

# CERRITOS COLLEGE *Talon Marks*

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## Homecoming Court for 'Circus 87'

The seven newly elected members of the "Circus 87" Homecoming Court were introduced at the Student Center Tuesday. They are, from left, Melissa Drayer, LDSSA; Rosemary Martinez, A.H.O.R.A.; Blanca Perez, MEChA; Cindy Garcia, Big C (Pep Squad); Tracy McIntyre, Upsilon

Omieron; Dottie Thompson, Beta Phi Gamma/Press Club, and Charlene Clegg, Ski Club.

One will be chosen Queen in voting Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 20-21, with the winner to be announced at halftime ceremonies at Homecoming game Saturday, Oct. 24.

## HEALTH SCIENCES HARDEST HIT *Quakes take \$335,000 toll on college buildings, facilities*

By NANCY BALLARD  
TM Editor-in-Chief

Earthquake damages to Cerritos College have been revised upward to approximately \$335,140.

Estimates of these damages will be submitted to the State Chancellor's Office and the county in application for financial assistance to pay for repairs to the college.

According to Vice-President of Business Services Walter C. Magnuson, none of the buildings on campus have been structurally damaged.

This was determined after inspections by the State Architect, the college's architect and structural engineer.

Most of the damage was cosmetic.

According to Ernest A. Martinez, President-Superintendent, the College had the college's structural engineer again visit the buildings following the aftershock on

Sunday morning, and finding no new damage in the building, indicated that the Social Science building is safe to occupy.

The College is in the process of repairing the plaster, cracks and ceiling tile damage which occurred during the earthquake and aftershocks.

The Health Sciences building moved in such a way to damage its expansion joints which were designed to take the shock of earthquakes preventing damage to the building.

Damages totalled \$92,500 with repairs indicated on all three floors of the building.

The Social Sciences building showed signs of concrete cracking in two sheer walls at the ends of the building.

The walls were declared sound after

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## College, University Day brings reps here for student 'shopping'

By KEVIN LINDSEY  
TM Managing Editor

College and university day is coming Thursday, Oct. 22 to Cerritos college.

College and university day, put on by the Transfer Center, is an annual event where representatives from various state colleges

## Registration slated for second 9 weeks

Registration for the second nine-week session begins today and continues through Oct. 23.

Classes will begin Oct. 19.

Over 55 class titles are being offered with multiple day and evening times available.

Credit/no credit classes are offered in counseling and guidance.

Students interested in four-year transfer programs are being offered as well as classes in such varied areas as Mechanical Repair, Fashion, and Plastics Manufacturing.

and universities come to offer information on their respective schools.

"It gives students a chance to do shopping," according to Lisa Sugimoto, Director of the Transfer Center.

Mainly, students thinking about transferring get a chance to consider the costs, the campus, the type of studies offered.

Some of the Cal. State colleges that will be represented are: Dominguez Hills, Fullerton, Long Beach, San Diego and Stanislaus.

University of California will be sending counselors from Berkley, Los Angeles, San Diego, Santa Barbara and Santa Cruz.

Independent colleges will also be showcased. Biola University, Chapman College, Loma Linda University, Loyola Marymount University and Pepperdine University.

Also of interest will be the Air Force and Army ROTC.

### ● MOVING VIOLATIONS

Starting Nov. 2 ticketing will be given campus wide, for such things as running stop signs, illegal turns and speeding.

### ● RAIN RE-RUN

The Constitution Band Concert has been rescheduled for Sunday, Oct. 25 at 1 p.m. rain or shine.

### ● WAR DANCE GAME/7

The Falcon's beat Compton 35-7 to open SCC with style but face top ranked El Camino this Sat. in Falcon stadium.

## EDITORIALS

**'Under God' still in Pledge of Allegiance**

Oops!

Our editorial writer goofed by suggesting in an editorial Sept. 23 that "under God" had been legislated out of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Not so.

There's been talk, but apparently nobody has been brave enough to go too far with the idea.

And a lot of people do not take kindly to the rather startling concept.

Professor Howard Tazlitz said he was shocked when he read the editorial, and that several subsequent phone calls resulted in similar responses.

A representative of Norwalk state Senator Cecil Green said he had also researched the records and found no suggestion of any such drastic alteration of the flag pledge.

Tazlitz says he favors separation of church and state, but not that much, noting that the idea goes against what he teaches in his classes.

For example, he noted that he could live with giving thanks in the name of the Lord at commencement invocation, but could not support concluding with the phrase "in the name of Jesus Christ," which is

not a part of the Jewish faith.

We're sorry this one got by the Editorial Board. It should have been checked out further.

But we're glad that an awfully lot of people will rally against any such possible infringement in the future.

"Under God" is still in the Pledge for Californians and everybody.

**'Equivalence' test can pass word on alcohol**

How much is too much for you?

Do you know when to stop?

Responsible drinking will be the focus of the upcoming fourth annual National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week, taking place Oct. 19 - 25.

One way of increasing alcohol consciousness is the Equivalence Aptitude Test.

The E.A.T. was designed to test how much students know about alcohol consumption.

The key to passing the E.A.T. is to know this simple formula: the most common servings of beer (12 ounces), wine (5 ounces) and distilled spirits (1 1/4 ounces) contain equal amounts of alcohol.

Most people are under the impression that beer and wine are not strong drinks, so it's "okay" to overindulge in them.

Far too many accidents are caused by people who think "I've only had a few beers, I'm fine," and get behind the wheel of a car.

Fifty per cent of all driving fatalities are caused by drunk drivers, and two-thirds of those arrested for drunk driving "just had a few beers."

Use common sense when you drink.

Don't drive after your next tailgate party or happy hour.

Never drink on an empty stomach.

Eat before you go, and eat while you're there.

Don't be pushed into drinking more than you can handle, and don't pressure your friends to keep up with you.

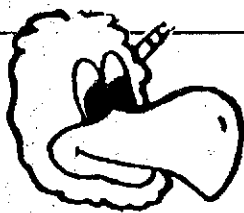
Pay attention to what you're drinking.

Know yourself and your mood.

The responsibility in drinking is yours, not your friends' and not the police.

To obtain a copy of the E.A.T., write to National Alcohol Awareness Test, P.O. Box 725, Dept. 1196, Lubbock, Tx. 79491.

We appreciate the efforts of Allan Boodnick and KCEB in bringing alcohol awareness to Cerritos College and its students.



## CC FALCON

**Keeping cool while getting clipped, cramming for exams, walking the dog, and standing tall**

**EXAMCRAM**— Used my speed reading skills to rush as much information into my head as possible for a recent challenge.

It worked.

Finished my test on time and aced it.

You know, they have several classes around here to help you read better, faster, more A-like, you know.

**CRAZE POOL**— My friend Craze's football pool was going great...until players in the NFL went on strike.

So I win the pool two weeks in a row, and the underpaid gridders walk out.

With all my easy-pickin's future winnings.

**PEOPLE WATCHING**— People watching at a Falcon football game can be an eye opening experience.

There's grandpa snapping lots of pictures of the kid in his football uniform. Grandma is trying to get junior's attention with "Yoo hoo" shouts. Grandpa notes that "In 1922, we didn't have all that protective padding. We were real men."

**A 10-year-old is hungry, wants to go home and can't see.**

A gaggle of sorority birds are talking guys, and are engaged in a game of look-see and pretend not to look-and-see again.

It's all in the game.

**COOL COACHES**— The coach drives up in an air conditioned four-by-four, with the stereo playing country music, and shouts instructions from the cab.

When the yell is for field drills and it's 108, the players aren't really thinking football; they're thinking, among other things, revenge.

Somebody had to sweat it out, guys. Personally, I like air-conditioned trucks.

**WINGS CLIPPERS**— Went over to visit the Cosmotology Department to see if they'd fancy up my feathers.

The next available appointment was next Tuesday.

I said something about an emergency and flashed my TM press card.

After I got back up, they gave in and

did me.

Power of the press, you know.

Go by. Tell 'em CC sent you.

We're talking short, or no wait.

**DOGGONE**— Not even a lady walking her dog was allowed on campus after the quake Friday.

A security guard kept this one two off the school premises.

There are a number of ways you can tell the campus is a favorite dog walking spot...

**AFTER SHOCK**— If you thought surviving an earthquake was tough, you shoulda tried an exam I encountered recently.

Talk about shock.

I'm still experiencing academic fallout.

**POOL SHARK**— High jump star Anthony Durden was playing pool with two ladybirds.

He gets one ball in on the break. He gets a second ball into the pocket before scratching the white ball.

One of the gals takes a quick shot, then Durden gives a clinic by sinking more balls into the pocket.

Durden loves to hit the white ball into the pocket.

Right on cue, so to speak.

**STANDING TALL**— Glad to see that the Iron Falcon in the middle of the quad made it through the terrible temblers without losing any feathers.

But it was the biggest effort anybody's made in a long time to shake the 'ol mascot off its perch.

**WE WANT KCEB**— Sure would like to have KCEB coming into my office in the newsroom.

Too bad the campus radio station doesn't reach a lot of other places around campus.

Let's talk some more radio.

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**A QUEEN FOR ALL AGES**  
**Grandmother captures hearts of campus**

Dottie...Dottie...Dottie...

What would you think if a "64-plus" grandmother of 12 and mom of six became Homecoming Queen at Cerritos College?

If Dottie Thompson's reception at the Queen polls is anything like the sensation she created at yesterday's Court introductions when she prom-naded out on stage, blowing kisses to the cheering crowd, she may just end up wearing THE crown.

She's the talk of the campus.

The bubbly, vibrant, articulate "freshman" captured enough votes to make the Court, and she has captured the hearts of everybody who has seen, heard, or met her.

"Compared to all these beautiful

young ladies, I can't offer you anything..." she quipped to the approving roar of the crowd.

The chants of "Dottie...Dottie...Dottie" began.

The sparkly, dynamic "senior" candidate, sponsored by Beta Phi Gamma/Press Club, could really put Cerritos on the map if she's chosen to reign over Homecoming.

TV, the press, faculty, staff, Board members, re-entry students, grand-kids all...think Dottie's a beautiful choice.

She would add a rare dimension to Homecoming.

She'd appreciate your vote.

Dottie...Dottie...Dottie...



DOTTIE THOMPSON

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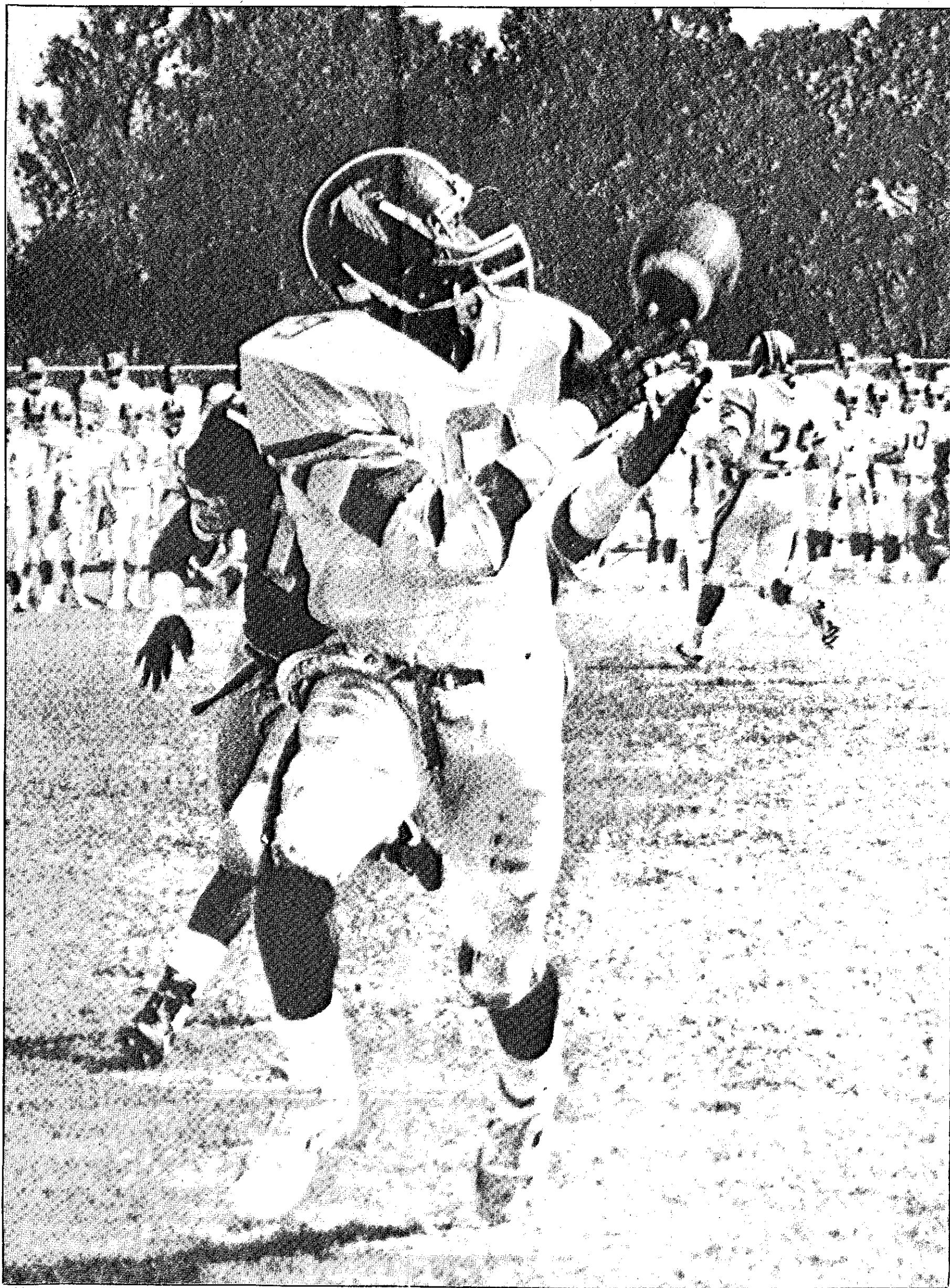
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## ***SWEET SONG IN NEW JERSEY***

Cerritos tight end and former Falcon basketballer Kenny Rogers awaits the harmonious arrival of his fourth consecutive touchdown reception. Rogers, the 6-foot-4 225-pounder from Paramount High has caught a TD fling a game. "Tight ends believe in quality, not quantity," joked tight ends coach Merlin Driggs. This one was for a 24-yarder from quarterback Don Sabella in the second quarter that gave the Falcons a 14-0 advantage.





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## ***INCOMING***

Starting Cerritos quarterback Don Sabella lets one fly as tenacious defensive pressure is felt from Compton linebacker Brian Tubbs. Sabella connected on 5-of-12 passes for 56 yards Saturday in 35-7 South Coast Conference opening victory over Compton. Backup QB Shane Norris hit 8-of-12 throws for 94 yards.

# Falcons win SCC opener, 35-7



**SWEEP RIGHT** — Jerrell Waddell is looking for a little running room as Compton linebacker Kenneth Hawkins narrows in. Waddell finished the contest with 80 yards on 16 carries. The Cerritos running game was absent, however, of All-American Andre Wooten. A pinched nerve kept Wooten out of the game. He's expected back this Satur-

day, only needing 41 yards to become the school's all time leading rusher. Reggie Pitchford, in what he said was the "ultimate" for him, led the Cerritos ground game against the Tartars with 105 yards on 15 carries.

## HEADHUNTERS COMING AFTER THE BIRDS

Cerritos (3-1 overall and 1-0 in the South Coast Conference) faces El Camino (4-0, 1-0) this Saturday in Falcon Stadium for a 7:30 p.m. kickoff. Both schools, two of the Southland's best, contain interesting characteristics. Cerritos, of course, features the enormous offensive line (dubbed the "300 Club") that has become Channel 4 and 7 celebrities. El Camino is a club that produces an interesting kickoff ritual. "It's a symbol of something," said Cerritos head coach Frank Mazzotta. "Maybe headhunters." The Warriors on the sideline all raise their helmets during each of the kickoffs. "The kids started doing that a few years ago when we got a three game winning streak going," said three-year ECC head coach John Featherstone. "They set the tempo of the game with a lot of little things like that," added Mazzotta on the Warrior team that has over half a dozen Samoans.





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## ***SATKI(CK)***

Falcon placekicker Morris Satki is an incredible 15-of-16 on extra point conversions, including this one in Saturday's contest with Compton with quarterback Don Sabella holding. Satki, who has also booted field goals of 46 and 32 yards out, hasn't missed a conversion kick when Sabella holds. The only one-pointer he has failed to connect on is back in the opening contest when Shane Norris held.

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## Runners travel for dual meet; both finish in top 10 Friday

By PAULA PEARSON  
TM Sports Editor

Both the men's and women's cross-country teams will travel to compete in a South Coast Conference double dual meet this Friday against host Pasadena and El Camino. The women start at 3 p.m. and the men follow at 3:30 p.m.

Both teams traveled to Irvine Invitational last Friday, with the men's squad finishing tenth against 25 other schools including tough SCC foes Mt. SAC and strong El Camino.

The women finished seventh out of 12, including Orange Coast and Mt. SAC.

Falcon Aurelio Trujillo finished with a time of 20:20, knocking seven seconds off of last year's performance.

The overall winner of the invitational was Long Beach City's Uirel Rivera who crossed over at 19:46.

According to coach Dave Kamanski, Trujillo just had a bad day. "Every runner has one bad race once in a while, even Trujillo," said Kamanski.

"If the men move up to seventh place in the rankings, the Falcons will have a shot at qualifying for the South Coast Conference

Championships next month," added Kamanski.

The women did something the men couldn't match.

Personal bests were set by the seven members of the women's team starting with Marcia Chaney, placing 19th overall with a time of 19:07.

Trailing Chaney were Falcons Katie Jackson (37th) with a time of 19:43, Esther Cueller (40th) crossing over at 19:48, Collette South (42nd) with a 19:52 clocking, Rochelle Barron (56th) coming in at 20:26, Barbara Guterac (72nd) with a time of 20:52 and Rosa Manjarrez who came in to take the 76th position with a time of 20:59.

## Water polo host Cypress Thursday

The Cerritos College men's water polo team is off to a 6-4 start, but the Falcons have played better than their record would lead one to believe.

The Falcons resume conference play Friday when they travel to Pasadena for a 3:30 contest. The Falcons Host Cypress in a non-conference match Thursday at 3:00.

## Kickoff returns for TDs help Falcons raise spirits

By JOHN WELSH  
Associate Editor

Eddie Stokes and Rodney Bowman provided the Cerritos College football team with the necessary uplift Saturday in its South Coast Conference opener with Compton.

Stokes (Cerritos High) returned the opening kickoff 84 yards for a touchdown and Bowman (Valley Christian) later recorded a 93-yarder as the Falcons trounced Compton 35-7 before a crowd of 1,500 at Tartar Stadium.

"I felt we had to create some excitement after our performance at Taft last week (a 33-14 loss)," said Cerritos' head coach Frank Mazzotta. "We did just that. Thanks to that opening kickoff. We were a little depressed during the week, but realized we had to come out with a winning attitude, because Compton is a good team."

The Falcons 3-1 return home after a two-game absence this Saturday to play host to the Southland's No. 1 ranked team, El Camino. The Warriors, rated No. 8 in the nation, are 4-0 after routing Mt. San

Antonio 31-14 in both schools South Coast Conference opener.

Compton (2-2) broke up what could have been Cerritos' 33rd shutout early in the fourth quarter as back-up quarterback Kojuan Williams (Paramount) hit Prince Hall for an eight-yard touchdown connection. Jose Guzman (St. John Bosco) converted the point after and Compton trailed, 28-7 with 13:40 left in the game.

The Bowman blast quieted Compton, though, as his 93-yard kickoff return for a touchdown gave Cerritos another reason to lift its low spirits.

Morris Satki (Gahr) added the boot point and the Falcons led, 35-7.

Cerritos' starting quarterback Don Sabella (Warren) connected with Ken Rogers (Paramount) with 13:47 left in the second quarter for his seventh TD pass of the season.

## Kickers score four but actually six

By RICH DE LABY  
TM Staff Writer

Cerritos' soccer team finished non-conference play on a winning note last Thursday by defeating Oxnard, 4-2.

The Falcons, featuring an 8-2-2 slate, hope to carry their winning ways into South Coast Conference play, but Cerritos looks ahead to a tough conference in which four of the six teams are ranked in the top ten in the state.

Details on yesterday's conference opener at Mount San Antonio College were not available at press time.

Cerritos' next conference match is Friday at El Camino at 7:30 p.m.

The Falcons had their highest output of goals this season against Oxnard with the total coming to six.

Unfortunately for the Falcons, two of the six goals they scored were accidentally chipped past their own goalkeeper, Mike Matson and into the Cerritos goal.

Pierre Velo knocked in three goals and Raul Avellenda added one to round out the scoring for Cerritos.

Cerritos enters conference play ranked fourth in the state with pre-season favorite Golden West ranked second and El Camino and Fullerton ranked sixth and tenth, respectively.

## Volleyballers open SCC with 2-0 slate

By PAULA PEARSON  
TM Sports Editor

The Cerritos College women's volleyball team opened up South Coast Conference play by winning its first two matches.

Tonight the Falcons travel to Mt. San Antonio for a 7 p.m. match.

The Falcons took apart El Camino in four games last Friday at home, winning the match by the game scores of 15-9, 15-8, 13-15, and 15-13.

After an 8-8 deadlock in game two with El Camino, the Falcons pulled away for the win, and a 2-0 lead in the match.

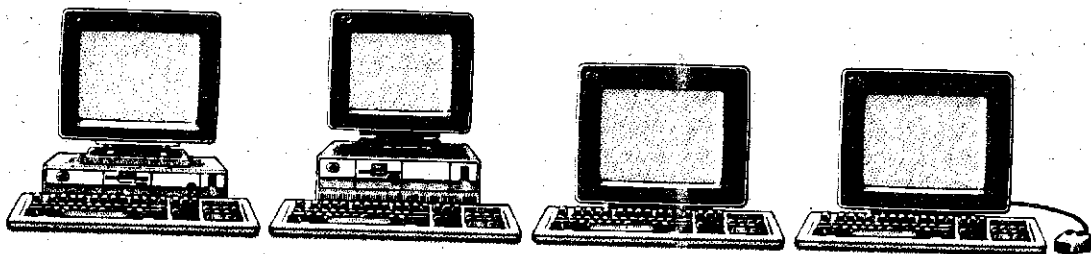
The Warriors jumped out to an early 6-2 advantage and a later 12-8 lead in game three. Cerritos knotted up the game at 12, but El Camino won the next three of four points to clinch the win.

After an 11-2 game four start, Cerritos struggled and ECC pulled within one. The Falcons eventually captured the match with a 15-13 nailbiting victory in game four.

Bonnie Knox led the Falcons with 18 kills, with Evelyn Sefuiva adding 12. Yolanda Jefferson scooped up 52 assists.

Cerritos pulled out a five-game thriller at Pasadena last Wednesday, falling behind 2-1 in games before capturing the match.

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**STATE VISITOR** — The president of the Board of Governors for California Community Colleges, Borgny Baird, was on campus yesterday. Hostess was TALON MARKS editor Nancy Ballard, seated right. Among places she visited was the 11 a.m. Homecoming Court introduction in the Student Center. Also accompanying were ASCC Vice President Kenny Fewer, and Dr. Steven Helfgot, Vice President of Student Services.

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## Substance abuse subject of KCEB airing

By KARIBETH MYERS  
TM Staff Writer

The Substance Abuse Awareness Program (S.A.A.P.) will kick off its National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week with a live radio program Wednesday, Oct. 21, on KCEB at 12 noon.

### ● Repair costs high

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inspection and examination of the steel frame of the building.

The expansion joints are being repaired now and the concrete cracking will be repaired with epoxy injections.

Other repair costs include \$50,000 of capital equipment replacement in Technology and \$47,940 damages to the Learning Resource Center.

At a cost estimate of \$118,000 the Social Sciences Building will be the most expensive repair job on campus.

According to Martinez, "The safety of everyone on this campus is our primary concern and would not allow anyone into any facility if we had any doubt about structural integrity."

## 4,500 letters mailed in early warning plan for grade trouble

By JOHN WELSH  
TM Associate Editor

Letters go out this week to students suffering in courses with below C level marks.

The Academic Early Warning System siren is just around the corner for individuals that are in difficulty. Students will be mailed letters informing them that they are in trouble, and also letting them know help is available.

Congratulatory letters will be mailed to scholars who were in previous collegiate crossfire, but now are performing adequately.

The half-hour, phone-in question and answer session will feature counselor Dr. Allan Boodnick and a representative from S.A.A.P. dealing with substance abuse questions.

This will be the first installment of S.A.A.P.'s weekly radio show every Wednesday from 12-12:30, dealing with substance abuse.

The show will be taped for re-broadcast to evening students.

## Cerritos transfers perform well; 'in ball park' at 4-year schools

By JOHN WELSH  
TM Associate Editor

Cerritos College transfers are doing favorably according to statistics found in the Academic Performance Report for the 1986-87 school year.

The report has 86% of Cerritos scholars who transferred in the Fall of 86 to CSU institutions for the first time returning for the Spring semester. Coincidentally, that per-

"There was an overwhelming majority of faculty that turned in their rosters on time," said Dr. Steven Helfgot, Vice President of Student Services.

"Some instructors were concerned with the tone of the letter that was to be sent out," added Helfgot. "They felt a more supportive type should be mailed. So we modified it."

Helfgot said the earthquake slowed the process down a bit, but pointed out approximately 4,500 letters will go out later this week.

Among the 4,500 correspondence, 3,800 will be posted to persons that are in trouble. The other 700 will receive complimentary notices of improvement.

## 'Dead hour' issue at lull while 11-12 meetings on

By RICH DE LABY  
TM Staff Writer

The controversy over the "dead hour" at Cerritos College has cooled down for now, but one might say it is only the calm before the storm.

Things are expected to heat up once again tomorrow at 11:00 when the Student Personnel Committee meets regarding the controversy.

There are many activities that occur during this time including tomorrow's Mock Rally and ironically, tomorrow's meeting concerning the Dead Hour itself.

Hugh Wilkoff is almost the sole supporter of moving the Dead Hour time to later in the day.

It appears as if Wilkoff will have to face the weight of the world — the weight being that of opposing faculty and students on

campus who wish to remain with the status quo.

Wilkoff maintains that the Dead Hour (11-12 Tuesdays and Thursdays) is a prime time for classes and that enrollment would increase if the time was opened for classes.

In contrary to Wilkoff, Richard McGrath, the Student Personnel Committee Chair, feels the time slot is beneficial to student morale and that it should be left alone. McGrath shares his view with nearly the entire student body and the majority of the faculty.

One faculty senator stated that doing away with the Dead Hour would "hamper the students more than it would help."

Karen Stufflebeam, Student Senate Liaison to the Faculty Senate added that "It is a critical part of our program and it should be left alone."

## Proposed new two-year calendar gets wide reading; set for Board

By JOHN WELSH  
TM Associate Editor

A proposed two-year calendar, which could be acted on by the Trustees Oct. 20, has the Faculty Senate scrambling around trying to get input from various divisions to take a position on the proposal.

Two six-week and two eight-week sessions would be offered in the Summer of

'88, according to the proposed calendar.

The calendar looks to help all students still working with a later start in the Fall of '88 with an 18-week and nine-week session to begin Aug. 22.

A 15-week session would take off on Sept. 12. The first 9-week slate would finish on Oct. 24 with a second 9-week deal beginning the same day.

By December 24, all sessions should be completed, including finals, with 85 days of instruction in the books.

Spring of '89 would also offer an 18-week session, two nine-weekers, and a 15-week session.

The Summer of '89 is the similar to the proposed deal of '88.

"The proposed calendar will accommodate those individuals who cannot begin because of work," said Vice President of Instruction Dr. George Melican.

Single parents would also be aided with the proposition, being able to start at the same time as their children.

## Costumes offered in 'closet sale'

"The Ultimate Closet Sale," will be held by the Theatre Arts Department.

Just in time for Halloween, the college based organization will be selling costumes and accessories from the Theatre Department's storage vault.

The sale will be held Tuesday, Oct. 20 and Thursday, Oct. 22 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

These treasures will be displayed on the lawn area facing the quad, directly adjacent to the Burnight Center building.

Proceeds generated from the sale will be donated to the Red Cross, to assist relief efforts resulting from the recent earthquake.

Items for sale will include period costume pieces from past Cerritos College production, as well as numerous glitzy and bizarre items.

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