SGA recognizes three new clubs

By: Forrest Ferguson and Nicole Weakley

Two new clubs were established and another was re-established at the SGA meeting on Thursday, Oct. 9.

Reactivation of the Cheerleading club and the creation of two new clubs, Eclectic Expressions and the Film Club, were the one of the main focuses of this month’s meeting.

The senators voted for all clubs to be approved, providing new beginnings for all three groups.

Kayla Walker was approved by the senate and Executive Board to take the position of Sophomore Senator following the resignation of Michell Schilling.

Walker will be serving in this position for the remainder of the school year.

Also brought to the attention of the senate were issues concerning Campus View and its need to have a voice in the senate.

A committee is being formed to look into the matter headed by Chad Gamboa. If anyone is interested in helping Chad or if anyone has questions or concerns please visit Chad in the college union.

An announced at the conclusion of the meeting, The Society for the Study of Modern Roman History, will be on Campus from Nov. 4 until Nov. 25.

It will include 2 national speakers, 2 plenary sessions, 2 receptions, and a banquet.

Students can soon begin to begin scheduling early so they can have a good chance of getting the courses and instructors they want.

Enrollment for winter term, spring semester begins soon

Students can soon begin to schedule appointments to meet with their advisers about next semester scheduling.

In the Student Development Center, students can make appointments beginning October 20.

It’s important that students begin scheduling early so they can have a good chance of getting the courses and instructors they want.

X-ray art to show us more than our bones

By: Victoria Pavolva

“The Radiologic Technology: Art and a Science” is the actual name of the exhibit which will be on Campus from Nov. 4 until Nov. 25.

It will include 2 national artists who will submit their art in FM’s Perrella Gallery. The science part of the show will cover the radiation we are receiving not only from medical exams but from our everyday lives.

The art part of the show will present a variety of photographs, still X-Ray related, which would be interesting for anybody to see.

Phi Theta Kappa to bring books to the WORLD

Every year thousands of books are not put into our nation’s landfills, due to the work of Better World Books, a business with a mission.

The business collects gently used books and sells them to people anywhere on the planet who will offer them a new home.

Then we share in the revenue and the satisfaction of supporting literacy to those less fortunate.

In the six years Better World Books has been in business, we have diverted 13 million pounds of books from landfills; generated over $4.7 million for our nonprofit partners; and donated 1 million books to literacy programs around the world.

The goal of the exhibit is to educate faculty, staff and the general public, also to display the art side of the craft. It is also planned for the show to promote FMCC and the Radiologic Technology Program.

The new Eclectic Expressions club will also take a part in the event this year.

It will be held in the FM’s theater at 7-9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 14.

Practice rehearsals information will be seen on posters around FM soon.

Look for sign-up sheets and make sure to sign up before Friday, Oct. 24.

The cost of the tickets has been announced.

“Big invitation to everybody to come in and have a good time,” said Fosmire.

SGA uses the Adirondack Center to develop trust and team relationships

By: Forrest Ferguson

The Adirondack Center is a place where groups come from all over to work on team building and strengthening relationships.

The SGA trip to the Adirondack Center that took place on October 4 and 5 fell short on attendance, however, that did not dampen the trip for those that went and experienced the fun and memories of trusting fellow students and build a strong team relationship.

However, in the future the SGA will try a tactic to not only increase attendance and team build on campus but also reach out to neighbor colleges’ E-board members and invite them as well to meet new people and exchange ideas and build new ties and bonds.
Breast Cancer Awareness Month

By: Nicole Weakley

A mother, daughter, grandmother, aunt, sister, friend, and maybe some-
day…you. October is Breast Cancer Awareness month, and now is the
time to join the fight to find a cure.

Breast Cancer affects not only
the lives of those diagnosed, but their friends and families as well. For some a
cure cannot be found or given. This is
why it is widely known that early detec-
tion is really the best way to go.

There are many fundraisers that are in
effect to help raise money for helping
those that have been diagnosed with
breast cancer and there are many things
that faculty and students can do to help
increase awareness and to help donate
which can help to find a cure.

MISA is a collective that Yoplait yo-
gurt lids. A simple way to contribute is
by giving them your clean lids so to
which can submit them and Yoplait will donate
10 cents to the Susan G. Komen founda-
ion for breast cancer awareness.

Boxes are located next to the ATM
machine in the College Union next to
the cafeteria, as well as in front of the
radiology lab on the basement floor.

The FMCC Raiders Cheerleaders held a bake sale in Fonda at the Fairway
Oil gas station on Sunday October 12. Their earnings from the fundraiser will be
going towards the Making Strides Against Breast Cancer walk.

The Making Strides Against Breast Cancer walk on Sunday October 19 in
Albany. Donations are collected before the walk begins.

Opening ceremonies start at 10:45,
registration begins at 10 am and the
walk starts at 12 pm. The walk is at the
Washington Park Parade Grounds in
Albany. It is a 50k/3 mile non-competitive walk.

There is no registration fee, just simply bring your donations with you when
registering. You can walk alone or as a team. The choice is up to you.

There is more information about how to
get involved, visit www.makingstrides.
acsevents.org

Acy Brown

Elelected officers of the new Film
club are President Katelyn Jones, and
Senator Matthew Deering.

The treasurer and secretary are posi-
tions to be filled.

Adviser Lou Fagan said he wanted
to start a new group on campus so that
they can focus on film, looking at mov-
ies, and analyze and critically think
about them.

I'm looking to get this club started to feel
that he can get the kids fired up about
this idea, and it will have limitless pos-
sibilities.

The film club meets at 2 p.m. every
Tuesday at a place to be determined.

The club's plans include hosting a film
festival, film trips, movie nights, and
inviting speakers to meetings.

Fagan said, “We off to a great start.
The people I do have are very proactive,
looking forward to it, and it's going to be
a lot of fun and a great opportunity.”

Have A Million Dollar Idea?

By: Kelley Geraghty

Google is celebrating its 10th an-
iversary in style…they were based on
the glamorous work of public service
announcements, community volunteers,
and urban development.

By sponsoring a call for ideas,
Google is asking countless entries to
find a cure.

This contest is open to anyone and
everyone with an influential idea geared
to bettering the lives of thousands. There are
some general categories for which ideas
should be based, but in usual
Google fashion, the rules are almost
as unconventional as the company itself.

This cyber-path-paving corporation
is allowing for submissions in over 20
languages with a maximum award of
$10 million given to one person, or $5
million to two people, or $2 million to
five people, depending on the chosen
finalists.

All contestants have the oppor-
tunity to submit multiple ideas so long as
they are entered by October 20.

The categories themselves are as
follows: community; opportunity; en-
ergy; environment, health, education;
shape, and everything else.

For more information please visit:
project/index.html. It used to take “A Dollar and a Dream,” now almost all
anyone needs is an idea and an internet
connection.

The world is most definitely chang-
ing, and thanks in part to Google, many
believe it’s changing for the better.

Those creative thinkers out there may
be harboring the next great idea… it may
just change the way we live.

Research Contest

By: Jamie Gonzales

A research contest for students is
underway.

The paper must be handed in before
Friday, Dec. 19 and given to a faculty
member. The paper must be six pages of
text with standard format (MLA,
APA, etc.).

Quality, accuracy, and effectiveness
are a must for the paper. The first place
winner will be awarded $200, second
$100, and third $50. Further informa-
tion is available at the Evans Library.
Frank VanValen is new math lab supervisor

Not only will Frank VanValen be supervising the tutoring in the math lab he will also be participating as a tutor. He and other math tutors can be found in the Math Lab on the second floor of the Evans Library.

VanValen received a Bachelor’s Degree in Mathematics from UAlbany in May 2003. He also went on to receive a Master’s of Science Degree in General Education in December of 2004 from the same university and is awaiting a Master’s Degree in Mathematics from University at Albany, pending field examination.

He has also brought work experience with him as well. VanValen has taught at many colleges such as Siena, Empire State, UAlbany, and SUNY Cobleskill. Van Valen taught a number of different math classes as well as being an Adjunct Lecturer.

VanValen stated that a major reason for his accepting a position here was due to it being local and wanting to work for a local college. He wants to support professors and student coursework.

He also said he wanted to assist students. “That, I believe is a tutor’s job.”

The Math Lab and its tutors are available on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 9 a.m.-4:45 p.m., Wednesdays from 9 a.m.-6 p.m., and Fridays from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Another thing that he stressed was exposure. Looking around the nearly empty Lab, “We need to fill up this room.” He stated.

VanValen will have this semester to do so as the former Math Supervisor Phil Lennanto will be returning to take over the position in the Spring Semester and will, as VanValen hopes, have a full room to work with.

Colleen M. Sanders is a new Learning Center instructor.

Sanders’ job includes recruiting, hiring, and training peer tutors. She works with peer tutors and helps students with writing.

The Learning Center is located in the library.

Sanders graduated from the College of Saint Rose with a Bachelor and Masters of Arts in English. She part-time taught English courses at Saint Rose, Hudson Valley Community College, Schenectady Community College, Adirondack Community College and Albany College of Pharmacy.

Sanders worked as a professional writing tutor, graduate assistantship writing tutor, and writing tutor during the Summer Higher Education Opportunity Program/Access Program at Saint Rose.

She was the Interim Director of Tutoring and Service for Students with Disabilities at Siena College.

Coordination Learning Center Assistant Professor Ellie Fosmire said that Sanders was hired for her caring, energy and knowledge.

Sanders said she accepted the position, because she was attracted to a small campus and found working with students rewarding.

Sanders will be involved with the Peer Tutor Club and hopes to become more involved with campus clubs.

She hopes to make tutoring services more accessible and comfortable for students. Sanders wants to get her Ph.D. in English.

Crawford is new outreach, support, evening advisor

Since September 2, Christie Crawford, Outreach and Support Advisor, is the new evening advisor at Fulton-Montgomery Community College.

The college’s previous evening advisor left in May, leaving a void until Crawford began.

Her job involves working with adult and night students who would otherwise have trouble finding time to go to the academic advising office. She aids these students with “crisis management” and issues such as parking permits and general questions. Crawford says “It’s important to have convenient options for adult students.”

Crawford is also involved with students on academic probation using an early warning system.

This system reaches out to students who are struggling to help them before they do something drastic such as drop out. In addition to advising and helping students who are struggling, Crawford is advising a new club, Eclectic Expressions.

Crawford is available in the Academic Advising office, N-107V Monday- Thursday, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Other advisors are also available Monday-Friday beginning at 8 a.m.

Michelle Garretson is teaching psychology

Michelle Garretson joined the faculty at FM this year as a psychology instructor.

She holds a Master’s of Art in social and personality psychology from Princeton University and also has a Bachelors degree in psychology from Colgate University.

Some of her experience includes Adjunct professor of psychology at Hudson Valley Community College, Workshop Instructor, Princeton University, and Assistant in Instruction, Princeton University.

Her research includes the effects of interviewer gender and child gender on the informativeness of alleged child sexual abuse victims in forensic interviews, behavioral manifestations of self-discrepancy feedback for highly valued attributes, as well as gender, attachment style and reaction to imagined betrayals of trust in heterosexual relationships, and individual differences mediate gender effects in rumination and depression.

Sanders was hired for her caring, energy and knowledge.

She received a Graduate assistantship research assistant for the Saint Rose English Department.

She has a Graduate assistantship position, because she was attracted to a small campus and found working with students rewarding.

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Karlyn LaBate joins radiology faculty

Karlyn Labate is the new radiology technologist and a busy woman.

Labate teaches introduction to technology, three radiographic procedure labs, patient care and medical radiographic technology.

While not teaching in the class rooms Tuesdays and Thursdays, Labate observes intern students at local clinic sites.

She also tutors for FMCC and Hudson Valley. This is Labate’s first full time teaching position but worked adjunct here at FMCC in fall of 2006.

“This has been a great place, everyone’s friendly, my students are motivated and forward thinkers; I’m very thankful for the new radiology lab. It’s a great resource,” says Labate.
On the Quad
Has the economic meltdown affected your life this far?

By: Mike Insigna

Otilio Millan

“Personally I haven’t felt much of a change but I’ve seen it affect my family members, so indirectly it has affected me.”

Jennifer Robles

“It hasn’t yet but I do see it happening to those around me.”

Justin Drobish

“It effects me the same way it does all of my peers. I got to school fulltime so I can’t work as much as I’d like too. A year ago this didn’t have the same affect that it does today.”

Nadia Montuori

“Gas is extremely high, and it seems like all my money ends up going towards my commute to and from school.”

Dan Towne

“For me, at this point there has been no huge effect. Although I’ve become a little more watchful of what I’m spending money on and more watchful of my retirement package.”

Jessyca Premo

“It has not at all, just bugs me that it is on the news all day.”

Letter to the Editor

As most of you know the student use of the library parking lot has been taken away from the students and reserved only for faculty and staff. The fact is that parking lot is never full and enough faculty members are using it and there are always empty spots.

It used to be a mad rush in the morning, especially during winter, to get to school early to be able to park close to the school. It was very helpful for students because it got them to class on time. Now that our parking lot has been stripped from us students are having a harder time making it to class on time. It takes a long time to find a parking spot, park, and then get to class. It can take anywhere from 10-15 minutes. It used to be that the 8 a.m. students were able to park close and not have to worry about being late. There was enough of a balance of early morning students, and everyone who came later, that students were able to get good parking spots.

The fact is now that we are restricted to only three lots people are being forced to park farther away and it’s taking longer for them to get to class. I usually leave my house right around 7:45 and then I get in a traffic jam because all the other students had to go the same way, all at once.

Now you may say that the lot was sold. But, that’s not quite the case. The students who didn’t have cars also said that taking away the lot was unfair.

A staff member, who will remain anonymous, said, “The students pay our salaries therefore they should be given what they want.” That staff member had no idea why the lot had been taken away and thought that the students should be able to park there.

One of the reasons I was given for the lot was that the students drove too fast and it was dangerous and they weren’t stopping at the stop sign. To that I say, isn’t the distance to the other parking lot farther? And isn’t all the speeding and carelessness happening over in the other lots as well? The answer of course is yes. Another member of staff said that the faculty and staff lot was cut a little to make room for handicap students and they needed somewhere else to park.

It is obvious that most students are either angry or upset at the loss of our library parking lot. It doesn’t matter whether students drive, ride the bus, or even get picked up when they’re out of class. What does matter is that our lot has been taken from us, and the restrictions continue to increase.

By: Stephanie Jones
Carl Stock says print newspapers will cede future to internet news, blogs

By: Stephanie Jones

Students recently had the opportunity to hear Carl Stock’s lecture on the future of newspapers.

Stock is the opinion writer for The Daily Gazette and has his own column.

He believes that newspapers are wakening while the internet is strengthening. He believes that newspapers will soon be replaced by internet information sites.

Dybas graduated from Amsterdam High and one year at Johnstown High School. She spent four years at Knox Junior College, her masters the last eight years as an adjunct at FM. Prior to that, she decided to follower her passion for teaching.

Dybas said in an interview, “We have a strong program that is definitely needed by employers.” She also mentioned her commitment to keeping the program up to date and practical.

The newest Systems and Technologies instructor said she is happy to be a part of such a great program. She looks forward keeping the program on the right track.

The other thought about online newspapers that was brought up was either subscribing to the newspaper by paying a fee, or having part of a newspaper available online and the entire one for a fee.

Blogs have also become quite popular. Stock has a blog but he does not use it very often. He says, “I have not used it in three weeks.” He feels that “blogs are too journalistic.” He feels that having a blog could be linked with the thought of someone writing a live journal or even a blog on MySpace.

The scholarship committee hosted an American Red Cross blood drive on campus.

An opportunity to receive a scholarship was offered to the students who participated. The drive was held in the college union and turned out to be successful.

The American Red Cross is an organization that relies on community service. Without generous donors the availability of blood would be small.

Everybody expects that blood will be readily available if or when they need it, but barely a fraction of those who are able to donate actually do.

To give blood for transfusions, you must be healthy, be at least 17 years old. You must weigh at least 110 pounds, and not have donated whole blood in the last 8 weeks or double red cells in the last 16 weeks.

Aspects of each potential donor’s health history are reviewed as part of the donation process before any blood is collected.

Each donor receives a brief examination during which temperature, pulse, blood pressure and blood count are measured. This screening process is to ensure the blood is clean and healthy.

Donating blood is easy and almost completely painless. For more information on how and where to donate visit www.givelife.org or call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE.

“Red Cross blood drive was a success for campus” By: Brittnie Persico

Late last month the scholarship committee sponsored an American Red Cross blood drive on campus.

The scholarship committee hosted this drive because the American Red Cross is always on the search for more blood.

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“Library offers Saturday hours again” By: Ian Steding

Due to strenuous workloads and other strains on the average student’s schedule the Evans Library at Fulton-Montgomery Community College will be open on Saturdays from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m.

This was agreed upon when student outcry met library staff concerns and since the second week of the semester funding has been arranged to open the library on Saturdays.

While at first attendance remained between 20 and 40 students a day, Library Director Mary Donohue awaits an increase in student participation as midterms approach.

This increase in participation may lead to a change in the hours that the library will be open. Also, consideration has been given concerning Sunday hours.

Through the use of both the library’s bulletin board and their online suggestion box Mary Donohue and the Evans Library staff believed their services were needed and were willing to assist those students who wish to devote their weekend hours to study rather than play.
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(Your future, for one.)

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Movie Candy
By: Cody Setzer
Quarantine starring Jennifer Carpenter as (Angela Vidal) a television reporter along with her cameraman Steve Harris were assigned to spend the night in the Los Angeles fire department. A 911 call takes them to a small apartment complex with police already on the scene. They learn the woman in the apartment building is infected with an unknown disease. After many residents are attacked they try to escape with the news crew only to find out the CDC has quarantined the building. All communication has been cut off with everyone trapped inside.

When the quarantine is lifted the only proof of what took place is the news crew’s video tape.

Nick and Naroh’s Infinite Playlist a romantic comedy starring Kat Dennings (Norah) and Michael Cera (Superbad, June).

Cera plays Nick, a down in the dumps character trying to mend a broken heart by frequently visiting New York’s Indie rock scene. Though they have nothing in common but their music taste, they go on an all night adventure to find a legendary band’s show and ends up being a first date that may change their lives forever.

Cheerleading club talked about becoming a sport
By: Tyler Rush
Signs have been posted around campus attempting to gain support for the transition of the cheerleading club into a sport.

The Athletic Director, Kevin Jones, says he has had no conversation about the matter with the club as of Tuesday. “I am for having cheerleaders at the games,” Jones said when asked if he would support the movement, “they do a great job.” The cheerleaders can begin action at men and women basketball games.

To become a sport, the club must first have discussions with the Athletic Department. It is then taken in front of the Student Government Association and voted on. If it passes, the matter is brought to the administration for final approval. These three groups must decide where the funding will come from and whether or not to take on the “financial burden.” State funding seems unlikely because the National Junior College Athletic Association does not recognize cheerleading as a sport.

The potential cheerleading team would have to recruit players and pay a coach. They would also have to purchase uniforms, travel with the basketball teams, and take care of meals.

Whether or not the club will push to become a sport is yet to be seen. Cheerleading Club President Amanda Boyer was not available for comment.

Upcoming area concerts
By: Lea Pascher
10/16- Suicide Silence with Em- mure, 7:30 p.m. $16 advance/ $18 at door, Northern Lights.
10/17- Relient K, 7 p.m. $16 ad-
vance/ $18 at door, Northern Lights.
10/23- Sevendust with Taproot, 7 p.m. $20 advance/ $23 at door, Northern Lights.
10/25- Plain White T’s, 7:30 p.m. $15 advance/ $18 at door, Northern Lights.
10/31- Henry Rollins, 8 p.m. $21 advance/ $24 at door, The Egg.

Students showing their fashion flair
By: Stephanie Wilcox
Fall fashion is in full force at FMCC.
The 80’s loud style is back for women’s fashion, bold jewelry, flashy leggings, black tights, short skirts and lazy boots are the hottest trends this fall.
The leaves are changing and so should your style. Plaid shorts are out, and plaid shirts are in for men’s must have fashion. The pea coat is the must have accessory for both males and females to stay warm this season. The layer look is back and ready to stay throughout the cold.
Both men and women have been spotted this season wearing the classic fall fashion of large scarfs, knit hats, and scrunch boots. From the cat walk to the FMCC campus, the students are staying on top of their school work and their fall fashion.

Group forms new dance team
By: Kristen Molina
Eclectic Expression is FMCC’s new dance team, advised by Kristie Coffer and started by Carrie Friar and Nzinga Zwill.
They meet every Wednesday and hold practices Tuesdays through Friday 7-9 p.m. in the aerobic gym.
Friars decided to start a dance team for people to express themselves, “We want to teach people new ways to express themselves through music and art!” Friars stated. The dance team will be performing in any way that means expressing themselves through dance, music and spoken word. Friars believe that they will become a new era. Half time shows will be owned by them, when they bring out their creativity.
The team will be receiving funding through the Board of Committee and they will be raising their own funds by starting fund raisers.
As of the September 10, Eclectic Expression will be FMCC’s first dance team. New members can still join.

Counseling services available to students
By: Noal Davis
There is a new counseling program through the Family Counseling Center here on campus, according to Marty-Jo Ferrauto.
There are two counselors and two graduate level interns here on campus from the FCC. They have an office in the Student Development Center, there will be someone there 12 p.m. until five p.m. Mondays, three p.m. until seven p.m. Wednesdays, one p.m. until seven p.m. Thursdays, and eight a.m. until four p.m. Fridays. These hours will be changing though because they are going to add more.
This service will be open to any student, ones with health insurance and ones with out. These counselors will be available to talk about anything a student may need to talk about.
You can make an appointment in the Student Development Center. It is both free and confidential.
Davis said that to add to the coun-
seling she hopes to add support groups and workshops the further help with any student problems.

Student Activities Board has scheduled an obstacle course, halloween dance this month
The SAB will host a Rocktoberfest obstacle course on Wednesday, Oct. 15, in the Union Lobby. That also will be the Oktoberfest celebration that will include root beer pong and free pretzels.
On Wednesday, Oct. 22, the campus will be part the National Campus Sustainability Day. The campus has created a sustainability committee that will work toward energy and resource reduction.
A highlight of the month will be the annual halloween Dance in the College Union, DJ Rich D will provide the music.
The dance is October 29. SAB awards prizes in four categories to those who wear costumes. There will be a reverse Halloween from 12 to 1 p.m. Thursday in the Union.
Finally, mentalist Rob Channing will use students to demonstrate his talents from 12:30 to 2 in the cafe.
By: Michael Nazzaro

The Raiders are 4-9-1 with two games remaining, both at home.

With a loss against Tompkins Cortland CC on Wednesday the team has officially been eliminated from the playoffs.

In 2007 the Raiders had a problem with players being more about themselves than about the team. The problem carried over into the 2008 season.

The team has a saying “We not me” and head coach Chris Rogers decided that not playing as a team was not going to be tolerated this season.

After a hard loss to Cayuga CC on Thursday, September 25, Rogers called a team meeting. During this meeting Rogers said, “I’d rather lose with players who want to work together, rather than win with players who are about themselves.”

This statement gave Rogers what he wanted with three starters and one bench player leaving the team.

By: Donnie King

The NBA preseason is underway which means the regular season is just around the corner.

The NBA offseason was a busy first season that saw the demise of a former role players such as Chris Boh and Deron Williams to have big years thanks to the extra team play they got during the Olympics.

As Kobe and Lebron starred, expect role players such as Chris Boh and Deron Williams to have big years thanks to the extra team play they got during the Olympics.

As well as this is the first season that the United States based NBA will be able to show off a gold medal since the 2000 Sydney Olympics.

Do not expect much to change at the top of the league as the two teams from last years NBA finals, the Boston Celtics and the Los Angeles Lakers dont seem to have lost a step in the offseason. Both are early season favorites nationwide to make it back to the NBA Finals again this year.

Kobe Bryant also comes back for the first time as the defending league MVP. It will be interesting to see how he performs now that he no longer has that chip on his shoulder.

The NBA season kicks off Tuesday October 28th with a trio of games. The Lebron James led Cleveland Cavaliers head to Boston to take on the defending champion Celtics.

The game will begin at 8 p.m. on TNT. That will be followed by a matchup of the Portland Trailblazers, who finally have a healthy Greg Oden, facing the reigning Western Conference Champion and Kobe Bryant led Lakers in L.A. beginning at 10:30 p.m. on TNT.

The other game of the night will be played against the Milwaukee Bucks and Chicago Bulls beginning at 8:30 p.m.

Dodgeball Frenzy

By: Chris Samael

Dodgeball will be taking place from 12-1 in the gymnasium.

“I expected dodge ball to have these high numbers” according to Ryan LaRowe Activities coordinator.

Ryan believes that dodgeball becomes more popular every year. “Kids love it here, they even formed some dodgeball leagues in the community” Ryan said.

Ryan also stated the movie “Dodgeball” he feels brought more attention to the sport.

Last year there were 2 teams and 10 people on each, and this year there are thirty-four people playing this year. Defending champion Regulator are participating again this year. Also the Lumberjacks and the Killers are among the teams playing.

3-3 basketball are Thursday 12:30-2:00 for anyone who wants to play.