Lady Vikings Among District Leaders

The Dana Vikings volleyball team, currently 19-14, is among the District II leaders in games played through September 27.

The Lady Vikes lead the district in digs per game with 2185 total. Stephenie Wilson leads the individual statistics with a 6.06 average in digs per game. Shelli Wiebelhaus is sixth with a 3.16 average and Angie Heise occupies the tenth spot with a 2.96 average per game.

Dana is third in blocks per game with a 3.4 average. Melanie Hild is sixth on the individual list with a 0.87 average per game. The Vikings are fourth in ser-

vice aces per game with a 2.68 average. Katie Krueger is eighth in the district with a 0.585 average.

Dana is also fourth in the district in passing accuracy with a 0.863 percentage. In individual statistics, Wilson is eleventh.

Krueger is fifth in assists per game, averaging 8.27.

Wiebelhaus is ninth in attack percentage with a 0.274.

Heise averages 2.71 kills per game and is tenth in district stats.

Jen Neumeister is eleventh in service percentage in the district with 92.1 percent.



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# Vikings Couldn't Get Back Up After Fall

By Jeff Rademacher  
Sports Reporter

If football games were only 30 minutes long, the Dana Vikings would have had a lot to cheer about. It was the second half of the game in which the Vikings lined up their feet and shot them.

"We looked so good for most of the game but then we just self-destructed," said head coach Leo McKillip after his team fell 48-33 to the Doane Tigers in Crete, Nebr., last Saturday. "That was a very disappointing and very frustrating game to lose. We just can't seem to let ourselves enjoy success."

The Vikings has reason to feel a victory was in store after a productive first half against the Tigers. Dana opened a 12-0 lead in the first quarter with an 18-yard touchdown reception by wide receiver Manny Johnson and a one-yard run by running back Jesse Walker.

The second quarter began with another one-yard touchdown run by Walker and a two point conversion put the Vikings up 20-0. Doane responded with two touchdowns to narrow the margin to 20-14, but Walker scored his third touchdown of the game on a three-yard jog to take the Vikings into the locker room with a 26-14 halftime lead.

Dana continued to rally by opening the second half with a five-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Mike Carubba to wide receiver Brent Leefers. That spotted the Vikings with a 33-14 lead, but from there, things caved in. Turnovers and personal fouls

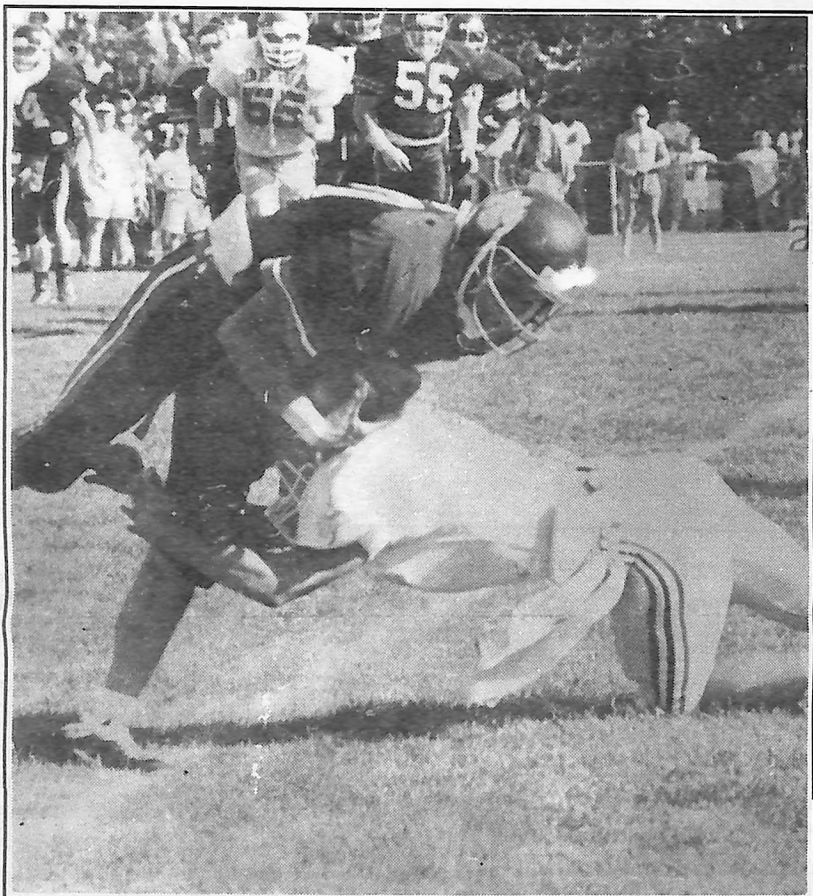
allowed Doane to score three touchdowns in a three minute time span and take a 34-33 lead.

The Tigers took advantage of two more Dana turnovers and scored two touchdowns with a minute and a half to take a 48-33 advantage that proved to be icing on the cake. They cruised to victory, coming from behind to trip the Vikings and jubilate a homecoming crowd of Tiger supporters.

McKillip stated he was pleased

with the team's ability to score, but realized its worst enemy was itself. "We marched every time we got the ball, but we killed ourselves. It feels like someone took something away from us that was ours, but in reality, we gave it away."

This week the Vikings have the chance to be the homecoming heroes as they play host to Nebraska Wesleyan University. Game time is 1:30 p.m. at Viking Field.



Kris Flack

An unidentified Dana defensive player makes a diving tackle of a Tiger running back. The Vikings were defeated 48-33 at Doane last week.

# Vikings Looking For Positive Finish

By Jeff Rademacher  
Sports Reporter

So far the Dana Vikings have given their fans some things to cheer about. They have some athletes who shine both on the field and, recently, in the Dana record books. Every game they've played has been full of exciting football action, and they possess an impressive group of young talented players.

Their 1-4 record, however, does not get people jumping up and down. They've been competitive in all four of their losses, but have not managed to come out on the winning end of the scores.

"It's one of those things - losing syndrome, unlucky, whatever," says head coach Leo McKillip. "We've got to change that."

"We're a much better team than our record shows," he continues. "Every game we've been in there because we know we can beat anybody. No one's blown us out. The great thing is that the guys have a positive attitude - they don't give up because they know they can win."

Despite their record, the Vikings' opponents have outscored them by only five points. McKillip

sees the positive side of the Dana attack: "The offense has got great confidence. We're throwing the ball at a fast clip, mainly because the pass protection has been good. The fullbacks are doing an adequate job in balancing the offense. The line has been great and that's a good sign. Once the offense is ready to go and the intensity stays up, they do a good job."

The defense has had a couple rough games, but has also shut down the powerful offenses of some of its rivals. "On defense the veterans are holding up, and that's a good thing for the younger guys to see. We have a couple individuals who have been a pleasant surprise."

All this comes half way through the season. What does McKillip see for the future, especially Saturday's game against Nebraska Wesleyan? "Well, we are hurting a bit on defense because of injuries, but we've still got to get ready to go and play a tough game. It will be a good opportunity for some of the newcomers."

"We've got tougher teams ahead of us than what we've already played. We know we've got a good team. We're not giving up in any way or form."

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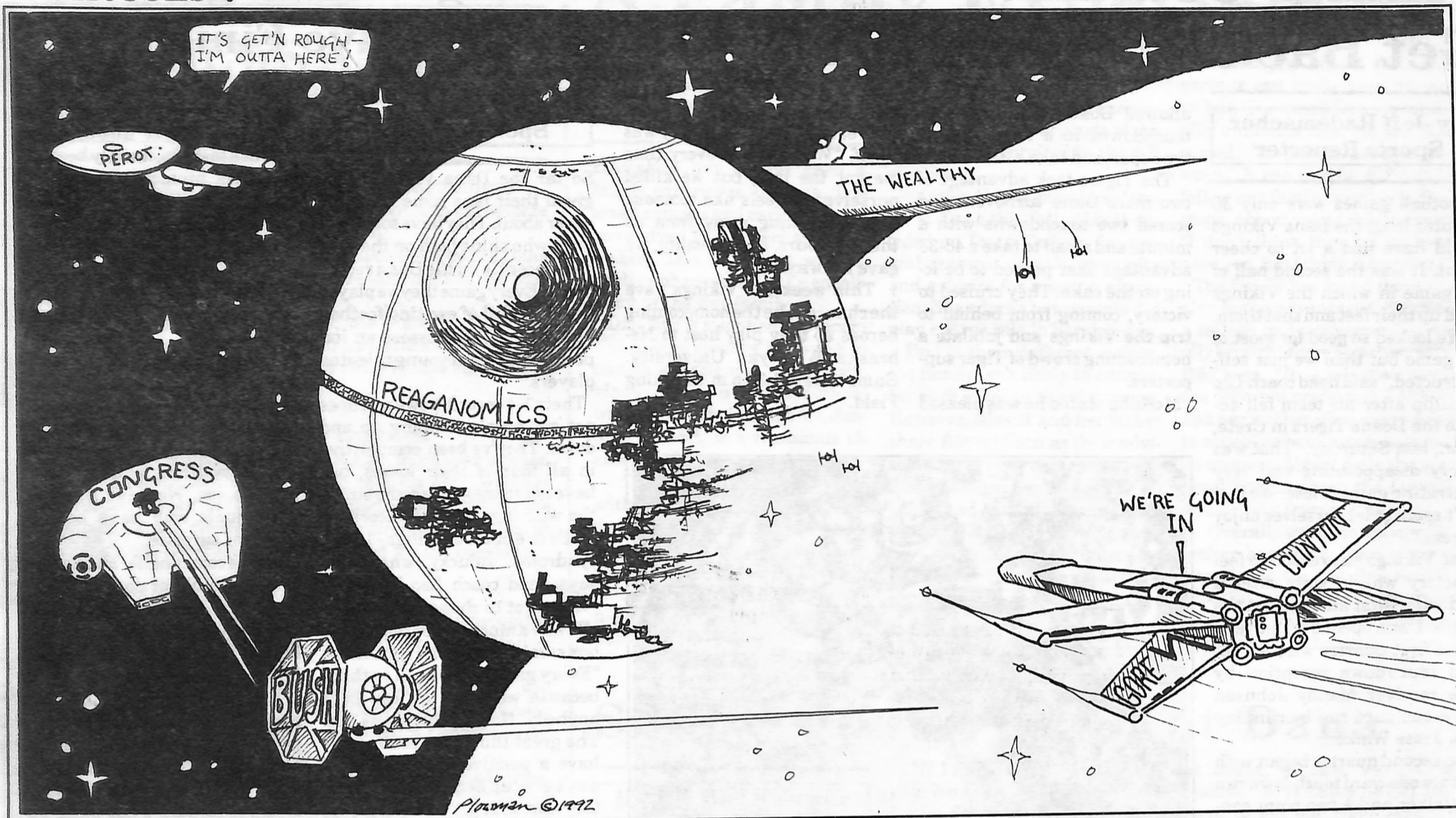
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## This Week's Events... October 9-15

Friday, October 9	Saturday, October 10	Sunday, October 11	Monday, October 12	Tuesday, October 13	Wednesday, October 14	Thursday, October 15
10 a.m. Installation of Pastor Ostrom in the chapel, PM 318	9 a.m. Dr. John Hibbing speaks on reforming Congress, DHA	10:30 a.m. Worship Service, Lauritzen Theatre	10 a.m. Chapel, PM 318	9 a.m. Dana Investment Challenge Seminar, DHA	10 a.m. Chapel, PM 318	10 a.m. Forum Event, "Luther, the Anti-Semite?" Dr. John Lyden
5 p.m. Pep Rally, Borup	10:30 a.m. Prof. Fran Mallory & Dr. John Mark Nielsen speak on the Bethsaida Dig, DHA	4 p.m. Vocalist Carrie Solomon Schultz and the Dana Piano Duo, Lauritzen Theatre	7 p.m. "Choosing a Major," Mickelsen Hall Lobby	7:30 p.m. Volleyball, Doane College at Dana	7:30 p.m. "National Dessert Day," Dragon's Head, sponsored by SAB	7:30 p.m. Volleyball, Hastings College at Dana
7:30 p.m. Volleyball, Northwestern at Dana	1:30 p.m. Football, Nebraska Wesleyan at Dana				7:30 p.m. "Our Bodies, Ourselves--for women," Patti Nielsen, R.N., Argo Hall, Second Floor Lounge	7:30 p.m. Paul Hamer's Trip Around the World, slide presentation
8:30 p.m. Dana Piano Duo Concert, Neve Room	9 p.m. Homecoming Dance in the Fire Hall					

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## Sunday's Recital Will Bring Refreshing Sounds

By Megan Weeks  
Reporter

On Sunday, Oct. 11, in the Lauritzen Theater there will be an outstanding, energy-filled performance. Come, let yourself be refreshed, revived, and inspired. This recital can be a relaxing close to Homecoming week.

First in the recital is soprano, Carrie Soloman. Her past includes performances in Broadway musicals. Sunday's program will consist of selected pieces from Broadway theater. Soloman toured with the Norman Luboff, the Ray Conniff, and the Fred Waring Choirs. She received her master's degree in vocal performance from the University of

Nebraska at Lincoln.

Included in her performance is music by Sondheim, Rogers and Hammerstein, and Noel Coward.

The Dana piano duo is also on the program. Clare Cowing, who attended Dana College, and Dr. Alan Brandes will interpret music by George Gershwin, including Rhapsody in Blue.

Cowing has been classified as

an "...exciting and forceful musician of the highest caliber." She has played at Dana, Joslyn Art Museum, the Orpheum Theater in Omaha, Peru, Doane, and Union Colleges, UNL, UNO, and Wesleyan University. You will enjoy Clare's "musical insight and exuberance." The Dana Duo is part of the Nebraska touring

program which is sponsored by the Nebraska Arts Council.

Students attending the Liberal Arts Experience (LAEx) class and/or Humanities will receive credit for attendance. Admission is free. The program will last approximately one hour.

*This article includes opinions of the author.*

### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Where does the stereotype of the ugly, inconsiderate American come from? Unfortunately, I believe it may come from our campus.

Anyone in attendance at the Holocaust presentation is probably in agreement. The disrespect shown to Cantor Fettman was truly embarrassing to Dana's campus. The behavior was an open rejection of the value Dana places on educational opportunities.

This speaker was on a mission to erase cultural and racial differences. Several members of the audience closed their ears to this man's message. Their mouths, however, were not closed.

Isn't it ironic when solutions are openly offered to our campus they are so easily rejected. It is no wonder why Dana College has so many conflicts when our students continually display open bigotry.

The solution to this problem lies in the educational opportunities provided by speakers brought to our campus. It is my hope that in the future our students will break the ugly stereotype and become agents of change.

Maija Nielsen

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