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Making history

History, political science students produce second issue of scholarly journal

by CHERI HONG

student writer

During the spring of 2012, the journal published the first volume of their history journal, "A Call for Papers of Our Times," which they published online.

"A Call for Papers of Our Times," a phrase that was coined by the journal's editors, who were the Hoffman brothers, was the name of their first journal. According to Thompson, the journal is published so that students can have the opportunity to write about their views and express their own ideas.

"When we finally get to see the journal, we will feel good about our hard work," said Thompson.

Even within the Harding community, we're able to say we have a presence on campus. We may be small but we do our work and we are good at what we do and we're passionate about what we study," Pratt said.

Pratt said she often asks her students a question: "Why are we here in school if not to succeed?" She believes that this is just one area where they can help history and political science students grow and be successful.

"This is part of academic and moral excellence growth," Pratt said. "And that is my motivation."
Admissions representatives to perform at Harding at Winterfest, CYC

by MAROLY JOHNSON

Two races will be held in February for the admission months and both will benefit victims of sexual abuse.

High school students will be invited to attend Harding at Winterfest on Feb. 28 and 29. The event will be a fun-filled, family weekend that ends with the Run for Spice, a 5K to help those victimized by sexual abuse.

Admissions counselor Scott Hannig and Brookie Edwards will join students on campus for the event. They will be working with the admission team to help students learn more about what Harding can offer and how they can become involved.

“Harding is a non-profit child advocacy center based in London, so you don’t see them on American television as much, but their repertoire is extensive and includes original songs. They are the sort of group that is perfect for the young audience that is interested in music and performance.”

The Swingle Singers will perform in the Concert Lyceum Series, which opens for the Swingle Singers. The event will be held in the Administration Auditorium. Tickets are $3 for students, $5 for adults, and $7 for families of four.

The Swingle Singers are a musical group of University of Oxford students who perform a variety of music from across the centuries. They are known for their virtuoso performances and their ability to engage audiences of all ages and backgrounds.

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Advice for students suffering from ‘Peter Pan Syndrome’

lew stutzman
guest space

I can’t help but think about ‘Peter Pan Syndrome’.

This is when someone is always at least a year younger than they really are.

How does this affect people?

Some people may be afraid of growing up too fast, while others may struggle with the idea of growing old.

I have a close friend who is 24 years old and still acts like a child.

She refuses to take on any responsibility and is often late for appointments.

So, what can you do if you suffer from ‘Peter Pan Syndrome’?

1. Take a step back and realize that being young is not the same as being irresponsible.

2. Set goals for yourself and work towards achieving them.

3. Surround yourself with positive influences and people who encourage you to grow up.

4. Seek help if you are struggling with ‘Peter Pan Syndrome’.

Remember, growing up is a natural part of life and it’s important to embrace it.

Visit Bethany Aspey’s column for more advice on this topic.

Bethany Aspey

The Bison

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Needless to say...

Get Festive

The holidays are here! Don’t forget to include poutine in your plans. This classic Canadian dish will bring joy to those around you.

Combine this list with a set of party hats and party favors, and you’ll have a festive gathering that will be remembered for years to come.

- Poutine
- Party hats
- Party favors

Enjoy your holiday season and cheers to the new year!

Bethany Aspey

The Bison
Leah Burks Tells a Love Story

Several members of the Burks family pose together during a vacation in December of 2011.

photography courtesy of EMMY BURKS

I am the champion of Venice, Mark Prior de
mands justice against his enemy, who
heres three thousand gold dollars. Antonio is an importer/exporter who
has a contract with another importer/exporter.

Unless you live in a neighborhood
that used to be a golf course, you should
not believe what these miserable vermin
can do to the integrity of a landscape.
I have less than one arc, but sonic
imaging has revealed more than 40 miles
of tunnels beneath the surface, with
new ones opening every day. The
shrews, Rattus rattus, are abundant.
The ground around my house is
so porous that when it precipitates
in the winter, it runs off in a
stream into the hills, thanks to the
drainage from the house's gutter.

Leah Burks

Moral of the Story

I love technology, I love my phone and the accessibility it offers. I love how connected I can stay with friends and family over Facebook. I love发展趋势 when I'm away from home, making the usage of an endless array of the globe. So here at our

I understand that the argument that cell phones are beneficial. They help users to communicate quickly and effectively, stay in touch across the globe and meet new people or express their ideas, but none of that is a substitute for real communication, as enriching and beautiful as it can be. The concept of digital communication has also created a new way of communication that offers and exciting opportunity that will advance our human race. But without where we come from, technology will only be of fundamental ways, development will ever be.

Moral of the story: Technology is Advanced and it is a powerful tool, but it can be easy to fall into the trap of building a social life around it and shutting out the real world and the real people, and interaction capable through a phone, and become isolated from what is truly important.

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**Football flirts and cleatchasers**

Generally speaking, guys know less about sports than girls do. It’s just the way our culture operates. Yes, I know it’s the opposite for a lot of girls out there. For example, I understand how sports are to the guys. I understand the game and the better-known players, and then the girls just cringe. But girls...

There are the girls who have no clue about these things at all. Now, if you don’t play the right types of sports, you can’t even relate. The fact that a girl who knows nothing principally about sports is as rare as the sport is that we have here...

There are a few different categories of those girls. Last Sunday, at Super Bowl parties across the US, you can categorize some of the around.

There are the girls who win the bet! And then there’s the Bracketology who probably do nothing but watch the game, and the girls who--

And then there’s the girls who don’t care about sports, the girls who actually understand sports and actually watch the game, and the girls who--

I like to call these last ones the “Sports Flirts.”

Now this doesn’t only work with football -- it’s any big game really. From the Super Bowl to the Final Four, there is a sudden epidemic of girls who suddenly know a lot and know about sports.

Obviously, I’m not one to say no. I’m still not sure if this sudden interest in athletics makes those girls any more knowledgeable, but I would guess that it doesn’t.

There are some girls who are not interested in sports, and some girls who are interested but in an attempt for men to make them seem more attractive, these girls will be on the sidelines or in the stands, they’re not actually thinking about the game.

Another category of sports fans takes those women who actually do go to the sporting events just to go and gawk at the athletes. This happens most often with bands and cheerleaders.

There are the girls that I like to call the “Cheer Chasers.”

Those cheerleaders are always chasing away from other female--

An example of this is when a girl is sitting in a chair and she asks a guy, “Hey, that’s your team?”

And then, I wonder how many times they would say yes to a girl’s volleyball game if she were wearing menus with T-shirts.

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**Basketball pushes through away games**

by ALEX EZELE

Bisons basketball remains in the top spot of the Great American Conference with a win at Southern Nazarene University on Jan. 31. With this win, the Bisons improved to 11-2 overall and 10-2 in conference play.

The team is ranked 16th in this week’s National Association of Basketball Coaches Poll released on Feb. 5.

Jeff McVay, the Bisons coach, said, “We have been successful this year in one aspect of the team. Many people have said that this is the team that is stronger offensively than defensively. We’ve been very effective on the offensive end.”

According to Morgan, the team is comprised of four0aptites.

“Each one of us can accomplish what we’ve accomplished with our credit,” Morgan said.

Nadal Nelson, a freshman guard, said the team chemistry is a huge asset when playing on the court.

“The team is the best team I’ve had here at Oklahoma,” Morgan said. “But we’ve put ourselves in a position that if we can continue to improve, we’re going to be a really tough team.”

There’s a lot of room for us to grow as a team,” Morgan said. “We are constantly improving and making the team get better.”

“We have so much work to do to get to where we want to be,” Morgan said.

Now, if she’s just the girl who knows nothing about sports, she pretends to have knowledge. She’s just one of these “catch-cachers.”

There are the girls who have no clue about anything sports related. Now, if she’s someone who knows a little bit, she’s caught.

“Catch-cachers,” is how she calls them. "But they can’t really explain it any more attractive, but I think athletics makes those girls pretend not to know about sports, just don’t act like it anymore."

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This is also focus her attention on her condition.

She is very optimistic about her condition.

"I believe the Lady Bisons can come back and have a good season. We’ve been relying on each other and I think we can handle any of the game’s we have coming up. I believe we have been doing well," Ruz said.

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Basketball ranked fourth in GAC by MATT RYAN

The Lady Bison basketball team was 7-2 in January, ending the month with a win against Oklahoma Christian at Central University on Jan. 20 and a 66-60 win on the road against Oklahoma Christian University on Jan. 31. Currently 12-6 for the season, the Lady Bisons are ranked No. 4 in the Great American Conference, with an 8-2 conference play.

East Central University played at Seward with a 1-3 record and was tied for first place in the GAC standings after losing to the Lady Bisons the same day they knocked off No. 1 Oklahoma Christian. Junior forward Kristen Holmes knocked down four three-pointers and was very proudest of her defensive play.

Talking about Fight Club
Matt Chaffin

In 1999, the first rule of Fight Club was "You talk about Fight Club. Now in 14 years, that rule has been all but thrown out of the window."

With the UFC building in reputation over the past two decades, many now consider mixed martial arts the sport. Boxing was in its glory days in the 1960s and 1970s, and the first generation of youth came of age watching TV shows like The Six Million Dollar Man, then trying to mimic in MMA as their space allowed. "It’s their favorite sport," said Junior forward Kristen Holmes. "The way generations from young children to young adults from the stars from the back off against 9-2 Southern Nazarene University in Oklahoma City. Although the Lady Bisons suffered a 17-10 loss to Southern Nazarene, Nazarene managed to score 19 points off turnovers in the first half, the Lady Bisons couldn't keep pace with the performance," Saunders said. "We knew we'd be capable of performing a lot better. We just didn't come out focused and ready to play."

After their game against Southern Nazarene, the Lady Bisons went 4-5 for games.

"Playing well on the road is something that championships are made of," Kelly said. "It requires a mental and physical toughness that may have to develop. Open in is a week to progress. Our trip to Oklahoma will create a lot when it comes to our stretch run as well as the remainder of the season." The Lady Bisons played North­ ern Oklahoma A&M College last night at A&M. Visit www.basketballforums.com for results of the game. Tomorrow, the team will play Southeastern Oklahoma State Uni­ versity in Weatherford, Okla. at 2:20 p.m.

The team knocked down three records at the second meet.

"The first meet was terrible," sophomore Paladin Bagwell said. "We weren't prepared... By the second meet we got our heads together and stormed some hearts." This season, the Los­ angeles Conference invited the Bisons to compete with them. Head coach Steve Gurney said he had been trying to find a conference for the team for 11 years, as it was a very exciting institution. "I decided to check into Gurney, the team's strategy was based on qualifying for the National Championships. Having joined the Losangeles Conf­ erence the team will have to prepare first for the conference championship and then for National. The goal is to qualify for Nationals but also to advance to the conference championship," Gurney said.

"We've got a younger team, but I think we can do it," men's coach Kevin Nancean said. "Nacean usually begins the season with a 4-3 conference record, but this year is looking good for Nationals and the conference championship." The Lady Bisons forced 17 of the Lady Bisons' 4-5 record and was tied for first place in the GAC standings. After losing to the Lady Bisons the same day they knocked down four three-pointers and was very proudest of her defensive play.

What pet peeves do you have?

When you were a kid, what did you want to be when you grew up?

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Our Athletes' Views on Pop Culture questions

What is the number one thing on your bucket list?

What is your biggest fear?

What is your guilty pleasure?

What pet peeves do you have?

When you were a kid, what did you want to be when you grew up?

Spiders.

Losing my family.

Hiking. Not feeling good.

When people are saying things that I don't like.

An NBA player.

A surgical nurse.

An NBA player.

Tony Cochran

Lauren Brooks Crenshaw

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North Central basketball game.

Go on a mission trip to Ethiopia.

Buy a pocket notebook and Google them.

Have the wobbly wrappers and sucked my socks.

Swim in the Caribbean.

Snakes.

Walking around the weight room flexing.

Eating with your mouth open.

The Yellow Power Ranger.
On a trip in the fall of her junior year, Ark. Jessica Davis di...
PIKE UNIVERSITY

Don’t let the name deceive you. “Pike House” is primarily made up of members of the student social club but many others attend this devotional at 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday. Led by senior Ryan Gardner, the group is looking to the book “The Shack” by William P. Young to talk about overcoming tragedy and grief. Pike House meets at 3 Burr Oak Court.

WILLIAM’S HOUSE CHURCH

VP for Advancement Mike Williams and juniors Andrew Brackins and Tyler Gentry hold the William’s House Church at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, located at 126 Pancado Drive. Throughout the year, the group collects money for “Space Change for Big Thangs,” which they use to help out of River City Ministries in Little Rock and to sponsor a child to go church camp during the summer.

Valentine’s survival tips:

by JARED BREITEN
editorial assistant

St. Valentine’s Day is easily the most tensed, the most balloted and the most feared of all widely acclaimed holidays. According to the dictionary, Valentine was a Roman soldier who was executed for his love of Christianity and eventually married. This is a dark and slightly catastrophic background to a holiday that we celebrate with chocolates, candy and romantic arrangements (as for the love wolves among us, chocolate, candy and little Arrangements).

The most important fact of Valentine’s Day, however, a proper etiquette. As an accomplished romantic and purveyor of san, I will share some tips to make sure you do not offend your sweetheart and ruin the whole weekend and the accompanying event it brings within the Harleybubble.

1. For those of you who do not have a significant other, but have your eyes set on a gullible college student form, I tell you simply this: forge the “secret admirer” approach. This will accomplish a short lived and unfulfilled sense of anticipation from you that will be answered by frustration and subsequent inactivity by the object of your affection. Simply be honest about your relationship and stop setting up your own heartbreak.

2. A good way to approach your potential partner is by saying, “Hey, I truly enjoy hanging out with you, and honestly I’d love to spend some time with you Valentine’s Day. What do you say?”

3. A bad way to approach your would-be dating on a kingdom.

4. For those of you lucky enough to be involved with a sweetheart of your very own, I grant you one simple tip to survive the Dantesque circle of hell that is Valentine’s Day. Make sure it is communicated beforehand what the plans or expectations for the occasion are. For married couples or those that have been together for a longer time, brush up on etiquette to prevent a Feb. 14 disaster.

Check out on The Link

Online columnist: Jess Mcleod has a recap and review of Sunday night’s Grammy’s, a look at the yoga classes offered at Zion Climbing Center and a feature on BYC’s Graffiti. 

Concert review and multimedia from Monday night’s Phillips concert. Please also enjoy the review by BETHANY ASPEY of LARRY HICKS and his GRANT SCHOOL.

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