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Homecoming Court VOTING today, Thursday



MARIA DELAVEGA
#1 AHORA

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The TALON MARKS will not be published next week. Expanded coverage will resume Oct. 7. Letters, news and feature ideas and items are encouraged.



JACKIE BARBERA
#2 Kappa Psi Theta



MAI NGO
#3 Alpha Gamma Sigma



BRANDY ROMO
#4 Alpha Phi Beta



ANGELA MARIE REED
#5 Women's Track Team



MINDY RAYBURN
#6 Upsilon Omicron



MARRION DE GUZMAN
#7 Filipino Club



SAULINDA LOVE AMAYA
#8 Delta Phi Omega



LILLIAN DELGADO
#9 MEChA



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#10 Black Student Union



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#11 Court Reporting



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#12 Cambodian Club



AMY VILLA
#13 Cosmetology Club



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#14 GLBC



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#15 Psi Beta



MICHELLE PAYNE
#16 Math Club



COLETTE NOEL VAZQUEZ
#17 Men's Basketball



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#18 LDSSA



TONYA COBOS
#19 EOPS



LISA ORTIZ
#20 LAE



VALERIE LISA SNOW
#21 Sigma Phi

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY

Voters pick 7-member Homecoming Court from 21 ASCC beauties

By Christy Botero

TM Assistant News Editor

A record 21 campus clubs and organizations are sponsoring candidates for Homecoming Queen this semester, with seven positions open for Homecoming Court.

Voting's today and tomorrow, Sept. 22-23 at three locations: in front of the Coffee Shop, Social Science Elbow Room, and the Health Science breezeway.

Current student photo I.D. is required.

Running are Maria DeLaVega/A.H.O.R.A., Jackie Barbera/Kappa Psi Theta, Mai Ngo/Alpha Gamma Sigma, Brandy Romo/Alpha Phi Beta, Angela Marie Reed/Women's Track Team.

Mindy Rayburn/Upsilon Omicron, Marrion De Guzman/Filipino Club, Saulinda Love Amaya/Delta Phi Omega, Lillian Delgado/M.E.Ch.A, Gloria Whitfield/Black Student Union, Janet Tamaguo/Court Reporting, Loneth Mam/Cambodian Club.

Amy Villa/Cosmetology Club, Jeanine M. Dana/GLBC, Annette Macias/Psi Beta, Michelle Payne/Math Club, Colette Noel Vazquez/Men's Basketball, Leileala Rex/L.D.S.S.A., Tonya Cobos/EOPS, Lisa Ortiz/Lae Pi Kappa, Valerie Lisa Snow/Sigma Phi.

Homecoming Court winners will be posted on the Student Activities bulletin board Thursday night, Sept. 24.

Voting for Queen from among the Homecoming Court will take place on Oct. 7 and 8.

The Queen will be announced during the crowning commencement at the football game Oct. 10.



NEW COURT BEING SELECTED TODAY, TOMORROW



1991 HOMECOMING COURT

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- ABOVE — Princesses Shonda Lee, Jennifer DeKay, Olga Alcaraz.

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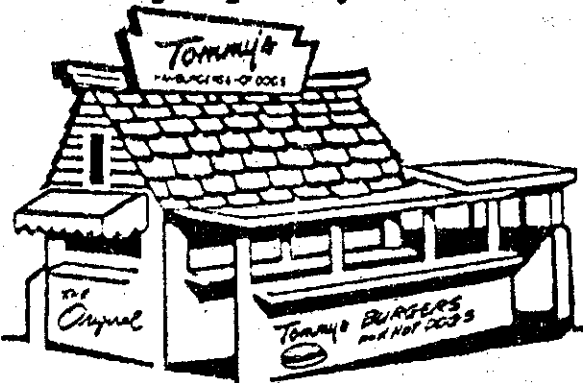
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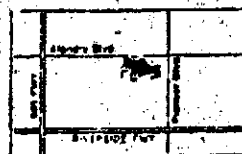


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Student Senators in uproar over resurrection of AHORA, MEChA trip funds denial

By Don Jergler
TM Editor in Chief

A cry for justice will be heard on the Senate floor today.

The roar may be echoed on both sides of the battleline drawn not by opposing political view points, or Student Government disagreements, but by colors.

The appointment of Mike Hitz to the position of ASCC Court Justice is the pressing issue of this Senate meeting.

Senator Miguel Lopez, who last week presented a successful motion to

table a Mike Hitz appointment to an ASCC court Justice position, authored a letter to Senators explaining his controversial action.

Lopez said, "If any degree of prejudice or privilege exists in a candidate's attitude, we must question their ability to represent students in an impartial and objective manner, and seek a more culturally pluralistic nominee."

Lopez, a vocal re-entry student who has assumed the role of spokesman for minority hiring went on to "demand" a public apology for what he called Hitz's "unjustified statement against another culture."

Last Spring Hitz, who was the

commissioner of ICC (Inter-club Council) had attempted to clarify a Cabinet decision of not to provide over \$2000 in funds for an AHORA and MEChA club trip to Texas for a Chicano Studies Conference. He stressed that if the Cabinet provided funds for their trip, then they would have to provide funding for any other campus organization, including even such a radical group as the KKK, if they were a club on campus.

Hitz later explained that he obviously was not trying to compare their organization with the KKK, but was trying to explain that if the ASCC gave funds to their clubs, that would open them up to give funds to any other campus organization who wants them.

In answer to the Cabinet decision and Hitz's statement, a 15-member delegation from the organizations spoke at the following Cabinet meeting voicing their protest, also calling the Cabinet — made up of mostly minorities — racists.

Four days later AHORA issued a formal apology for the remarks, and

the matter had not come up until last week's ASCC Cabinet meeting.

When asked what he felt the outcome of today's election may be, Hitz said, "I think it will swing in my favor, and I hope that regardless of the outcome there will be no ill feelings between anyone."

Hitz went on to say that he wanted to thank the people who have said they will support him, "And I appreciate the many Senators who have researched the issue, asked me questions, and looked at both sides before making a decision."

Senate President Aladdin Nabulsi said, "As a Senator, Miguel Lopez has the right to investigate any Student Government matter that is legitimate."

When asked if he felt that this situation has hurt Senate in any way, Nabulsi said, "No, I am glad to see Senators researching and questioning to uncover the previous circumstances."

A number of Senators have indicated that they will oppose Lopez and his supporters, saying that he had no valid basis for his loud objections.

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Anthropology Club day meet Oct. 8

The Anthropology Club meetings will be held on 11 a.m. to noon in Room SS215. One meeting a month will be held at night. The day and time will be announced. The next day meeting will be on Oct. 8.

Club dues are \$5. The Faculty advisor is Professor Jeff Rigby.

Club offerings include a member formatted news-letter, anthropological magazines, visits to different ethnic

restaurants and guest speakers from different colleges.

Scheduled is a trip to the Chaw'Se Indian Rock Grinding State Historic Park located in the Sierra Nevada foothills, 8 miles east of Jackson on Sept. 26 and 27.

A release form must be filled out and returned before departure.

—JANICE GAROFALO

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2-0 FALCONS VISIT NATION'S NO. 1

By Jimmy Baro

It's against No. 1 in the nation Saturday at Saddleback.

The Falcon's football team powered past the 1989 National Champions Riverside 18-15 Saturday night for their second consecutive triumph of the young season.

Despite the win, Cerritos (2-0, 1-0 in the Mission Conference) had very little time to savor the moment.

Equally important is their third straight road game of the season and of the year this Saturday night at 7, against old nemesis Saddleback.

The Gauchos, sporting the Green Bay Packer emblem helmets, are ranked No. 1 in the nation.

Last year Saddleback played like the old Green Bay of year's past, in the first ever Simple Green

Orange County Bowl.

The Gauchos walked all over Cerritos 42-18.

"The key for us against Saddleback is our defense. We have to be consistent throughout the game, and we must maintain our mental toughness," said Head Coach Frank Mazzotta.

"What comes around, goes around. It's pay back time, I've been waiting for this game since December," stated one not-so-shy Falcon.

The Falcon's strong running game was led by freshmen running back Louie Major and second year man Darrell Morgan, better known as the MM boys.

"We might have the best running back tandem around," said Mazzotta.

If the Washington Redskins have the hogs, Cerritos has the baby hogs.

The big wall upfront caged the Tigers all night long, busting gaping holes for the MM boys running

clinic, while providing time for sophomore quarterback Steve Lopez aerial attack.

Although they couldn't have done it without their huge offensive line, Major accumulated for 129 yards on 14 carries, in addition to Morgan's 122 on only 16 attempts with one touchdown.

The Falcons had a total of 442 yards total offense. Lopez completed 14 of 22 passes for 188 yards and two touchdowns.

His main target was wide receiver Chad Millan who caught five passes for 161 yards and one touchdown.

In limited action last December against Saddleback, Lopez completed 3 of 7 passes for 63 yards and one touchdown.

He also rushed 3 times for 26 yards.

It's the first time since 1987 that Cerritos has started a season 2-0.

BEN THINKIN/BEN VILLA

Color me qualified

The College Football season is under way with all the pomp and pageantry that goes along with it the bands, fans, tailgate parties, cheerleaders, etc.

And what would a college season be without "the Heisman hype?"

This year we have Marshall Faulk (San Diego State), Rick Mirer (Notre Dame), and Shane Matthews (University of Florida), just to name a few.

But you know, not any player playing Division I football is coached by a minority.

Out of 106 major schools, there's not one Black that holds a Head Coaching position.

Why?

Isn't anybody qualified, or is it that nobody applies for the position? Don't bet on it.

The sad truth is that the alumni are scared to hire a minority.

They're afraid if they hire a Black man or any other minority, that the money will stop coming.

They believe a minority couldn't raise funds, do a good public speaking job, or talk to the media as well as a white coach.

Some believe they couldn't do a good job at coaching or handling the players.

Funny thing is last time I looked, Jack Crowe just got fired for losing to the Citadel, a Division II school, and all kinds of other schools are being put on probation or being investigated for wrong doings.

SMU got the death penalty a few years ago and Demetrius Dubose was suspended for two games at Notre Dame,

all under the leadership of white coaches.

Eddie Robinson, a Black coach at Grambling University, has the most career wins of all time. That includes the legendary Knute Rockne of Notre Dame, John McKay at USC, and the immortal Paul (Bear) Bryant of Alabama.

Art Shell of the Raiders has led his team to two straight play off appearances, and Dennis Green, now of the Minnesota Vikings took over an awful program at Stanford, and within three years took them to a Bowl game.

This isn't magic. The facts are they are just good head coaches who got a chance.

The problem is nobody else is getting a chance.

Coach Dickerson at Clemson (currently the defense coordinator) has applied and been turned down seven times for a head coaching position. He's qualified.

He's been coaching for more than 15

years, and Clemson's defense is always ranked in the top 10 in the country.

He's lucky—some coaches don't even get an interview.

Some Black coaches are hired only to recruit Black players in the inner cities.

Now, I'm not saying if you hire a Black coach he's going to take you to the Rose Bowl, the Orange Bowl, or win the National Championship.

However, they deserve the opportunity.

I believe most schools hire people that are qualified for the position, and don't care about a man's color. But, the ones that don't, who only hire friends or a guy who's just "one of the boys," need to change.

What should a school look for when looking for a head coach? A white man, or a Black man?

No... a qualified man... nothing more or less!

Naranjo paces men's cross country

The Cerritos men's cross country team continue to show improvement as they placed 10th overall at the Mira Costa Invitational on Sept. 18.

For the second time in collegiate career, five of the seven on the Cerritos men's cross country ran a competitive four mile race.

In back-to-back meets in a row the Falcons were led by freshman Omar Naranjo who ran a 23:43, good enough for 66th place overall.

He was followed by teammates Jim Begovich (24:10, 72nd) and Mark Arias (24:20, 77th), Wayne Beverly was fourth on the team at (24:54 84th), followed by Mario Valladares 25:08, 92nd) Victor Gariby (26:51, 114th) and Sal Ramos (26:54, 115th).

"I thought Omar and Mark ran very even splits, said men's coach Gary Gaudet. "Our goal going into the invitational was to run even and I thought we did so. We're grouping our top five runners better (separated by only 1:25). We just need to improve our times."

El Camino, Mt. San Antonio and Long Beach City, and the other teams in the southcoast conference finished in the top three.

The women's team fared just as well finishing sixth overall, up from their 8th place showing at the Sept. 12 Fresno Invitational Meet.

The Falcons next challenge will be Friday, Sept. 25 in the Dual Meet Championships at Mt. San Antonio College starting at 9 a.m.

—FRANCISCO GONZALEZ

Volleyballers take title at Rancho Santiago tourney

So many volleyball tournaments, so little volleyball championships, but yet very talented volleyball teams.

For only the second time in Falcon history, the lady spikers captured a tournament title.

Cerritos will host Santa Monica tonight at 7:30, in their first official recorded match.

The Falcons went into the Rancho Santiago tourney seeded No. 1.

Cerritos swept seven of the other 24 participants and have won 25 single practice games so far.

"We did a great job in the tournament. I was pleased with the way everyone contributed," said Co-Coach Jeanine Prindle.

"We have 11 great players who love volleyball."

—JIMMY BARO

Water Polo takes dive; go against unranked Chargers

Eighteenth rated Cerritos played its first game of the year. The Falcons lost to the state's No. 4 team Grossmont, 22-8, in non-conference water polo action last Wednesday at the Cerritos pool.

"The reason why Grossmont was successful," said Falcon Coach Pat Tyne, "was because they capitalized on our turnovers."

Ten Grossmont players can swim the 50 yard free-style in less than 23 seconds. Grossmont took advantage of its quickness and 11 steals made by the defense to score frequently with a speedy counter attack.

Chuck Snay was the game's highest scorer, picking up five goals for the winners, while John MacGillivray blasted four goals for the Falcons.

"Grossmont was playing their fourth game. "That gave them an advantage," said McGillivray.

Tomorrow Cerritos goes to Cypress College for a 3:30 p.m. game against the unranked Chargers.

—MUHAMMAD AMIN

SOCCER READY FOR CONFERENCE OPENER

Making their season debut, the Cerritos College soccer team received a 6-0 thrashing from Fullerton in non-conference action last Tuesday at Fullerton.

"Our execution in the mid-field," said Fullerton team captain Adrian Nawabi, "was the reason we dominated the match. Cerritos has a few talented individual players, but as a team they didn't work well against us."

The Hornets controlled the match most of the time keeping the ball on the Falcon's half of the field. Cerritos was plagued by sloppy passing and had a hard time mounting drives toward the goal.

Six different Hornet players scored with three Fullerton goals coming in each half. So dominant was Fullerton's play that the Hornets had 29 shots on goal to the Falcons' 8.

The Falcons go on the road for their first conference match of the season next Tuesday against Citrus College.

—MUHAMMAD AMIN

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