No bathrooms in McNulty

The new McNulty Hall, seen here under construction, photo by Danny Bubbles will be demolished due to an architectural oversight.

by Iris
News Editor

Crews will begin demolition of the new McNulty beginning Mon., May 23. The new dorm, which was scheduled to be opened on Sept. 1 is being torn down after it was discovered that there was insufficient space to put bathrooms in the rooms.

People close to the administration say that they are extremely upset about this architectural disaster.

Attempts have been made to contact the architect to determine whether there is anything that could be done to rectify the situation, but he has left town and did not leave a forwarding address. Other architects were then contacted and it was determined that there was no way to correct the mistake without making the rooms smaller than federal regulations stipulate.

After much brainstorming about how to solve the problem, many options were presented for a vote. Among these options were: constructing common bathrooms on each floor in place of some of the student rooms, exposing students to the life-style of the good-old-days and putting chamber pots and wash basins in each room or installing portable toilets on each floor. At first, the port-a-potty idea was supported by all. Supporters were in favor of installing the portable bathrooms on each floor while the problem of bathroom space was being worked on. In fact, they had a few of these port-a-potties in place before

the idea was shot down due to health concerns.

Officials say that the dorm will be torn down brick by brick so that the original bricks can be reused to save the University money. Reconstruction on the dorm will begin on June 1.

Good news for all those students who thought they would be living at the new McNulty, despite the demolition and reconstruction, the dorm will be open as planned on September 1. Crews will be tripped in an effort to finish construction on schedule.

Workstudies help city

by la Surfing Edalire
Staff Writer

On April 11, state officials met at City Hall with a Johnson, Disney & Wales representative to discuss the possibility of funding a work-study program to fill Providence’s many potholes.

It was decided on May 10, that JDWU will receive four million dollars from the state to fund the project. JDWU’s workstudies will now be placed at locations where the worst potholes are. The workstudies will receive a white t-shirt with blue overalls as well as orange construction vests and hats as their uniform.

Students will then be taken by a JDWU bus to their location site at the start of their shift where they will be issued a shovel, a pick axe, a tar machine, and asphalt.

To give the program variety, students will rotate shifts once a week. Before students can enter the workstudy position, they must go through a vigorous training period conditioning. They will also have to attend night classes on how to properly use the tar machine.

Attention: Workers can sign up for this program by simply calling 1199 and leaving a message in any option box.

Greek stones stolen

by Paprika LaFlavor and la Surfing Edalire
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On Thur., May 12, at approximately 2:30 A.M. Johnson, Disney & Wales security responded to a call concerning a group of five people dressed in black removing the Greek tombstones from the Xavier courtyard.

By the time security arrived on the scene the thieves had fled with the stones. All that remained were gaping holes where the tombstones had once been.

News of the theft spread quickly and by 3:35 A.M. the courtyard was filled with fraternity and sorority members weeping over the holes where the stones had once been. Many of the students present formed groups to search for the missing stones. After a three hour search of Providence, Cranston and Warwick, the stones were found in the Mathewson Street wreckage site where five accounting faculty members were playing loud music, and dancing with shovels round a large hole, where they had planned to bury the Greek stones.

JDWU security apprehended the faculty members and personally escorted them to their respective homes. The Greek counsel decided not to press charges but the faculty members were responsible for returning the stones to their rightful places in the courtyard. The five faculty members were placed on probation and each had to donate two pay checks in support of the Greek party fund. All involved agreed to the conditions, according to a recent report in a local daily.

Harold’s takeover

by Moren Morza
Learning to Manage

On Mon., May 27, The Harold’s Campus will close its doors for two weeks in preparation for a takeover by The National Gossip Gazette.

During this time the office will be updated with new computers and publishing equipment. The newspaper office will occupy the entire second floor of The Friendship Building at Johnson, Disney & Wals and The National Gossip Gazette neon billboard will dominate the roof of the building.

According to a report from administration, The Gazette has been proposing a buyout for some time, but the offer was not taken into consideration until just recently. This happened when the University realized they could use the extra pocket money for current project cama.

Contracts to finalize the sale were signed on May 1. But the staff of the paper was not notified of the deal until some time later.

A few of the staff members were interviewed and said they felt betrayed by the lack of communication surrounding the takeover. However, there were some positive feelings, as well. Queen Editor, Diva Bayachat said, “At this point, anything that will get us new equipment is fine by me. It’s just so fantastic and fabulous!”

When The Harold’s Campus questioned a spokeswoman at The Gazette about what changes are going to be made to the newspaper and the office, she said not too much. The organizational structure will change because the paper will be a separately owned corporation free from censorship by the University’s legal department. The current staff will keep their positions and will be compensated for their work done at the paper. This compensation will be given in the form of a 43 percent wage increase. Additional staff will be hired, including more investigative reporters to “dig real deep” into stories and a whole string of paparazzi to get the pictures needed, according to the spokeswoman. Physically, each room will be made bigger, because they will have all the space that Student Activities Office is currently occupying.

It has not yet been decided where The Student Activities Office will be relocated, but like one workstudy said, “We have been moved around so much in the last couple of years, what’s one more move. We practically get the hang of this.”
New attendance policy goes too far

The new attendance policy going into effect this fall goes too far. The University's new "Caging Policy" was proposed in an effort to control excessive absenteeism from classes. The administration states this policy is only an experimental one and was implemented only on a trial basis due to its positive effects in other countries.

We, the Editorial Board, are outraged at such a preposterous penalty. This new policy is a violation of all human and civil rights. Under the new policy, students will receive one lashing with a bamboo pole (similar to the one used on Michael Fay) for every absence over three. However, unlike the old policy, you will be allowed back in class, assuming that you are able to sit for a long period of time.

The current policy has been to drop students after the third absence, whereupon they would receive a "W" for the course and no credit. A majority of the student body has been trying for a more lenient attendance policy, and this is an obvious step in the wrong direction. This might be an accepted practice in Singapore, but it won't be here!

Quote of the Week

"Just put your hands in the air and wave 'em like you just don't care."

M C unknown

Where does it come from?

Can't we all just be normal? It would just be real great to go into the world just one day and see things conforming to the standards.

By the way, can you believe that they, other respectable media sources, are discussing the possibility of photographing President Clinton's genitalia to prove if he really was involved in those scandals with the Arkansas women while he was governor.

The University must punish the accounting department employees who have disrupted the Greek system. It is despicable for the University not to set an example to other employees to stay conform and non-rebellious. Students need not be victimized by crazed faculty.

My poor friend Bertha Bruceann just got canned four times on her return from Rhode Hospital. Her professor and department chair said that emergency gallbladder removal is a ridiculous excuse and that students are forewarned about the consequences of intolerable behavior.

I wonder what magazine Mr. Clinton will sell his photographs to once the FBI and CIA are finished reviewing his file in the Reagan stemming from his governorship.

JWU and Rhode officials say ridiculous if they believe that workstudies will have enough manpower to fill all the craters that align themselves on the streets of Downvorty, not to mention the entire city. If they want to even make a "dirt" in the problem, they will need to require all students to spend three days a week to get the job done.

That their caring policy is great! I hope those professors and deans stick to it by the letter. However, moreover, on the other hand, if you can't sit from the beating before, what are you to do?

My poor friend Bertha Bruceann.

I think the University needs to make a baby policy. Especially if the administrator has had more than three children already! Just think of the money wasted by these kids. Maybe the University's progressive insurance policy can help persuade the issue for them.

I can't wait to see Clinton! Those accounting people are the savior of University administrators. I hear they might even get a raise for the first time in years. Of course, only after they surrender their next two paychecks to the Greek party fund. That was the first Greek party I ever got invited to. Oh, I'm out of space. See ya!

Student Insights

What faculty member would you most like to see abducted by aliens and why?

Donna Messier. International business, junior

Brian Kelleman. Healthcare administration, sophomore

Hon von Essen. Hospitality management, senior

Corie Curtis. Advertising/communications, sophomore

Hey, you can't say that!
Metal pole licking, on an icy winter day is fun

After months of just hangin' and trying some riffs and stuff, five students of Johnson Disney & Wales University have finally gotten it together to form the heavy metal group Metallica II. This is an all original band, that they have been working hard to develop, mostly because so many metal groups are out there copying what the other guy is doing. When asked who the members of the group Metallica II are, Ripped Pheevac vocals, guitar), Crop Dusted (Vocals), Mac Donnell (drums, vocals, guitar), Ty-Dub (guitar, bass, keyboards, mandolin, trumpet, and recorder), Abrorcombe (guitar) to give me a taste of what kind of sound they have, they said, "That's what I received: death metal, classical, punk, and pure unadulterated adrenaline."

When asked to define spunk, they simply said, "Come see for yourself, you're the journalist, you figure it out." A little cocky for a new group, but they have the pizzazz of a garage band that has just figured out how to turn on the amp.

The next big question was, where on this planet did these guys come up with such a cool name? Well first of all, they made a sheet of names and some of the ones they just said no to were: Van Hades, Megadeath, Sepultura, Penta, Metal Church and Slayer. They gave a big thumbs down to these really lame names, Pearl Jam and Crush Test Dummies.

"Essentially we wanted something really original, something that we knew people would say that name fits them so perfect, plus we didn't want something the other guy could stick in their name. You know, like Overkill and Ugly Overkill," said Ripped.

"Our plans now are to drop out of school and hit the big tour. We haven't been invited to Lollapalooza, but we said what the heck we'll show up and start jammin' and once they hear us, we'll get on," said Crop. "After that, we plan to hit the Woodstock thing and then just sort of hang out wherever. Oh, then we're going to head over to Antarctica to do a show for the Eskimos, it's all about originality, you see?"

The first release off their Debut CD, Metallica II's Greatest Hits, is absolutely killer. The name of the track is "Lucy in the Sky with Diamonds.

Metallica II's only comment on this song was, "We were in the studio for days, maybe months it seemed and we needed a song. That's when Ty came up with this song on his banjo, and then Ripped kicked in with the acoustic guitar.

Oh, darn, that was that dueling banjo's song we made. I really didn't like that, it brought back bad memories of a camping trip I went on," said Abrorcombe. "Anyways, Meat came up with it after he ran into the telephone pole a few months ago and the rest was history." Well, there you have it, straight from the horse's mouth. Or maybe the other end, we'll never know. This is a class act. JDWU's own Metallica II.

The new wave of metal coming at you from your very own campus. Kick them out at Pasta Place sometime next year.

Mmmmmm, something smells good

by Shaka Zulu
Features Editor

Has this ever happened to you? You come outside and hop in your ride, and reach down to turn on your radio only to find that it's been stolen. Well, this is the trick for you: the new burglar deterrent, The Scent. This is how it works. A thief doesn't really care about how they obtain the merchandise they are trying to steal, so naturally they will try to rip it right out of the dash.

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Just rub two sticks together

by Shaka Zulu
Features Editor

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Sports

Horse competitions under investigation

by Buzzy Bubbles
Staff Writer

Did you know 85 percent of Johnson, Disney & Wales University students are equine majors? JDUW has passed its former culinary arts image on to the equine studies department. What happened? How did they do it? Was it financially?

The Providence Police Department received a tip last week that there was a lot of gambling going on at the riding competitions involving JDUW students. Several jockeys and fans were seen placing bets for the top horse, Betty Pertino. On top of all this, the equine students were also seen talking to a horse, who appeared to talk right back. The conversation appeared to be about a plan on how to defeat Betty. Apparently this horse was discussing how to launder money from previous bets in order to pay back some bookies.

What's going on?

A few days ago, a news update appeared on the television saying Mr. ED was missing or possibly kidnapped. Then another update followed about how many famous horses have been kidnapped, mainly those from the former Kentucky Derby.

In the stables Mr. ED was spotted talking and talking and talking to me.

JDWU Safety & Security officers and Rhode Police are currently investigating the distortion and ejection in the betting and the possibility of convincing a bookie. The investigation will continue until next fall interim is completed. Stay tuned for the final report as the investigation continues.

Don’t mess with the Griffins

A recent game where the Johnson, Disney & Wales University baseball team was on fire after a 14-game winning streak, ended in tragedy as the JDUW mascot, the Griffin, had a massive overdose of HyperCola soft drink.

Once thought to be fairly docile creature, it appeared to be that the Griffin had an identity crisis when a fan from the other team called it a wannabe Mickey, eagle, lion king of the jungle. JDUW students tried to convince the Griffin into blowing off the details, since it’s a unique, one-of-a-kind mythical creature.

However, the Griffin had been drinking too much HyperCola before and during the game. The infuriated Griffin flew over to the bleachers where this fan was. According to witnesses, he flung his tail across the offender’s face, cutting open his forehead and killing him instantly.

Griffin mascot trainer and nutritionist Davie Partridge, said the Griffin can have schizophrenia attacks when given carbonated drinks. He stated the Griffin has been under observation for several months after he became a manic-depressive for missing the JDWU hockey team championship games in late February.

“Have taken the Griffin to several animal hospitals for recovery and group sessions, but apparently after the remarks from this young man really upset him,” said Partridge.

After the attack, the Griffin was given two aspirins and continued to cheer on with the crowd.

On the positive side, the baseball team was able to pull out another victory by defeating their opponents in a double-header. The final score for the games was 14-3 and 1-2. These two victories have given the team the edge to compete in the regional playoffs.

Pitcher Joey B. Brady commented after the victories, “Don’t mess with the Griffins!”

Possible joint sports hunting team with JDWU tours

by Prescious
Staff Writer

This summer, Johnson, Disney & Wales University tour guides will be implementing a new program which will enable them, as a tour group, to hunt for many of Providence’s small animals and rodents.

The pretty much hush-hush “JDWU Hunting Tours” will allow current, as well as incoming students to help rid Providence of many unwanted rodents and the more annoying domiciled animals. The “hunters” will be allowed to hunt mice, rats, small birds (only if they have good aim), pigeons, and annoying dogs and cats. Rifles will be issued before scheduled tours during fly-in’s at the Johnson, Disney & Wales Airport Hotel and to summer residence hall directors for students who are here for summer sessions and wish to participate.

Tours guides seem very enthusiastic about this addition to their tour duties because it will not only be fun but it will provide a necessary service to the city. One guide, Phil Muckraken, says, “It will make my summer here in Rhode Island more interesting and enjoyable. Also, could you imagine walking down the street and being able to just blow away these annoying poodles and pigeons that get in your way?”

If the program proves to be effective, it will be implemented as a temporary fall sports program. Tryouts will be held in the beginning of October. The competitors’ target will be a 12-foot black bear. It appears to be this is the time bears decide to take their last walk around the wilderness before hibernating for the winter.

If you would like more information on how you can become a “Hunting Tour Guide,” or to inquire about the new bear hunting program, please contact Tammy Pons at ext. 5555.

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