

# Talon Marks

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## Another Threat Received

By AMARA AGUILAR  
TM Editor in Chief

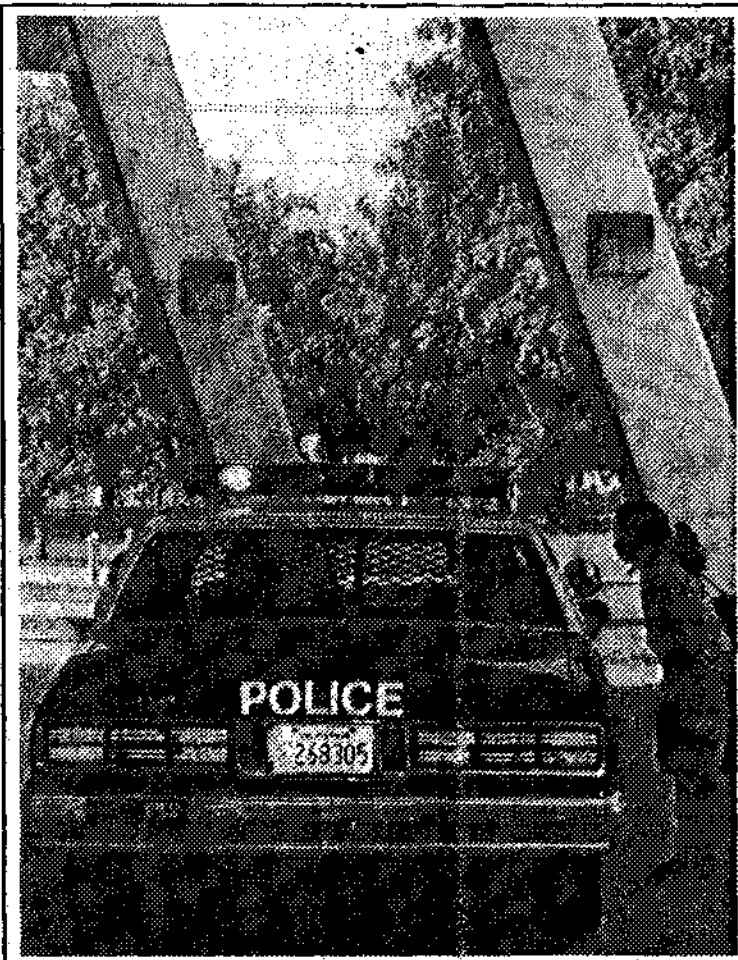
You got about 10 minutes before the Physical Science Building blows up," a man, whose call was transferred from somewhere on campus, told a campus police dispatcher Oct. 9.

It was the fourth bomb threat called in to Cerritos College in three weeks.

Cerritos College President Fred Gaskin said the last two threats have been "sort of copycat situations."

"I seriously hope people would stop disrupting the operation of the campus. It's our responsibility to make sure we maintain a safe environment so we have to take them all seriously," Gaskin said.

The most recent call, made at  
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Police respond to the bomb threat made Oct. 9. Students evacuated the Physical Science Building.

## Bookstore Manager Still on Paid Leave

By AMARA AGUILAR  
TM Editor in Chief

Bookstore manager Alan Beaulieu said he hasn't done anything illegal in the past 20 years, not even a traffic violation.

Despite his claim, Beaulieu remains on paid administrative leave while an investigation into financial matters of the Bookstore continues.

A statistical inventory was supposed to be taken Oct. 5-6, but "the current management is so convinced we need to do a complete inventory that we didn't do that statistical inventory," Cerritos College President Fred Gaskin said.

The complete inventory will be done sometime in November.

Beaulieu also said he hasn't been told why he was put on leave. The only thing he said he received was a letter from Gaskin dated Sept. 11. The letter stated Beaulieu would be put on paid administrative leave

effective immediately and was not to return to the workplace until told to do so.

Gaskin did not comment on the administration's communication with Beaulieu.

Beaulieu would not comment on a 1995 audit that showed reported revenue overexpenditures of approximately \$147,000 because he alleges he never saw the audit.

Gaskin said seeing an audit would be the normal course of Beaulieu's job. "I would think he would be very interested in it," Gaskin said.

As it turned out, the \$147,000 was reduced by outstanding purchase requisitions to about \$30,000, Gaskin said.

Beaulieu also alleges he never priced books.

Gaskin said Beaulieu's job includes pricing books.

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## Seven Candidates Elected to Court

By JENNIFER KHO  
TM Feature Editor

A record of 22 women sponsored by different clubs ran for the seven homecoming court positions.

The members, who were introduced Oct. 15, are Patricia Cardenas, Marbella Canales, Stacy Davis, Wondee Kantathavorn, Regina Duhe, Annabel Jimenez and Rowena Mendoza.

These court members will run for the title of homecoming queen Oct. 23- Oct. 24. The queen will be crowned Oct. 26.

There will be a mock rally Oct. 17 in the Student Center at 11 a.m.

Twenty homecoming floats are being built Oct. 21-25 in the stadium. All students are welcome to help.

The float awards will be presented at a luncheon Oct. 26.



EMILY MADEWELL/Talon Marks

Candidates from left: Patricia Cardenas, Marbella Canales, Stacy Davis, Wondee Kantathavorn, Regina Duhe, Annabel Jimenez, Rowena Mendoza.

## Transfer Week in Progress

By DIANA WEBSTER  
TM Staff Writer

Cerritos College is currently in the midst of Transfer Awareness Week, four days of activities aimed at encouraging students to make that next step to a four-year university.

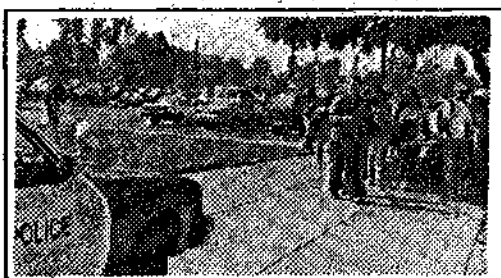
Counselors have been promoting their own alma maters by wearing hats, t-shirts, or other types of clothing bearing the name of the schools they graduated from.

Although Cerritos has representatives from different colleges and universities on campus every week, this is the first time that a full week of activities and workshops have been planned. All of the workshops are being taught by counsel-

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• Millicent Collinsworth speaks at the Women's Conference, Oct. 5.

#### SPORTS 6



• Corey Kelley sustains an injury at the Oct. 12 football game against LBCC.

## POLICE BEAT

## • MONDAY, OCT. 7

At 3:50 p.m. an officer responded to the auto technology building to investigate a petty theft. An instructor reported that someone had entered his office and removed \$120 cash from the wallet in his desk. (96-1010)

## • TUESDAY, OCT. 8

At 4:49 p.m. an officer responded to the administration building counseling offices to investigate a petty theft. A counselor reported that someone had entered the counseling area and removed his wallet which contained miscellaneous items and \$42 cash. (96-1011)

## • WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9

At 12:17 p.m. officers responded to the physical science building due to a reported bomb threat. The physical science building was evacuated and searched. No bomb was located

and classes resumed at 1 p.m. (96-1013)

## • THURSDAY, OCT. 10

At 9 p.m. officers conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for running a stop sign on Falcon Way. A record check was conducted and a \$13,000 arrest warrant for spousal abuse was revealed. The suspect was transported and booked with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, Norwalk Station. (96-1014)

## • FRIDAY, OCT. 11

At 2:45 an officer responded to the Cerritos College Police Department to investigate a reported grand theft auto. A student stated that someone had stolen her yellow 1983 Toyota Corolla. A report was taken and filed with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, Norwalk Station. (96-1015)

-- Compiled by SANDY BARRON



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KCEB gave out CD's, tapes and stickers with the help of Power 106's Maniac. Its next promotional event is scheduled for Nov. 5 from 11 a.m. to noon in the quad.

## Cerritos Wins Big at JACC

By NANCY BALLARD  
TM Technical Advisor

Competing against nearly 400 students from 32 colleges, *Talon Marks* garnered an impressive array of awards at Saturday's Journalism Association of Community College's Conference held at Cal State Northridge.

The Cerritos College newspaper took fourth place in the highest possible category, General Excellence.

This was just one of the 13 awards Cerritos journalists gathered at the annual fall conference.

The awards were divided into two groups. The mail-in category consisted of entries which had been published in *Talon Marks* and *Wings*. On-the-spot contests required students to write under strict time frames and guidelines.

Chief Photographer Fausto Ramos took a prestigious Second place in the on-the-spot Feature Photo category with his picture of a

CSUN building that was constructed after the Northridge earthquake.

TM Editor in Chief Amara Aguilar took Third place in the mail-in category for a Sports News story about a controversial baseball ruling.

Sports Editor James Reynosa walked off with three mail-in awards and one on-the-spot award. He took Second place in column writing and won Third for his Sports Feature story about a basketball player dealing with death. He also earned an Honorable Mention for a magazine column on religion in his life.

His on-the-spot Honorable Mention was earned for a sports story about an upcoming football game.

New staff member and Feature Editor Jennifer Kho competed in Feature writing and earned an Honorable Mention for her story about a Cal State Northridge anthropology instructor.

Another newcomer, Entertainment

Editor David Coutant, won an impressive Honorable Mention in Critical Review for his critique of a 24-minute film.

The many awards were especially outstanding for this particular group of students because most of the On-the-Spot competitors were relatively new to the staff.

Other mail-in awards included a Fourth place award in Critical Review for Gary Mecija and an Honorable Mention in the same category for Gabriel Villarreal. Jonathan Martinez earned an Honorable Mention in Editorial cartooning, and Villarreal took an Honorable Mention in Editorial writing.

The conference featured workshops and seminars. The keynote speaker was six-time Emmy Award winner Roy Firestone, called by *Sports Illustrated* "the best interviewer in America."

The next major competition for student journalists is the state conference in April.

## Fees Stir Debate

By DAVID FEENSTRA  
TM Staff Writer

A heated debate on a possible fee for credit by exam classes broke out at the Oct. 2 Board of Trustees meeting.

The faculty senate favored the fees, hoping to purchase new teaching materials.

The student senate was strongly opposed to the new fee proposal.

Student Trustee Wayne Nunnery openly scoffed at the notion of forcing students to pay for credit by exam classes.

Nunnery claims this system "would be discriminatory toward our ethnic and foreign students by punishing them for knowledge they already have."

Defending the program was Pinder and a handful of faculty

members in the audience.

The various teachers spoke about the hassles caused by students applying for credit by exam — going through the process until the test, failing to show up on test day, and generally wasting the teacher's time and effort.

College President Fred Gaskin said, "The money raised by these fees couldn't run the school for ten minutes which is why I can't understand why we have been discussing this issue for over thirty minutes."

The Board then asked Dr. Serafin Zasueta, Vice President of Academic Affairs, to research the number of credit by exam applicants versus the number of tests taken.

The subject will be addressed again at the Nov. 24 meeting.

## BOMB: Police, GTE Look Into Threats

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12:17 p.m., Oct. 9, prompted campus police and the Disaster Preparedness Team to immediately evacuate the Physical Science Building.

"The first time [there was a bomb threat] I thought it was a drill. It was more organized. This time there were police at the door and the teacher came running in and said, 'Everybody out!' This time I thought, 'Oh my God, something

must really be the matter,'" student Lisa Stribling said.

A visual search of the building was conducted and no unusual packages or devices were found.

Campus Police Chief Louie Kemp ordered the building remain closed until 1 p.m., when students were allowed to go back to class.

An investigation into the bomb threats is still ongoing.

"People shouldn't let their guard down just because there's been so

many. People tend to do that and... it might not be the same person. Not only that it could be somebody who has been watching this—seen reaction, feels people have let their guard down—and then takes action upon it," student Sarah Peralta said.

GTE security is working with campus police in the investigation to "identify the numbers from which the calls are made. . . . Right now we're sort of boxing ghosts," Gaskin said.

## BOOKSTORE: Investigation Continues

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the duties of a director of the college enterprise (Bookstore manager) are to develop and forecast costs and implement plans and activities for the College Enterprise designed to maintain and improve Enterprise operations as reflected by increased revenues, customer satisfaction and general reputation.

Beaulieu owns another bookstore, Varsity Bookstore in Azusa.

He said he received approval from Walter Magnuson, the former

Vice President of Business Services.

Beaulieu said before he opened Varsity Bookstore he and Magnuson agreed there would not be a conflict of interest because the bookstores weren't in the same retail sphere of interest or they weren't close enough to each other to be a conflict of interest.

Gaskin said Beaulieu did not receive approval from Magnuson to open another bookstore while he was manager at Cerritos.

Beaulieu also said he never moved inventory from the bookstore to an inappropriate location. Gaskin would not comment on the matter.

Beaulieu denies that he transferred funds from one account to another at Cerritos College.

Beaulieu also said reports of a \$250,000 deficit are totally false.

Gaskin agreed. Six months later, Gaskin said a subse-

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### NEWS BRIEFS

#### FACULTY SENATE

##### Scholar's Honor Program Proposed

Biology professor Dr. John Boyle introduced the concept of having a Cerritos College honors program at the Oct. 1 faculty senate meeting.

According to the proposal, acceptance in the Scholars' Honor Program require students to have a minimum 3.25 G.P.A. in high school course work or in at least 12 units of transfer level college course work.

Benefits for Scholars' Honors Program students were then outlined by Boyle. They included priority registration for all Cerritos College classes, priority admission at the junior level to a selection of four-year colleges and universities, etc.

#### STUDENT SENATE

##### Proposed Fee Opposed for Credit by Exam

The senator's opposition to a recent \$13 per unit fee raise for credit by exam courses by Faculty Senate was the major issue of the student senate meeting.

"We go to Governor Pete Wilson so we don't get our fees raised, and here they are raising fees for students," said ASCC President Wayne Nunnery.

About 46 students will be affected by this new fee. The student government voted unanimously against this measure.

"Students have equal rights to give their opinions so that the Board of Trustees can make a rational decision," Nunnery said.

The credit by exam fee hike is expected to be resolved during the Oct. 24 Board of Trustees meeting.



## EDITORIAL

### Vote for Honesty

Once again a group of women are pursuing the coveted title of homecoming queen at Cerritos College.

It is evident beauty is a relative and complex concept. For this reason in competitions of such nature, the winner is not selected on this alone.

Other characteristics such as cleverness, sympathy and knowledge (a good campaign would help also, chocolates, candies, etc.) also aid in the selection.

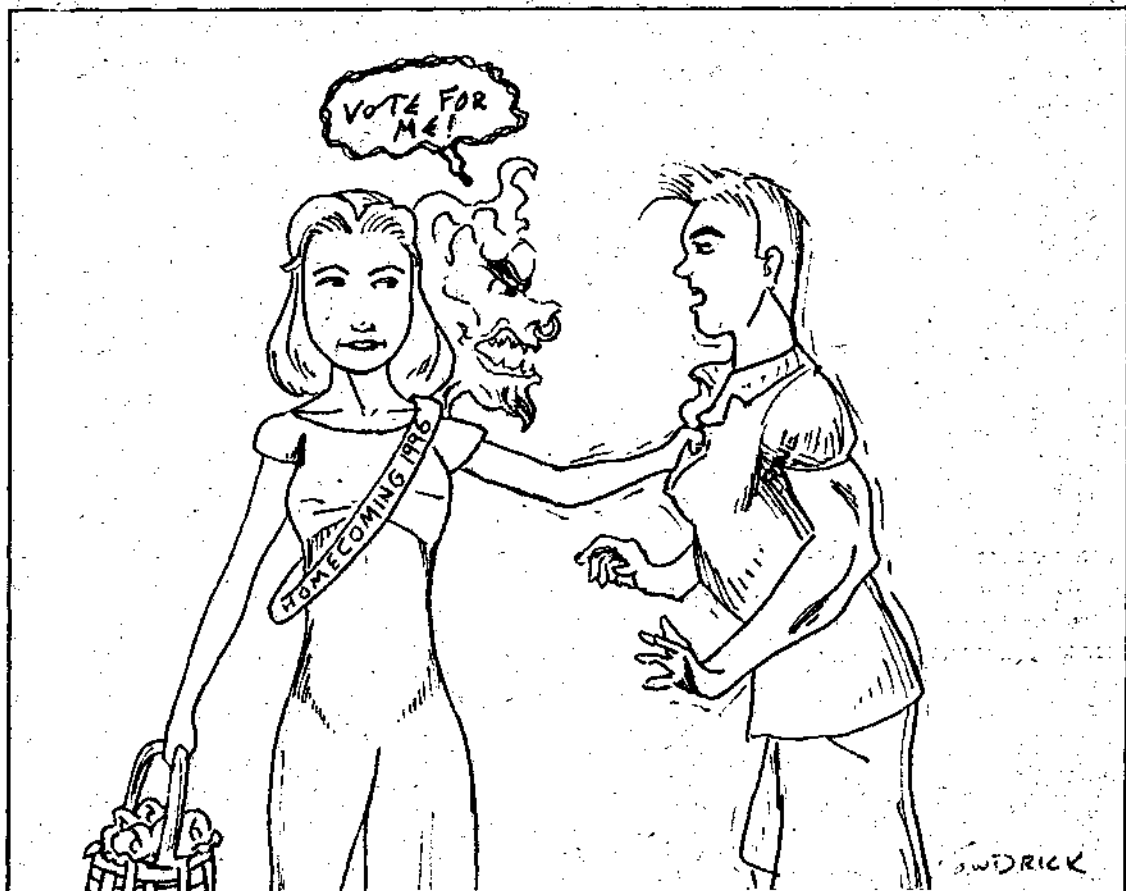
All these attributes are supposedly evaluated by the students before electing the homecoming queen.

However, that is not true. Many of the students who vote usually are friends of the candidate or members of the club that is sponsoring her.

During today and tomorrow many people will most likely receive more than two dozen pieces of chocolate, two boxes of candy, several cookies, and about 500 pounds of flyers trying to literally buy their votes.

Everytime the homecoming queen candidates are questioned about their plans to improve the school, they will answer the same, "Well there are several things ... Blah, Blah, Blah."

Voting for the candidate who is the most honest about her intentions is probably the best way to go.



## ATMs May No Longer be an Option at Night

By DAVE COWDRICK  
TM Opinion Editor

Because of the robberies and deaths of people using ATMs all of the machines may soon be closed after dark.

Imagine you're attending an evening class. There's going to be a big test and you don't have any scantrons or money.

You don't have a check book or any credit cards so you rush over to the ATM on campus and as the sun goes down, the machine goes off. Now you have no way of getting those precious scantrons until the sun comes up.

Of course you could always go back to class and borrow a scantron from a fellow classmate, but what if you also needed a pencil and

wanted to get some food after class? Or what if your car breaks down that night and you need money to have it towed?

Your classmate might save the day with the scantron and the pencil, but after that you're probably going to be on your own.

Closing ATMs after dark would be an inconvenience for people whose only access to "quick cash" is through ATMs. These people would be virtually helpless if the need for money suddenly arose after dark.

There are a lot of places that accept payment through ATMs but you won't find many of them on campus.

Getting by off campus probably wouldn't be too difficult but some people spend their whole evenings

at school and don't have any time to withdraw any money before the sun goes down.

**"The purpose of ATMs is to get money after banks close."**

Because it's October the nights will be coming earlier soon and this would add to the problem.

The purpose of ATMs is to get money after banks close. If the banks close at the same time then what will be the point of having ATMs at all?

Let's face it, sometimes there are those occasions where we need money right then and there. ATM's provide a quick and easy way for us to get that money.

ATMs are a little risky especially at night, but what isn't? Pretty soon we're not going to be allowed to carry our wallets around with us because of the risk of getting mugged.

This seems ridiculous but that's what it comes down to.

Common sense tells you to always check the environment where ATMs are located and that you should never go to one alone.

If it seems safe, use it and have a friend watch your back for you.

If people are willing to take the risk of using ATMs then they should be allowed to do so. This

isn't something that should be policed by the authorities or bank officials.

### HOW TO WRITE TO US

Talon Marks welcomes expressions of all views. Letters should be brief and are subject to editing for content and space. They must include name and student number. Letters can be delivered in person to room AC 42, mailed, or faxed.

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Norwalk, CA 90650  
Att. Talon Marks

By Fax: (310) 467-5005

## The Places That Life Can Take You...

By DAVID DM COUTANT  
TM Entertainment Editor

How is it that we decide what we are going to do with our lives?

I decided to take journalism. Why? What mysterious force drives us toward a particular course of study? We know, hopefully, that we need an education, but what kind?

Last semester I wanted to be a scientist. I took astronomy with Larry Adkins.

The semester before that, I was taking theater at Riverside College. I worked spotlights for "42nd Street." It starred Scott Westmoreland who is best known

for his role in "Slumber Party Massacre II."

The semester before that, who knows. It was photography or radio or some such non-sequitor.

So, it's so much simpler than it seems, really. What do we loathe the least? Let's see, I HATED my acting class at Pasadena, even though my scene partner was the brother of the guy who played the mute in "Nightmare on Elm Street."

I liked photo until Norm Abbey took over. He was my DAD's photo teacher, for god's sake.

Sure, I liked college, but WHY did I like it? Because I was bettering myself? Oh, sure. Late nights of finding the tape of "Airtalk" wasn't

there, so I played a Buddy Rich special instead. That helped.

Then there was the passing out from exhaustion on a bed in the "little theater" during the last three hours of my master control shift.

Oh, I know. It was the time I sabotaged the re-broadcast of an earlier show to dedicate "Visiting the Zoo" by Dramarama to my brother who was going through a nasty break-up at the time.

Or maybe it was when RCC busted me for bringing a 12-pack of Budweiser up into the spotlight booth with my friend the semi-pro basketball star.

My luxurious career here at Cerritos has thus far included being

denounced and ridiculed by my instructor and "advisor" because I'm an arrogant son-of-a-so-and-so, topping my class at JPL field trips and first-rate butt-kissing, and winning the hearts and admiration of those around me for my breath-taking display of humility and fabulousness.

So what makes me so sure of what I want to do with the rest of my life? Come on. I don't know what the hell I'm doing, and it's not likely that I'm going to figure it out in the next four years, so I'll just take a backseat to those closet geniuses my name appears next to and try again in spring. Wish me luck, 'cause I'm gonna need it.

## LETTERS

### Parking Permit Doesn't Necessarily Guarantee Safety for Your Car

Do you feel safe when you park your car across the street at Lucky's? Of course not. That's why every semester you pay good money for a parking pass.

Do you feel safe parking your car in the school parking lot? Why not? There's always campus security.

I parked my car on the edge of the parking lot so it would be visible. After fifteen minutes on campus I walked back to the parking lot and got closer to where I parked. I couldn't see my Blazer.

After ten minutes of waiting I saw a campus policeman approaching. He called his higher being, and

he came by and drove me to the police station to file my report.

Three days later, I received a call and went to pick up my car from the towing company. I had to pay \$175 to get my car out and then find that my stereo and speakers were gone.

This letter is just the beginning

of a long story which will unravel as I try to get Cerritos College to acknowledge they're at fault and reimburse me for my losses. If you have a car, write to your school before you become a statistic. Know your rights.

Felix Martiz, Student

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## Mysterious Million Dollar Blue Thing Lurks in Lot C9

By DAVID KLIX  
TM Managing Editor

Just what is that thing in the parking lot behind the Arts and Crafts department?

It's big, oddly shaped, and covered by a big, blue tarp so no one can get at it.

It is seen by hundreds of students every day as they walk to and from the parking lot. Some point at it, others just scratch their heads and shrug their shoulders.

Lauren Estes (student) thinks it's just a big pipe that they don't want anyone to see.

Juan Renteria (student) thinks it might be a big propane tank.

Nick Espinoza (student) thinks it's a greenhouse that they uncover once in a while to let the sun in.

Actually the big blue thing is a model of a space station. The million dollar model was donated to Cerritos College by Rockwell International of Downey (now

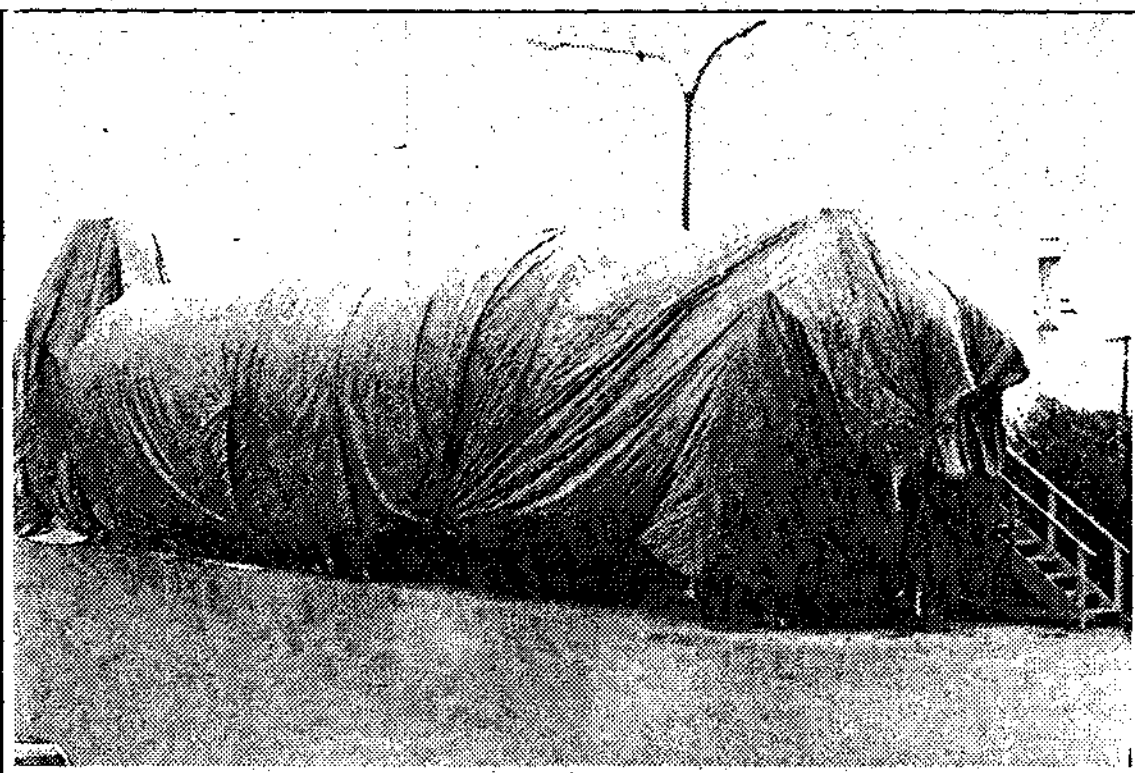
Rocketdyne) in October 1995 as part of the college's 40th celebration.

The station is 45 feet long and weighs several tons. It is joined together by four separate pieces with a long, cylindrical piece in the center, a viewing tower at one end and a ball shaped module at the other.

After a big ribbon cutting ceremony and some guided tours, the space station, made of wood and fiberglass, was covered to keep the rain and other weather destroying elements off it.

Original plans were to use the station as part of the curriculum for the Science, Engineering and Mathematics Division, as well as conducting kindergarten through 12th grade student tours.

Norman Fujimoto, dean of science and mathematics, would like to see a center built for science and space technology studies with the space station as the center of it.



TOM HERNANDEZ/Talon Marks  
A million dollar model of a space station was donated to Cerritos College by Rockwell International of Downey in 1995. It was covered to protect it from the destructive elements.

## Women's Conference Emotional

By EMILY MADEWELL  
TM Staff Writer

In an audience composed of mostly women, Millicent Collinsworth moved many of them to tears at the Women In Action: Common Ground conference.

Collinsworth, an accomplished actress, author and motivational speaker is the first blind self-defense instructor in the United States. She is also the founder and president of Project Blind Ambition, a non-profit self-defense organization for the visually impaired.

She spoke emotionally of all the strong, courageous women in her family and she told a beautiful story of her Southern roots.

The family would gather every Saturday afternoon to make quilts. The oldest woman in the family would sew a flaw into the quilt to show that "God could only create perfection."

Patt Morrison, the Pulitzer Prize winning author, was the keynote speaker.

Morrison spoke of the strides that women have made in the workforce, and those that are still left to be made. She told many stories of how the world has placed her into situations where she had to take a stand to get respect as an equal.

There were 10 different workshops at the conference. One of them was offered by Dr. Gerda G. Steele, who spoke about the "Art of Power Plays." Her workshop was directed at how to gain power in all areas of your life.

Another workshop held was "Juggling 101." Rose Anna Hines, a business owner, discussed intelligent ways to organize time.

The conference was sponsored by Women's Leadership Network-Eastside and the Cerritos College Re-entry Center. Alpha Gamma Sigma supplied the decorations, servers and escorts.

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## MOVIE REVIEW

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The Ducks celebrate a victory on ice in Walt Disney's new comedy "D3: The Mighty Ducks."

## Dueling Ducks Do it Again

By CRISTINA HERNANDEZ  
TM Editorial Editor

The Mighty Ducks are back and they are mightier than ever.

Walt Disney Pictures presents, "D3: The Mighty Ducks," directed by Robert Lieberman, screenplay by Steven Brill and Jim Burnstein, produced by Jordan Kerner and Jon Aunet.

This new action/comedy is the third one in a series of new family favorites.

This time around, the team has a new school and a new coach. However, some things remain as they face off against a varsity team made up of tough hockey players who are

determined to melt the Ducks' winning streak.

After winning the Junior Goodwill Games in "D2: The Mighty Ducks," the young hockey champions accept athletic scholarships from the exclusive Eden Hall Academy.

Suddenly, the Ducks' coach Gordon Bombay (Emilio Estevez) has to accept another job and when he doesn't accompany the team to their new school the Ducks feel abandoned.

Adjusting to the pressure of being at a new school and reporting to Coach Orion (Jeffrey Nordling), a tough former pro, are just the beginning of the Ducks' problems.

Later on they face the greatest problem of growing up when, as a new team, they try to keep the Duck spirit alive.

As always there is confusion, chaos and comedy in trying to win the rest of the school's respect.

The movie is really funny and the acting is great. However, it is almost impossible to criticize the plot because there is not a plot to criticize.

Nevertheless, the movie is well directed and full of enjoyable scenes.

It is a good movie if you want to enjoy light humor and action. Hundreds of quacks to the Mighty Ducks, a great movie.

## FALL CONCERT

### Community Band Plays Mozart, Mendelssohn

The Cerritos College Music Department presents a fall concert at the Burnight Theatre on Wednesday, Oct. 16 at 7:30 p.m.

The concert will feature the Cerritos Community Choir, Pop Choir and Concert Band, and will include music by Mozart, Mendelssohn and Offenbach. Admission is free.

## CLASSICAL GUITAR

### Music Instructor Performs at Cal Poly Pomona

Cal Poly Pomona will host a night of classical music Oct. 17 at 8 p.m. The Music Department recital hall welcomes the Elgart/Yates Guitar Duo.

Dr. Matthew Elgart is an ASCAP-award-winning composer and an adjunct music instructor here at Cerritos.

Admission is \$7 at the door or \$5 with student I.D.

## SPANISH SOPRANO

### Cerritos Instructor Offers an Evening of Song

Soprano Rhonda Dillon, a voice instructor at Cerritos, will perform Spanish music at the Burnight Theatre on Saturday, Oct. 19 at 8 p.m.

Piano accompaniment will be provided by Dr. Christine Lopez.

Admission is \$10.

## DIRECT FROM RUSSIA

### Triumphant Return of the Brilliant Boy's Choir

The Moscow Boys Choir, on their second North American tour, will perform at the Burnight Theatre on Friday, Oct. 25 at 7:30 p.m. Ms. Ninel Kamburg, who has guided the Choir since 1966, directs.

Their latest compact disc will be available at the performance.

Admission is \$10.

## CERRITOS JAZZ

### College Ensemble Appears at Burnight

The Cerritos College Jazz Ensemble will get the Burnight Theatre swinging on Oct. 30 at 7:30 p.m. That's the Wednesday before Halloween, so don't be surprised if you see some kooky-looking cats jazzing to the beat. Dr. Christine Lopez conducts.

The cost is \$8 with CCID.

## CD REVIEW

## Enter the House Nation with 'Humpty' Vission

By VICTOR JUAN  
TM Staff Writer

It is the dedication to bringing the best house music from around the world to Los Angeles that makes Richard "Humpty" Vission the godfather of house music.

House Nation, the second CD release from Vission, reveals that this 27-year-old Mexican-African-Dutch-born-Canadian inspires the house music scene.

Vission has been mixing since

high school. His first job in Los Angeles was with KDAY, which no longer exists. He is currently a mixer for Power 106 in which he grabs hold of 2 million listeners.

Vission also hosts the #1 rated underground radio show in Los Angeles on Saturday nights, "Powertools." He has also spent the past seven years mixing at some of Los Angeles' biggest nightclubs including his residence spots, The Dome at Florentine Gardens Hollywood and Diva at the Safari Bar

in West Covina.

Vission produces his own records. House Nation includes many of his Vission and Lorimer mixes including "Superstar" by Channfarm, "Devotion" by Devone and "Captain of the Ship" by Ratpack. His #1 remixed song, "The Feeling" by Sugar, can be heard on his first CD "This Is My House."

House Nation is a CD that will definitely pump up your adrenaline and get that party started quickly.

There are bits and pieces added in the mix with many of the top dance tracks.

It's a must for all the party people in the world and for your collection of CDs remixed by one of the best mixers of all time.

Vission puts his knowledge and thoughts in what House Nation really means:

"There lives a new nation, the House Nation, we are a borderless nation, we are based on premises of breaking boundaries, House Na-

tion exists in the name of the search for truth, harmony, and seeing the beauty in everything in and around us.

"House Nation is multicultural, multiethnic, multilingual and multiplying beats per second. We pray while we dance, clap our hands and blow our whistles, sweating out the negativity, mixing it up with newer, bolder beats and rhythms designed to help us learn to love each other, ourselves, and be willing to take a stand. Welcome to House Nation."

## MOVIE REVIEW

## Two Hours at the Movies

By DAVE COWDRICK  
TM Opinion Editor

What do you get when you mix a wanna-be homicide detective, a redneck cop, an ex-Olympic athlete, a time-conscious killer and an Italian mobster with compassion? Well, you don't get another "Pulp Fiction," that's for sure.

"Two Days in the Valley" takes a dark episodic look at a group of people whose lives tie in together just by chance. It's like a soap opera

on a big screen.

The film stars Danny Aiello, Jeff Daniels, Teri Hatcher, James Spader and Eric Stoltz. There's a lot of talent in the movie but there's just something lacking in the storyline—possibly unity. It seems like there's a little bit of a stretch to bring all of the stories together.

Aiello delivers the best performance of the movie. His character, Dosmo, the boisterous yet personable mobster, provides the levity of the otherwise melodramatic movie.

Spader, who plays the neurotic killer Lee, seems to step into his character a little too much. Can you say overkill?

Hatcher gets points for not having to be rescued by anyone in blue tights and a cape.

I'd say it would be best to wait for "Two Days in the Valley" to come out on video, possibly with a director's cut. Then you'd be getting more without paying as much and you won't feel as cheated in the end.

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# Ex-Falcon Takes out Kelley, Decides Game

By JIM REYNOSA  
TM Sports Editor

Revenge is a dish best served cold.

So when Scott Thomas, former Cerritos and current starting Long Beach City linebacker, made two huge plays that decided Long Beach's 24-17 victory over Cerritos, he walked away from the field complitly stuffed.

Late in the fourth quarter, with the Falcons driving for the go ahead touchdown, Thomas made a tackle on Cerritos runningback Corey Kelley for a two-yard loss. But more importantly, during the play Kelley was injured and was out for the remainder of the game.

On the very next play Thomas drops back into coverage and intercepts a Matthew Sorensen pass on the Viking 14-yard line.

With the turnover, LBCC used a 15 play 76-yard touchdown drive that took almost eight minutes off the clock and also took away any hopes of Cerritos going through the season undefeated.

After the game, on a crisp cold October night, Scott Thomas was showing a very warm smile. "I couldn't have drawn it up any better than that. I just wanted to make some plays tonight," said Thomas.

Early in the game the Falcons looked like they were in control. With Corey Kelley returning a kick-



Cerritos trainers attend to injured Falcon running back Corey Kelley during the Falcons 24-17 loss to Long Beach City Saturday night. Kelley would miss the remainder of the game.

off 95 yards for a touchdown and Falcon linebacker Don Sams picking up a fumble on the Viking three-yard line. Kelley would run a 5-yard sweep for a touchdown. The game looked like it was going to be a Cerritos blow-out.

But, when the Falcons walked away at halftime with only a 17-10 lead, everyone figured it was going to come down to the final quarter

and who would make the last big play.

"By halftime, I knew we out played them, but we just didn't put them away. Long Beach is too good to let them stay close," said Cerritos Head Coach Frank Mazzotta.

The game was billed as a test of strengths. Long Beach with the best run defense and Cerritos with the best run offense. But out of the

equation was Falcon quarterback Gary Thomas.

A point not missed by Mazzotta. "Coming in I knew that we didn't have a quarterback that could win us the big game. Gary is an average quarterback that won't lose the game for you. When you're playing a very good team, like a Long Beach, you need everyone to produce," said Mazzotta.

At the end of the game, the Vikings had 365 yards passing, while Cerritos had an anemic 46 yards.

Long Beach countered the Falcon rushing attack by putting eight or nine players close to the line of scrimmage. Forcing Cerritos to try and beat them with the pass.

"I was surprised they didn't throw more," said Long Beach Head Coach Larry Reisbig. "We wanted to see if they would and when they didn't we just fell back into a zone."

After the game Mazzotta summed up what the loss means for the rest of the Falcon season. These guys have to realize that the four teams we beat are nothing like the remaining teams we're going to play. They're going to see speed and strength like never before. Going through the season undefeated is almost impossible. Now we just have to lick our wounds and prepare for Mt. SAC."

At the end of the game, with people either consoling or congratulating, Coach Reisbig walked over to Scott Thomas and said, "You know, this is why you work so hard in the summer. To get ready for tonight."

"I know, but it doesn't feel the same," said Thomas. And while everyone was cheering on the Long Beach side, Scott Thomas walked alone to the visitors room.

## Cerritos Hits Detour, Long Road Ahead

By JIM REYNOSA  
TM Sports Editor

When Cerritos started with a 4-0 record, some were talking about the possibility of going undefeated, maybe even winning a national championship.

Hell, even I had visions of grandeur.

But, we all suffered from premature jocularly.

With the 24-17 loss to Long Beach City last Saturday night, Cerritos not only took a detour on their road to a championship, but also took a back seat to Long Beach in the Mission Conference race.

The good news is that Cerritos' remaining schedule is loaded with talent. So that if they win, they'll warrant a significant bowl bid in December.

The bad news is that Cerritos' remaining schedule is loaded with talent. They have Mt. SAC, Pasadena and El Camino ahead of them.

If the Falcons are to have any chance, they must develop a passing game. What Long Beach showed everyone is that if you put eight, even nine guys up tight, the Falcons won't try to throw the ball,

even if there's no way the offensive line can block them all. Against Long Beach the Falcons rushed for only 98 yards.

Expect other teams to follow suit.

Coach Mazzotta should remember that patience is a virtue. And he shouldn't play musical quarterback with Gary Thomas and Matthew Sorensen. He has to stick with one of them. He can't continue pulling them out when one of them makes a mistake. With that kind of quarterback policy, Thomas might become afraid to even try to make the big play, in fear of getting the hook!

And if Mazzotta is going to go with freshman Matthew Sorensen then better stay with him, and not get so angry when he makes as Mazzotta says, "Stupid freshman mistakes!"

Coach, he is a freshman! For the first time this year the defense played well enough to win, but against LBCC, it was the offense that let them down.

But don't panic. There's still a lot of football to play. And anything can happen. Maybe another loss.

Maybe even a title.

### Homecoming Game

This year's Homecoming Game against Riverside is scheduled to be played on Oct. 26, at 7 p.m.

Riverside will showcase a quick defense and a strong offense to try and combat Cerritos'

league leading rushing attack.

The queen crowning ceremony, float showcase, and a fireworks display will take place at halftime.

A dance will be held in the Student Center after the game.

### Cerritos College Football Schedule

DATE	DAY	TIME	OPPONENT	LOCATION
Oct. 19	Sat.	7 p.m.	Mt. San Antonio	Mt. SAC
Oct. 26	Sat.	7 p.m.	Riverside (Homecoming)	CERRITOS
Nov. 2	Sat.	6 p.m.	Pasadena	Pasadena
Nov. 9	Sat.	BYE		
Nov. 16	Sat.	7 p.m.	El Camino	El Camino
Nov. 23	Sat.	7 p.m.	San Diego Mesa	CERRITOS

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# Offense Pounds Net, 9-0

By DAVID FEENSTRA  
TM Staff Writer

Cerritos College women's soccer team scored early and often in their 9-0 drubbing of San Bernardino Valley.

The win takes the much improved Lady Falcons record to 5-2 in the South Coast Conference, 5-4 overall.

They hope to continue their recent success when they travel to Long Beach City, Friday, Oct. 18.

Their success was two-fold, with a dominating offense that consistently pressed the attack, and a punishing defense which allowed very few opportunities.

Co-Captain Kelly Walker, and Yvette Lira both scored twice spearheading a balanced attack in which seven Lady Falcons lit up the net.

Spurred on by Walker's two first half goals, Cerritos jumped out on top, Alyson Powell, and Kristy Lira also scored to put the Lady Falcons on top 4-0 at half-time.

After intermission Cerritos continued to put on an offensive clinic punishing San Bernardino's beleaguered defense with a constant barrage of long passes and near break-aways.

The offensive onslaught massacred the already fatigued San Bernardino defense.

The Lady Falcons offense came in waves rushing through the demoralized San Bernardino defense for easy shot attempts.



TOM HERNANDEZ/Talon Marks

Amy Lindborg scored a goal in Cerritos', 9-0, win yesterday.

Co-Captain Amy Lindborg along with teammates, Dana Cervantes, and Yvette Lira scored early in the second half.

Women's head soccer coach Debbie Jenson pulled out one of her own players after they gained a comfortable lead.

With the team ahead, 7-0, Jenson

let the team play short handed, trying to keep her players from running up the score.

Adding insult to injury the short-handed Lady Falcons were still too much for hapless San Bernardino, adding a pair of goals late in the half by Yvette Lira and Charisse Givens to put the game out of reach.

## Hurting But Still Winning

By FAUSTO RAMOS  
TM Staff Writer

All sports teams encounter some sort of injuries.

This is getting out of hand.

The lady Falcon's volleyball team lost co-captain Robin Miller last week with a lower leg injury.

However the injury bug has not kept Cerritos from winning. The Falcons picked up two more wins last week defeating both Santa Monica College and El Camino.

Even though Cerritos did defeat Santa Monica in a non-conference

tight-rope match (15-5, 15-12, 16-14), Falcons Head Coach Jeanine Prindle was much more impressed with the end results of their match-up against El Camino. "I think we played better than we did Wednesday night," said Prindle. "We looked more efficient offensively and I think we made less errors than we did in the Wednesday night match."

Coming out really strong for the Falcons was outside hitter Allison Carey with 18 kills last Friday against El Camino. Carey's response to her performance is to

remember to have fun, but also earn the team's trust. "If I get sets, my setter has that trust in me that I'm going to put that ball down," said Carey.

Overall, Prindle feels the team has been playing very effectively and efficiently. "Our passing and defense has been really good for most of our key people in the back," said Prindle.

The Falcons are on the road tonight to face East Los Angeles and according to Coach Prindle the key to their winning in to eliminate errors and play some good defense.

### SPORTS BRIEFS

#### CROSS COUNTRY

##### Southern Cal Championship in Three Weeks

The Southern California Championship is just around the corner and the Cerritos Cross Country team just may be a contender.

Last Saturday, the Falcons took on a course at the Irvine Invitational as the men's and women's team came in 13th and 14th respectively.

Coming in first for the men was Manuel Ayala with a time of 22:39 while Gumer Arroyo followed shortly after at 22:43.

About a minute later, Mike Cowdrey crossed the finish line at 23:10. Finishing fourth for the Falcons was Javier Flores with a time of 23:17 and fifth was Mario Casas at 23:27.

Other Falcon runners who finished the course were Ed Chavez (23:55) and Mike Bowers (24:52).

On the women's side Yvette Guerrero and Patty Rodriguez set the pace. Guerrero was the first Falcon woman to cross the finish line at 22:04 while Rodriguez crossed the line at 23:04. Shortly after Rodriguez was Adela Ortiz finishing at 23:08.

Kim Thomer (24:16) and Elisabeth Kimble (24:36) were also among the top five finishers for the Lady Falcons. The remainder of the runners who finished were Erika Mejia (25:02), Mirna Mendoza (25:29), Tiffany Baker (29:45), and Sara Robino (30:33) finished it off.

#### WRESTLING

##### Team Faces Rancho Santiago Tonight

Falcon wrestling bounces back after their season opening loss to Palomar defeating Mt. Sac, 25-21, with hopes of making it two straight victories tonight against Ranch Santiago.

Aaron Griffin (118 lbs), Gabriel Ochoa (150), Joshua Lewis (177), and heavy weight Todd Wolfson all recorded pins last week.

Also contributing to the victory were Scott Rojo (190), returning starter Juan Alvarez (158), and Paul Fonesca (142). Rojo won in overtime, while Fonesca, and Alvarez outscored their opponents by a combined 23-8.

Coach Jeff Smith said his team is beginning to come together after some early season injuries.

These injuries work into Smith's master plan, allowing him to give all his players some experience. By allowing everyone to get some playing time early in the season, Smith hopes the extra competition will help them overcome any later injury problems that would normally cripple championship dreams.

#### WATER POLO

##### Fullerton Sinks Falcons in 18-15 Match

The Cerritos College waterpolo teams 18-15 loss to Fullerton College, Oct. 9, came as no surprise to head coach Pat Tyne.

"The team played well," said Tyne.

Cerritos was competitive until a third period lapse and when they suffered some key ejections Fullerton used that to their advantage.

Trailing by one point in the third Fullerton used a series of two-point shots to assume control of the match.

With the loss Cerritos' record fell to 6-13, but Coach Tyne is optimistic about their game today at Golden West.

The match is scheduled to start at 3:30 p.m.

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McCollum was also recognized for her great service in the Athletics and Fine Arts program.

**HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER****Low Priced Immunizations Being Offered**

Flu shots will be given Oct. 21 from 10 a.m. to noon; Oct. 22, 3 to 6 p.m.; Oct. 24, 3 to 6 p.m.; Oct. 30, 4 to 6 p.m. The cost is \$8 for students and \$10 for staff and the public.

The flu vaccine can prevent or reduce the severity of flu symptoms. It is recommended for the general public, especially those with respiratory diseases, diabetes, smokers and seniors.

For more information, call (310) 860-2451 ext. 2321.

**RED RIBBON CAMPAIGN CELEBRATED****Drug Awareness Scheduled for Oct. 23 - 30**

Red ribbons will be worn and displayed as a symbol of the war against drugs in honor of this week.

The campaign began 11 years ago, after the death of Federal Agent Enrique Camaran. Camaran was killed in 1985 in a drug traffic operation.

Since then, schools and various organizations across the nation have adopted the Red Ribbon Week to show their fight against drugs.

**TRANSFER: Awareness Week Continues**

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President Fred Gaskin believes that the number one reason students come to Cerritos College is to transfer to a four-year institution. Yet studies show that over 60 percent do not transfer, even though it was their initial goal to transfer.

"I feel a real responsibility to provide for them (the students) all the mechanisms that we possibly can to enhance the transfer process," Gaskin replied.

As soon as a student can, they should try to identify where they want to transfer to.

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesday there will be repre-

sentatives from different institutions in the student quad answering questions. For the evening Cerritos students, they will be available in the gym from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

On Thursday, Oct. 17, a black college workshop will be held in the board room at 11 a.m. Also at that hour an "Employment Options for International Students" Workshop will be held in LC 173. The learning center will also host the "Using the Internet for Transfer Resources" Workshop in LC 155. Students are encouraged to sign up for all workshops in the transfer center.

Gaskin said that Cerritos is

working hard to develop a mentoring program for students to assist with the transfer process and to let students know what it will take to be successful at their chosen university. He feels strongly that once it is developed it will be a "model for the nation."

Gaskin, a graduate of West Virginia University, wants students to understand that they can work on getting their bachelor's degree slowly.

As he phrased it: "When you get it, you get it and it's still gonna be good. It's a million dollar decision. Bachelor's degree versus no bachelor's degree: on average, a million dollars."

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where the rest of the stock came from. Gaskin alleges Beaulieu's financial problems (including writing bad checks to the Bookstore, bankruptcy etc.) are in no way related to the Bookstore.

A report on the Bookstore investigation is scheduled to be discussed at a Board meeting Oct. 24. "I just want to reassure the stu-

dents that when we get through with this matter, we are going to have a much stronger Bookstore.

"I think anytime you look at an organization as thoroughly as we're looking at this one that you make changes and the changes are for the better. Any changes that are made for the better to the Bookstore will be ones that will help students."

**CAMPUS COMMENT****What has transferring from a community college meant in your life?**

"I transferred to CSUN and got a bachelor's and a master's degree in Psychology. I then transferred to UCLA and got my doctorate in higher education, which has helped me a lot along the way and in my career."

**Dr. Morgan Lynn**  
Dean of Humanities and Social Sci.



"I went to a community college first, because I didn't feel like I was committing myself to a four-year college degree. As I kept going, I found out that there were some goals in my life that I needed a degree to accomplish."

**Daniel Pelletier**  
Personal Counselor



"Transferring opened up a whole new world for me. I graduated from West L.A. College, a community college, with a degree in Liberal Arts. It was the best thing I could have ever done because it changed my life."

**Linda Clegg**  
English Professor



"I did poorly in high school and had very little interest in academics. Community college renewed my interest in education and enabled me to go to an upper division school. It was a second change and a lifesaver."

**George Deremo**  
Art History Professor



"When I transferred from a community college to a university, I was very prepared. Classes were small, so I benefitted a great deal by transferring from a community college."

**Ken Matsuura**  
Articulation Officer



"I think that education is power because you have more information. In order to achieve your goals, you need that power to increase your learning."

**Virginia Romero**  
Athletic Counselor



"Transferring meant moving on to the next level and working towards being a teacher and a coach. For the players that I coach, it means everything for them to get a scholarship and transfer."

**Dean Ackland**  
Coordinator of Student Activities



"What has been meaningful to me, is having the opportunity to help hundreds of students making the important decision in their life to transfer."

**Dr. David Young**  
Career Counselor

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