Running with fire

Jeff Jackson was the first person to carry the torch through the city of Des Moines.

Torch visits Des Moines

BY BRIAN SHOREY
Staff Reporter

Abdul Darnell: voice, sax, and cold weather.

Torrance Fathini, one of the first student speakers, reflected on Dr. King's words in his speech for the rally on campus. "He was an inspiration and a leader," Fathini said. "He showed us how to be strong and how to stand up for what we believe in."

Few experience racism at Highline

BY THUNDERWAVE
Staff Reporter

Most students feel that Highline offers a balance in race relations and that there is a great level of diversity among the thousands who attend. Out of 440 students questioned in the non-scientific survey, 87 percent said that Highline is a racially tolerant campus. Among the 11 percent, one Jamaican person complained of personally feeling singled out. "I love it here. There are many different races and cultures on campus," said student Ann Mays. "It's a very wide variety and I enjoy being around all the different people and cultures," said another student. "You can really have a far more diverse experience than you can at other schools."

King week begins with reflection

BY JORDAN BULL
Staff Reporter

"It is everyone's responsibility to walk the path that Dr. King paved," said Priscilla Bell, Highline President on Tuesday. "This week is not only for commemorating the outstanding contributions made by Dr. King, but also to consider and act upon the challenges and dreams of a tolerant society."

Rolik Exonu, the welcoming speaker, began with the fact that if Dr. Martin Luther King were still alive today he would be 73. She also spoke of how Dr. King might feel about the way the world has turned out to be.

"Would there be pride, joy, or anger at what he saw?" Exonu said.

"Learning to live in peace with one another," said another student.

Our critics agree on 'Rings' as one of the best films of the year, but not much else.

Lady T-Birds in 1st place after eight wins in a row.

See MLK, page 3
See diversity, page 3

Index

See page 9
See page 8
Mystery vents a hot topic

By DAVID McCARLIN
Staff Reporter

Most of the ocean is cold, but at the bottom, scientists are finding themselves in hot water.

On the bottom of the ocean floor, scientists and deep-sea divers have found hydrothermal vents, spewing hot water and giving a home to life forms unlike anything else on earth.

"Hydrothermal means literally "hot water." The vents are made out of sulphide. Some stalagmites surrounding them can be 30 feet high.

Exploring these vents poses special challenges. Visibility hampers the search for life, since light has trouble reaching the bottom of the ocean. Gilbert said remotely operated vehicles (ROVs) contain lights mounted on the side to improve this visibility.

ALVIN, one such craft, carries several people, and tools. Hung from manipulator chords courtesy of a ship on the surface, it is used to grab samples and bring them up. Pictures are taken from small portholes along the craft's titanium sphere.

Water pressure is also a problem. "The water pressure is such that Styrofoam cups shrank down to a third of their size on the way up," Gilbert pointed out. "Every 10 meters down is equivalent to one atmosphere. The pressure is a situation in which if you were to immediately arrive at the surface from deep down, your head would be shrunken to a third of its original size."

There has been some speculation over whether finding these vents was accidental or expected. Early classes from dredged rocks and plate tectonic theory suggest that the rocks have been around for a long time. Plate tectonic theory is where different plates in the earth's surface slam against each other and compress, called subduction.

In 1976, scientists also discovered mid-ocean ridges, which are groups of underwater volcanoes. Subduction explains where these ridges came from. The scientists discovered active water vents.

Near the Galapagos Islands, they found huge clams and tube worms underneath the rocks more than a mile and a half down from the ocean floor. These organisms feed off bacteria of the vents.

Vents have been found in sporadic places over the earth, but they tend to concentrate near the coastline. Explaining how the vents are created, Gilbert said. "The cold water seeps under the seafloor and comes into contact with superheated magma. The floor has metals that react with the magma and they shoot out, creating the vent."

"Hydrothermal vents have several applications," Gilbert said. Iceland is looking at an application of hydrothermal vents, which include a connection to understanding earthquakes. The vent flows release a disproportionate amount of heat. The mineral deposits can be monitored, and Iceland thinks they hold the key to future power generation.

Geologists aren't the only ones modifying theories and looking for advances from the seafloor. Gilbert added, "These vents have applications to different subjects such as chemistry, physics and biology. It's not just geology."

"Biologists are considering changing the tree of life to include another kingdom besides the five kingdoms that already exist," Gilbert said. The new kingdom would be called Archaea, which includes sea microorganisms, but not bacteria.

The next Science Seminar will be a lecture by Joy Strohmeier titled, "What Holds Our Bodies Together?" It will be next Friday in Building 3, room 102.

Free money for college

By JOEL STUDEVANT
Staff Reporter

You can attend Highline tuition-free next quarter by winning an Academic Achievement Scholarship.

This scholarship is available to any full-time student with a minimum G.P.A. of 3.5 and is a resident of Washington state. If you have already applied for this scholarship before you can still apply again.

The applications are available on campus. All applications due before Feb. 1.

Fifteen applicants are excepted for this scholarship but usually only 30 to 60 students apply.

Common mistakes on this application are not answering the questions directly, says Shannon Proctor, coordinator of this program. She says, for example, that some people will mistakenly write their career goals instead of their educational goals in one question. She also recommends that you follow the application methodically and emphasize clarity.

You'll want to have this application revised and free of grammar errors because some of the judges are English professors.

The application requires two letters of recommendation so it is necessary to start as soon as possible. For further information you can contact Proctor at 206-878-3710, ext. 3198.
Diversity

Continued from page 1

Dr. Bell spoke about walking in Martin Luther King Jr.'s path when it comes to diversity.

Diversity

Continued from page 1

maintained a fixed grin throughout the entire quarter, even though he knew some would be against him for opposing the war.

In addition to the speakers, the Kappa Lambda Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma performed a step show. Members Joseph Phillips, Jai Carter, Steve Banks, and Edmond Clark, with the help of technical expertise from Keoke Eldridge, captivated the small audience with their energy and enthusiasm. The step show demonstrated what many early tribes in Africa used as a means of communicating that had been passed on through generations.

Overall, the speakers agreed that Dr. King's message remains essential.

In these times of hardships, the speakers each said, let's set an example for ourselves and a phenomenal role model, who could not and would not accept less.

As Dr. Bell quoted from Dr. King, "Let us be judged by the content of our character, not by the color of our skin."

Other events happening this week at Highline include speaker Capt. St. Vill of Antioch University, in Seattle discussing the representation of power, privilege and the differences in the media. It will be in Building 7 today at 11 a.m.

Also, today talk show host Davey D will have a presentation celebrating the life and legacy of Dr. King at noon in Building 7.

To finish off the week there will be a Peace March on Friday, Jan. 25 at 11 a.m. that everyone is welcome to participate in.

Racial problems present in school system

By Carey Wool
Staff Reporter

Tom Vander Ark, director of the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, is opening for the year's AP exam season.

"Martin Luther King birthday is an opportunity for all of us to see how we are as a society," said Vander Ark.

"We're looking at two distinct health and high school outcomes for African American students from high school, which is the one time you see the difference in high schools," said Vander Ark.

"Today, we have high schools that are a bit less segregated than 60 years ago. But now there is a more subtle form," said Vander Ark.

"We hide behind the fact that 12 percent of high school students graduate with a GED, so only 73 percent graduate. Only half of Hispanics and African Americans graduate from high school. It's the last time you heard that on the evening news?"

Vander Ark said that if you were to walk down any hallway in a Seattle high school, you would see a classroom full of white people studying trigonometry or calculus. On the other side of the hallway, you would see African Americans studying basic math.

There are two flaws in high schools, said Vander Ark: they are too big and comprehensive. "A school that is too big makes a student feel lonely and they will ask themselves, 'Does anybody care if I go to school today? Why am I likely to drop out?'" said Vander Ark.

"Most kids find classes of least resistance that don't have anything to do with each other," said Vander Ark. "I urge those at the college to explore the purpose of education."

"Think about why you are here. As for the faculty, ask yourselves, 'What is this all about?'" said Vander Ark.

"My answer to that question when I was 18 or 19 was to get a good job," said Vander Ark.

Vander Ark said that Dr. Martin Luther King would argue that education is to think with tough-mindedness but in a way that's compassionate.

The foundation will try to create schools that help all kids succeed in college so they can make contributions, said Vander Ark.

"I think we are at a point today where the 'ideal wave of justice' will rise up and history will rhyme," said Vander Ark.

"With this tight leadership, putting all of you here today, we can reach a place where history will rhyme."
Budget cuts hit schools

Since the Sept. 11 attack the nation's economy has faltered dramatically. States have also been hit hard. One such state is Washington.

With our state's economy dependent on aerospace and the people's faith in the airline industry falling, the effect is an expected $1 billion shortfall in the state's revenue.

Washington state is in the middle of an economic recession with an increasing number of laid off and displaced workers. These workers are looking for the community and technical colleges for retraining. Yet Governor Locke has proposed to cut 3 percent from all technical and community colleges, and 5 percent from four-year colleges. The cuts would mean $630,000 from Highline's operating budget. This also means 360 fewer students for Highline at a time when enrollment is increasing. It is estimated that the cuts should save $54 million for the state's budget.

On top of the cuts, the state is eyeing tuition increases of 12-18 percent, making college even more difficult for the next generation of workers, the people who will lead us into the 21st century. This will hurt current students and prevent new students from attending college.

This leaves us with the question: what do we do? First would be an end to annual rounds of initiative-based tax cutting. Constantly restricting the state's ability to raise revenue may seem like a good idea in the short run, in the long run it only hurts important programs such as education.

The State Board for Community and Technical Colleges has requested $21 million versus the governor's plan for $9 million to help two-year schools in their worker-retraining program. This program could help the state's economy recover, and also help displaced workers maintain their lives.

Obviously students will disagree with the raises in tuition. But if the Legislature cannot agree on a higher education plan that will help colleges to operate better, then Highline students will have to stomach tuition raises. The cuts now will only make these problems worse.

For those interested in the legislative and budget cuts in just about every program on the list, it may be hard for Highline and other colleges to convince lawmakers that they deserve more. But cuts now will only mean more problems.

the opinion page

Editorials are the opinion of the management of the newspaper which includes the Editorial board members include Bryan Sharick, Janica Lockhart, Jennifer Espinosa, Matt Miller, CJ Gambrel, Joe Walker, and Jordan Whiteley. Columns represent the opinions of the individual authors. Letters to the editor represent the opinions of the readers.

Letters to the editor are welcome. Letters should be no more than 300 words long, and are subject to editing for style and length. The Thunderword invites contributions of all types.

The Opinions page

Editor-in-chief..............Janica Lockhart
News Editor..............Bryan Sharick
Sports Editor..............Matt Miller
Arts Editor..............CJ Gambrel
Opinion Editor..............Jennifer Espinosa
Graphics Editor..............Jordan Whiteley
Photo Editor..............Joe Walker
Copy Editor..............Beth Gentry, Kelly Wallace

Photo/graphics..............Jessica Dominy, Tom DesLongchamp, Karen Haines.
Business Manager..............Oksana Ginchak
Advertising...............Now hiring
Adviser.....................Dr. T.M. Sell
Newsline..............206-878-3710 ext. 3318
Fax .....................206-870-3771
Address...........P.O. Box 98000, Des Moines, WA 98198 Building 10, room 106
Advertising...............206-878-371-371, ext.3291
Email..............thunderword@hcc.ctc.edu

Moving to a global community

He humored the crowd with his intellectual wit and surprised them with his youthful insights, eventually leaving everyone with a challenge to find one person that they differed from and truly make an effort to understand their culture. His presentation emphasized a good challenge to us all: the challenge of continually trying to get to know new and diverse people so we can move towards a "Global Community."

To all of you interested in joining Student Government, a senator position is open and the deadline has been extended to Jan. 29, so that everyone has the chance to apply. Applications can be picked up in the Student Programs office in Building 8.

Dan Foritis is a student senator in the Associated Students of Highline Community College.

The Thunderword invites you to write letters and send guest commentaries to us. Please send submissions to us at thunderword@hcc.ctc.edu or call 206-878-3710 ext. 3318 for more information.

IT MAKES A BOX.

The Thunderword
World music takes students past pop

BY ANNA SULKHANOVA
Staff Reporter

While students at Highline
listen to all kinds of American
music in one place on campus
they can experience Russian
singing or Tuvan throat-sing-
ing or Vivaldi's Four Seasons.

Music 110 is a course that's
offered to Highline students
winter and spring quarters,
opening a new outlook on
music.

The course, called Music
Cultures of the World, is taught
by Dr. Sydney Stegall, who has
a bachelor's and master's in com-
position and theory and doctoral
work in interdisciplinary studies.

Music 110 is a course that's
been offered to Highline students
for the past several years.

"I really enjoy Music 110 be-
cause I love music, and plus this
class has already taught me how
to listen to music differently.

"I know of taking what I want
from music, I now think of
the message and feeling the artist
puts into the song, which makes
me appreciate it even more," said
Doug Rodriguez, 29.

Dr. Stegall also plays lots of
music pieces and videos, which
fits exactly with the chapter
material, so students don't
get confused.

"Videos are highly interest-
ing and different types of music
are so cool," said Christy
Nguyen, 20.

"The emphasis of the class is
on music of the cultures of the
world, from the tribal to the ra-
ni," said Dr. Stegall.

It offers listening to all kinds
of music, like Russian, Arabic,
Greek, Tuvan and others.

"It's kind of going around the
world of music in one class-
room. You learn the music of
almost every country and help
you to respect their values," said
Tonya Tulatine, 18.

The course also emphasizes
on the importance of music to
culture and how it's viewed by the
people that live in.

This class really helps me to
understand what music is all
about and how much of the im-
 pact can it have on lives of the
people. Music serves as the ref-
lection of their lives and their
culture is expressed in a sound,"
said one female student, 23.

"I love music, and plus this
puts into the song, which makes
me appreciate it even more," said
a male student, 20.

Jeremy Hatch learns a new beat in Music Cultures of the World. The class will be offered again in spring.

Oscar time means time for argument

'Memento' a piece to remember

The Academy Award nomi-
nations are coming up soon
and a film that doesn't deserve the
best picture of the year award
will probably end up winning.

Four great films came out this
year that deserve best picture
nominations that were original, interesting, and some-
times a little odd. The best film of 2001 was
not a movie with a top-notch movie star of a $100 million
dollar budget. Most likely you
haven't even heard of it or
seen it.

But it is one of the most
creative and interesting films to be
made in the last decade.

Memento came out in May
with critical praise and a lot of
Hollywood buzz about its story
line.

Memento is about Leonard, a
man who is trying to find his story
line.

He suffers from amnesia
and can't remember anything after
his wife's brutal murder. The plot
is basic but the most impor-
tant, to know about the film
is that it runs backwards. You
see the end of the film at the be-

ginning and the beginning of the
film at the end.

It is the most twisted, compli-
cated, smartest film that I have
ever watched.

The sad part is that the film
did not receive any Golden
Globe nominations, no critic's
awards, and probably won't re-
ceive any Academy Awards
nominations.

Instead of going to what I want
at the end of the year, the
Moulin Rouge was another
film that was barely seen in the
'90s, but was creative and original.

It's a musical, which is a little old school compared to the
rest of films of today, but the music
is beautiful and heartfelt, bringing
the rest of the film together.

Moulin Rouge was another
film that was barely seen in the
end of the year and should be
included in the best picture cate-
gory.

Moulin Rouge was another
film that was barely seen in the
end of the year and should be
included in the best picture cate-
gory.

Another one can tell by the current
Oscar issue of Entertainment Weekly as well as the slew of
movie-related awards shows that
the buzz is starting to build,
but nobody will know until Feb-
uary what movies will be nomi-
nated. Here is one opinion of
what movies should be nomi-
nated in the Best Picture cate-
gory.

'A Beautiful Mind' is by far the
most unique film of the year and
is evident in the fact that it has already
won the Critics' Choice Award and "Golden Globe" Award for that category. It is a
vivid, heartwarming story of a
true life of a tortured genius and
his triumph over adversity.

Russell Crowe is 100 percent
convincing as mathematician
John Nash and Jennifer
Connelly is equally effective and
charming as his loving, sup-
portive wife. They recently won
Globes themselves for their as-
tounding performances.

The movie spans his life as
he goes through his days as a
Princeton student, a mathematic-
ian instructor and his wife of the
Nobel Prize, all the while deal-
ing with schizophrenia. Please
don't let the subject of math de-
ter you from seeing this. The
movie is never boring and is of-
ten quite suspenseful.

In The Bedroom is the story of
one family's struggle to over-
come a devastating loss. Stu-
dy Spence won a Golden Globe for
her performance as a mother
who disagrees with her son's
determination to live as an older woman

(Marina Tromei, who deserves a
Best Supporting Actress nomi-
nation). The audience does not
simply watch this movie, but
actually becomes the characters
as we ask ourselves, "What
would we do in that situation?"

The Majestic is Frank
Darabont's shamefully over-
looked story of a screenwriter
(Jim Carrey) who will do almost
anything to avoid being black-
listed in '50s Hollywood. The
movie is not only set in the '50s
but is a terrific anachronism and
feels like it was made back then,
and plays as a Frank Capra film
from beginning to end. This is
the most delightful movie of the
year and is funny and inspira-
tional. It was a terrific movie
that I didn't want to end.

The Lord of the Rings had
only a moderately enjoyable
story, since it is the establish-
ing installment of a trilogy, but
it was easily the most visually im-
pressive movie of last year,
which was enough to secure a
spot among the Best Picture
nominees. Director Peter Jack-
son did a magnificent job of tak-
ing his audience to another
world and place and created a
world unique to those we saw in the
other offerings of the year.

While after seeing it, many of
the images in Rings are still
burning in my mind.
Piece of Sol shines

BY CJ GAMBRIEL
Staff Reporter

The pounding rhythms and flowing lyrics of Piece of Sol filled students’ ears yesterday in Building 8.

Piece of Sol is a Hip Hop group consisting of two female vocalists from Seattle, Laura Kelley (Piece), MariSol Masso, and a DJ, DV-One. Team Highline invited the group here in celebration of Martin Luther King Jr. Week.

Piece of Sol has a grassroots sound, with some of their background music incorporating different loops, like Laurenace of Arabia and Little Richard drum beats.

Piece and MariSol rapped back and forth, or at the same time, creating a tight, well-rehearsed sound.

The lyrics were the central focus of their performance, however, and were intelligent. In one song, Piece condemns African Americans who sell drugs to make a living, saying they might as well be selling cotton.

Piece is Muslim, and cites the Koran in some of her songs. When questioned about mixing up the words of the Koran, Piece simply says, "at least people are hearing it. The Koran is for everyone." Piece of Sol started as friends. Eventually they ended up jamming in a studio, thus creating Piece of Sol. Their friends Wordsayer and Kylea Piece were with the group from the beginning and are now their managers.

"We were brought together. It was purposeful," said Wordsayer.

"It's just kind of like fate. God brought us together," said MariSol.

"If you believe it, then be it, and live it, or let it be," said Piece.

Piece of Sol started as friends. Eventually they ended up jamming in a studio, thus creating Piece of Sol. Their friends Wordsayer and Kylea Piece were with the group from the beginning and are now their managers.

"We were brought together. It was purposeful," said Wordsayer.

"It's just kind of like fate. God brought us together," said MariSol.

"If you believe it, then be it, and live it, or let it be," said Piece.

Piece of Sol shines.

Fulle's art is full of hidden meaning

BY EMILY FISH
Staff Reporter

Each month an artist from this area has the opportunity to showcase their art in the library on the fourth floor. The kind of art that is displayed ranges from blown glass to oil paintings.

This month, until Feb. 2, an artist by the name of Alan Goodson Fulle has his work on display.

There are seven of Fulle's paintings displayed in the library. One of them is actually a key, which you use to decipher the other six paintings. Fulle calls this his "Dictionary Series."

"While I was spending time on the Southpoint Peninsula reading theories of modern art by Tipp... I was struck with the idea of how important language was," said Fulle.

"Everyone is searching for an underlined message in any painting that they look at. I wanted to create an art where the message was rather easy to discover. This is how I came up with the idea of a graphic based language."

One would have to see Fulle's art to fully understand what he is describing. Fulle uses a variety of paints to create natural to very vibrant backgrounds on his canvases. He then paints arrangements of black symbols on top of these backgrounds. Fulle uses these symbols to express ideas and opinions. It is like he has invented his own language.

It takes a little time to decipher the messages inscribed within his art, but with the help of a few others or a notepad it is possible.

One of the most interesting messages said: "I dream of an art where social conscious powerful timeless 2D abstraction elements of light and dark flow together in the same piece."

This message does a good job of describing what Fulle is trying to do with his work.

Fulle's work is worth a trip to the library. There is also another art show at the William Travers Gallery in Seattle on 1st and Union where you can see more of Fulle's work. Also if you'd like, you can check out his website at Algofu.com to see different styles of painting he has done.


Team Highline plans busy schedule

BY SHALYNN LEONARD
Staff Reporter

Team Highline hopes to teach you to dance this quarter. Also to think, find a date and have some fun.

The line-up for Winter Quarter includes:

* You can learn how to Salsa dance next Wednesday, Jan. 30, from noon to 1 p.m. in Building 8. The event is free.
* If Salsa's not your speed, try the Belly Dancing workshop at noon Jan. 31 in Building 8.
* There will be a poetry reading Feb. 4 starting at 11 a.m. in Building 8.
* It's fiesta time, Mardi Gras with music and food, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Feb. 12, in Building 8.
* For Valentine's Day, if you're single and looking for a date, there's a dating game on Feb. 14 in Building 8.
* The Corners will be jumping at the Four Corners of Hip Hop show on March 3, at 7 p.m. The cost is $5 at the door and $3 with canned food. "This is the biggest Hip Hop show around," said one Team Highline member.

Need a job to get experience, but need experience to get a job?

Co-operative education can help you get the experience you want plus the education you need. It's easy, but plan ahead!

think co-op!

Win A Trip To Hawaii!

OPEN HOUSE

$300 Move-in Special

Freshly Renovated Studios
1 & 2 bdrm apartment homes

- Dishwasher and disposal
- Patio/Balcony
- Two saunas/jacuzzi
- Weight room/Tanning
- Close to Des Moines Marina, shopping and dining
- Caring onsite management
- Onsite laundry facilities
- Mini-blinds
- Clubhouse
- Sport court

The Breakwater
23502 18th Place S
Des Moines, WA
206-870-1403
THIS WEEK, MY COMPUTER BROKE DOWN AGAIN. THAT EVENT DEVELOPED INTO A DOMINO EFFECT OF PROBLEMS.

ALTHOUGH THINGS ARE BETTER NOW, I AM LEFT WITH A MENTAL BLOCK...

SO I AM NOT SURE WHAT TO DO, EXCEPT TO LEAVE YOU DRAWINGS AND DOODLES FROM MY EVERYCONSCIENCE, SEE BOTTOM PANEL.

---

Janica

Continued from page 5

The third film that deserves a nomination is based on a famous novel of the same name. The Lord of the Rings: Fellowship of the Ring was another film that was intriguing. The film is based on the J.R.R. Tolkien novel. The characters in the film are likeable, and take you along a journey of elves and hobbits in the world of middle earth. If you don't understand the words I have just used, you have to see this film. The movie takes you into another world and is never boring even though it runs at over two and a half hours.

Dramas were not the only movies great this year. The Royal Tenenbaums is a story of a dysfunctional family. The family has three children, but grow up to be pathetic losers as adults. It is a hilarious tale of a messed up family but does not fail at making you cry a little at the end.

Each of these films deserve recognition this year in the best picture race at the Academy Awards. It is a little uncertain what films will get named best picture this year but these four films deserve to be named the best film.

---

Solution to last week's puzzle

---

Capitol Mixture

Across
1 Rental cars
5 Cow catcher
10 Old times
14 Type of vaccine
15 Computer code
16 Story start off
17 Philadelphia, e.g.
18 EYES ANCHOR
20 Fins
21 Miller, e.g.
22 Three-piece suit needs
23 Nonestries
25 Proceeds fly or mouse
27 22 Across material
29 Dispatch
33 Scout group
34 Follows tee
35 Pay dirt
36 RSA & OSA, e.g.
37 Cone
38 Break suddenly
39 Gertrud, for one
40 Bailey, for one
41 Fruiti lead in
42 Quality of grandeur
44 Advanced slowly
45 Stake
46 Opera singer
48 Bronze medal position
51 Serious disease
52 Magazine
53 SMART CANOE
58 Stamp, for one
59 Healer, for one
60 Proprietor
61 Golf club
62 1996 Tony winner
63 ... pastiche hit...
64 Swellline

Down
1 Image, for one
2 Dry-as-dust
3 OO ROB A TUNE
4 Pay
5 Splendid punch
6 Barbecue leftovers
7 Sinha's uncle
8 Walter Raleigh, for one
9 Artist medium
10 Models
11 Hill dwellers
12 Highlander
13 Sausage
16 Mile run, e.g.
21 Hook
24 Pieses
25 Auger
26 Justice Warren, for one
27 Piffed
28 Flynn, for one
29 At that place
30 GOUNER TOMMY
31 Angry
32 Thermometer
34 NASA concern
37 Melated
38 Bear
40 Bamboo efer
41 Circle of the O'U'Verbrooks
47 Allie

---

Crossword 101

By Ed Canty

6 Barbecue leftovers
7 Sinha's uncle
8 Walter Raleigh, for one
9 Artist medium
10 Models
11 Hill dwellers
12 Highlander
13 Sausage
16 Mile run, e.g.
21 Hook
24 Pieses
25 Auger
26 Justice Warren, for one
27 Piffed
28 Flynn, for one
29 At that place
30 GOUNER TOMMY
31 Angry
32 Thermometer
34 NASA concern
37 Melated
38 Bear
40 Bamboo efer
41 Circle of the O'U'Verbrooks
47 Allie

---

Quote of the Day

We have the power to do any damn fool thing we want to do, and we seem to do it about every ten minutes.

- J. William Fulbright
Lady T-Birds keep rolling along

Eighth straight win has team in good spirits and first place

By Bryan Sharick
Staff Reporter

The Lady T-Birds improved their league record to 6-0 and their overall record to 15-4 with their season-high eighth straight win of the season last week.

First Highline spanked Pierce (0-5, 1-14) on Wednesday, Jan. 16 by a score of 81-57. Then, the T-Birds beat Tacoma (14-4, 5-10) 69-51 on Saturday.

"When you win by a large margin, it's usually not helpful to see what you're doing wrong because everything works," said Head Coach Dennis Olson.

The Pirate game was also a big game for freshman Chelsey Holloway because it was her first playing time of the season since her knee surgery.

"She's a big girl. She does a nice job around the basket, but she's not in any kind of basketball shape because she's only had two practices," said Olson.

In 12 minutes, Holloway had 9 points, 4 rebounds, and 2 blocked shots.

"It was nice to get back into the swing of basketball again," said Holloway.

In the first half, Highline was off and running to an early lead by a score of 42-27.

The Lady T-Birds ruled the boards by out-rebounding Pierce 42-22. Highline also shot 49.2 percent from the field compared to Pierce who only shot 42.6 percent.

Highline also was nearly perfect from the charity stripe by shooting 13 of 15. Pierce had troubles from the free-throw line and only shot 11 of 26.

The leading scorer for the Thunderbirds in the game, and also the season's team leader in scoring with 13.2 points a game, was Brianna Duerr with 17.

"Our effort and defense was good. We were running our plays crisply," said sophomore guard Kristin Boyd.

Erin Bender and Shalynn Leonard also rang in with 11 points apiece. Lauryn Jones also snagged down nine rebounds. Jones is also the team second leading rebounder averaging 6.9 per contest.

Pierce was also at a definite disadvantage with only six players on their roster.

"This was a good game because Chelsey Holloway came back and gave us a lot of height," said Jones.

The game in Tacoma purely seemed a scrimmage for the Thunderbirds as Jones rang in with 14 points and 8 boards.

"We played very good defense in the first half, but in the second we got a little ragged. Overall, I was pleased," said Olson.

Ashley Agnew, a freshman from Centralia, also sunk in 14 for Highline.

"Ashley Agnew had a really good game off the bench," said Olson.

Highline also faced Grays Harbor (3-2, 4-11) on Wednesday at home, but results were not available at press time.

The next games for Highline are on Wednesday, Jan. 30 at Centralia (5-1, 13-5) at 8 p.m. Centralia is snapping on the heels of the Thunderbirds because they are sitting at second place in the Western Division.

After that, the Thunderbirds face off against the No. 3 team in the Western Division, Clark (4-1, 11-5), in Vancouver at 5 p.m.

"We're undefeated in league so you can't ask for anything more than that. There's a lot that can happen, but we're very pleased with where we are," said Olson.

"We'll just try to do what we do and do it a little better each time."

All stats and records are as of Jan. 22.

Olson graces the pages of Sports Illustrated

By Michael Kube
Staff Reporter

Highline Women's Head Basketball Coach Dennis Olson was recognized in Sports Illustrated's Jan. 7 issue for accomplishing a huge milestone in his career.

In the magazine's "Faces in the Crowd" section, which highlights the comings and goings of lesser known athletes and coaches around the globe, Olson was featured for getting the 500th win of his coaching career.

In addition to coaching at Highline for the past four seasons, Olson was a women's high school coach for 19 years.

"I didn't start coaching until I was 33 and I didn't have any experience," said Olson. "I try to work hard... and that seemed to work."

Amazingly Olson reached 500 wins before reaching 100 losses. He has also had a winning record in every year of his admirable career.

"Regardless of whether I've had great talent or not, we've always had good years," said Olson.

Before coming to Highline, Olson coached at Aiburn High School. In 11 seasons, his team reached the state championship game seven times, winning twice.

"I think my No. 1 achievement is most of my players seemed to have enjoyed playing basketball,"

-Dennis Olson, head women's basketball coach

Olson was named Washington state's high school women's coach of the century.

At 61, Olson is retired other than his coaching duties. He plans to keep coaching "as long as someone will hire me," said Olson.
Titans blow out Highline, get revenge

Up and down week ends with a Highline loss

By Matthew Miller
Staff Reporter

The Highline men continued their streaky play last week. They split their last two games and fell to fifth place in the Western Division.

The win came against Pierce last Wednesday as the Thunderbirds (11-7, 3-3) traveled to Tacoma and came away victorious 78-77. Freshman guard, JR Stephens had a game high 18 points and was a major contributor in the Thunderbirds league victory. Stephens, who is averaging around 11 points a game, nailed five three-pointers in the game.

"My teammates were able to get me the ball when I was open and I was able to make the shots, that’s what I like about this team," said Stephens. Jeelani McDonald and Jason Cardenas continued their dominant play in the post for Highline. McDonald finished with 15 points, shooting six of seven from the field and grabbing nine boards while Cardenas added 14 points and equalled McDonald with nine rebounds of his own.

Austin Nicholson sealed the victory after sinking two free throws to put Highline up 78-74. A Pierce player made a last gasp three-point play time expired to give the Thunderbirds the one point edge.

"This was a big win, a big road win, any win in this league is a good win," said Head Coach Jeff Albrecht.

Next, Highline made the trip to Tacoma’s saxeline gym on Saturday as the Titans averaged last year’s NWAACC title game loss was 72-49 thrilling of the Thunderbirds. Tacoma showed why they have one of the top defenses in the NWAACC, holding Highline well below the 71-point average they usually surrender to opponents. After Stephens had the first shot of the game everybody went down hill from there for the Thunderbirds. Highline had trouble finding their rhythm on offense all game long.

"This loss puts us off even though we were undefeated we still should have come out with a lot more heart than that. I thought we were going to win at least but we just got to step it up from here on out," said Stephens.

Highline shot a respectable 50 percent from the field in the first half but was zero for four from behind the arc. The Thunderbirds also had no answer for the Titans Calvin Eno who had 15 points in the first half and finished with a game high 23.

Highline’s Austin Nicholson is fouled hard by JR Stephens during practice on Tuesday. Highline had a tough week after losing to first place Tacoma 72-49 on Saturday.

Tacoma led at halftime by a score of 41-23. The second half managed to get worse for Highline as the Titans couldn’t buy a shot. Titans guard Patrick Hills was four of four from three point range in the second half, all but ending the Thunderbirds chances of a comeback.

As the game went on it was evident that it just wasn’t Highline’s day.

Peter Perez attempted to save face for Highline with two of his signature dunks. However, it was not nearly enough. Perez ended the day with a team high 14 points.

"I don’t know what happened, it was like we were playing scared or something," said Perez.

"They’re as good as their record indicates and we didn’t play very well so what happened is you lose by 20. We’ll be fine though. We’ve been in this predicament before, so we just have to continue to stay on course and continue to get better and hopefully by the end of the year we’ll be playing our best ball," said Albrecht.

Highline looked to turn things around last night against last place Grays Harbor (9-15, 0-5). Scores of that game were not available at press time. The Thunderbirds next games will be on Wednesday Jan. 30 at Cowlitz (9-10, 2-4) and Saturday Feb. 2 at Clark (7-10, 2-3), both games will have a 6 p.m. tip-off.

Wrestlers getting closer to culmination of season

Smith returns to add boost to team

By Mcahterston
Staff Reporter

Over the extended weekend, Clackamas Community College hosted the Highline wrestlers at two separate events. First, on Friday the Thunderbirds suited up for a dual against Oregon teams that could have better been left forgotten.

"It was a good night, we got hammered on Friday," said Head Coach Todd Owens. "On Saturday, our guys were pretty well and had some guys play.

Early the next morning, Highline suited up and a poor showing at the dual with a strong performance at the Clackamas College Open.

Several wrestlers won matches, including payback wins by Ty Satiacum and Joe Castro. Other winners included Chris Babka with four, and Stephen Grimm with three.

Team Captain and lasts year’s national champion, Trevor Smith came back from an injured back this weekend winning six matches and placing third in the tournament.

Highline’s final dual of the year will be his battle against Douglas College of Canada. "Winning is not important. We need to get healthy and ready for regionals," said Coach Owens. "If we are healthy we should win though.

In preparation for the regional tournament next month, Coach Owens will choose the 10 wrestlers that will make the trip to Idaho, on Saturday. "Practice has been good, guys are working hard," said Owens.

Satiacum, Castro, and Wayne Swartz all are on the verge of going to the next level and have a great shot to place.

"A number of guys have a chance to place if they’re healthy," Trevor Smith will challenge for the title, and Carlos Adamy is a potential national champion," said Coach Owens.

Bobby Brokenshire, a 125 pound sophomore, summed up the season and warned the league, "With me back in the lineup we’ll take it all the way."

Highline’s final regular season match of the year against Douglas College this Saturday will be held at 5 p.m. at the Thunderdome.

Voice of the students

Sports

January 24, 2002

Get a higher education in every sense

Bastry is proud to be the country’s first accredited institution to offer an herbal sciences program. Explore medicinal herbs, get to the root of herbal quality issues. And be prepared for a growing career in your choice of fields.

Got Thirst? Get water.
Got Lice? Thats to bad.
Got Sports news? Call us.
(206) 878-3710 ex.3317
### Scoreboard

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Men's Basketball</th>
<th>Eastern Division</th>
<th>3-point shooting</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>West Division</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>W L W L</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tacoma</td>
<td>4 2 15 3</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>L Columbia</td>
<td>4 2 15 3</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>S. Puget Sound</td>
<td>3 2 11 6</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Green River</td>
<td>2 2 11 6</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HIGHLINE</td>
<td>3 3 11 7</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Clark</td>
<td>2 3 7 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pierce</td>
<td>2 3 9 8</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Centralia</td>
<td>2 4 8 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Grays Harbor</td>
<td>0 0 0 15</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>North Division</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Shoreline</td>
<td>5 1 7 8</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bellevue</td>
<td>4 1 6 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Edmonds</td>
<td>3 2 7 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Olympic</td>
<td>3 2 9 8</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Seattle</td>
<td>3 3 9 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Everett</td>
<td>2 3 5 11</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Whatcom</td>
<td>2 4 8 11</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Highline 78, Pierce 77</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Yellowstone, L. Columbia 71</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Centralia</td>
<td>5 1 13 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Clark</td>
<td>4 1 11 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Grays Harbor</td>
<td>3 2 4 11</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Col. Basin</td>
<td>1 1 8 7</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>S. Puget Sound</td>
<td>2 3 12 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tacoma</td>
<td>1 4 5 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Green River</td>
<td>0 5 2 14</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pierce</td>
<td>0 5 1 14</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>North Division</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Whatcom</td>
<td>5 0 15 1</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Shagl Valley</td>
<td>4 1 9 6</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Edmonds</td>
<td>3 2 7 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Olympic</td>
<td>3 2 10 8</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Shagl Valley</td>
<td>1 4 4 11</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Peninsula</td>
<td>0 6 2 14</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Southern Division</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Umpqua</td>
<td>4 0 18 1</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Chemeseka</td>
<td>3 1 14 4</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Clackamas</td>
<td>3 1 15 3</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lane</td>
<td>2 2 13 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SW Oregon</td>
<td>2 2 9 2</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lone</td>
<td>2 2 13 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>McDonald</td>
<td>15 15 15</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Blackman</td>
<td>1 1 8 7</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>McDonald</td>
<td>1 1 8 7</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Highline 72, Pierce 49</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>H: Stephens</td>
<td>15, 5; Cardenas 14, 9;</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Centralia</td>
<td>5 1 13 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Clark</td>
<td>4 1 11 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Grays Harbor</td>
<td>3 2 4 11</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Col. Basin</td>
<td>1 1 8 7</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>S. Puget Sound</td>
<td>2 3 12 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tacoma</td>
<td>1 4 5 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Green River</td>
<td>0 5 2 14</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pierce</td>
<td>0 5 1 14</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>North Division</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Whatcom</td>
<td>5 0 15 1</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Shagl Valley</td>
<td>4 1 9 6</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Edmonds</td>
<td>3 2 7 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Olympic</td>
<td>3 2 10 8</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Shagl Valley</td>
<td>1 4 4 11</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Peninsula</td>
<td>0 6 2 14</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Southern Division</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Umpqua</td>
<td>4 0 18 1</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Chemeseka</td>
<td>3 1 14 4</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Clackamas</td>
<td>3 1 15 3</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lane</td>
<td>2 2 13 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SW Oregon</td>
<td>2 2 9 2</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lone</td>
<td>2 2 13 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>McDonald</td>
<td>15 15 15</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Blackman</td>
<td>1 1 8 7</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>McDonald</td>
<td>1 1 8 7</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Highline 72, Pierce 49</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>H: Stephens</td>
<td>15, 5; Cardenas 14, 9;</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**3-point shooting**

- **Wright Stables**
  - 15
- **Kendrick Strickland**
  - 15
- **Paul Ritter**
  - 15

**Men's Basketball**

**Scores**

- **Highline 71, Pierce 77**
  - 5
- **Shagl Valley**
  - 4
- **Edmonds**
  - 3
- **Olympic**
  - 3
- **Seattle**
  - 1
- **Everett**
  - 1
- **Whatcom**
  - 0

**Rebounds**

- **Highline 71, Pierce 77**
  - 18
- **Shagl Valley**
  - 18
- **Edmonds**
  - 18
- **Olympic**
  - 18
- **Seattle**
  - 18
- **Everett**
  - 18
- **Whatcom**
  - 18

**Free Throw %**

- **Highline 71, Pierce 77**
  - 82%
- **Shagl Valley**
  - 82%
- **Edmonds**
  - 82%
- **Olympic**
  - 82%
- **Seattle**
  - 82%
- **Everett**
  - 82%
- **Whatcom**
  - 82%

**Assists**

- **Highline 71, Pierce 77**
  - 18
- **Shagl Valley**
  - 18
- **Edmonds**
  - 18
- **Olympic**
  - 18
- **Seattle**
  - 18
- **Everett**
  - 18
- **Whatcom**
  - 18

**Women's Basketball**

**Scores**

- **Highline 71, Pierce 77**
  - 5
- **Shagl Valley**
  - 4
- **Edmonds**
  - 3
- **Olympic**
  - 3
- **Seattle**
  - 1
- **Everett**
  - 1
- **Whatcom**
  - 0

**Rebounds**

- **Highline 71, Pierce 77**
  - 18
- **Shagl Valley**
  - 18
- **Edmonds**
  - 18
- **Olympic**
  - 18
- **Seattle**
  - 18
- **Everett**
  - 18
- **Whatcom**
  - 18

**Free Throw %**

- **Highline 71, Pierce 77**
  - 82%
- **Shagl Valley**
  - 82%
- **Edmonds**
  - 82%
- **Olympic**
  - 82%
- **Seattle**
  - 82%
- **Everett**
  - 82%
- **Whatcom**
  - 82%

**Assists**

- **Highline 71, Pierce 77**
  - 18
- **Shagl Valley**
  - 18
- **Edmonds**
  - 18
- **Olympic**
  - 18
- **Seattle**
  - 18
- **Everett**
  - 18
- **Whatcom**
  - 18

**Where is Highline going?**

**WINTER TRANSFER FAIR**

- **Thursday, January 31, 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Bldg 8, Upper Level.**
- **Over 20 representatives from Washington state four-year colleges and universities will be here! Several out-of-state schools will be represented as well.**

**Where is Highline going?**

**University of Washington (Seattle)**

- **Friday, February 8 from 12 p.m.-4:30 p.m.: The Transfer Center will be taking Highline students to UW Seattle for "Plan-a-Transfer Day" at the Husky Union Building. Find out more about Admissions, Choosing a Major/Career, Financial Aid, Bothell & Tacoma campuses, Office of Minority Affairs, Pakistan, Engineering, and other majors & departments. We will leave Highline at 11 a.m. and return at approximately 5:30 p.m.**
Cars get towed from gravel lot

Be aware of no parking signs

BY ROSS TIMBROOK
AND LEANDRA DIAS
Staff Reporters

BE AWARE! Unauthorized vehicles will be towed at owner's expense. Students see the signs posted all over behind Highline Teriyaki and around the gravel area next to the Antique Mall, but still risk having their car get towed. If you are a student at Highline your car will be towed if you are parked in these unauthorized areas.

"Several Highline students have had their cars towed and paid up to $150," reported a Highline student.

Due to the higher number of students enrolled here at Highline, the demand for parking spaces has forced several students to look for off-campus parking sites.

Limited spaces on campus has led to students to park next to the Antique Mall.

One of the places that some students have been parking is behind Highline Teriyaki at 23629 Pacific Highway South. This restaurant is also another entrance to Highline off of Pacific Highway South. Students are not allowed to park on the restaurant parking for free.

Des Moines mayor chosen at city council meeting

BY AARON ERNST
Staff Reporter

The city of Des Moines got a new mayor at the year's first City Council meeting. Veteran Councilman Don Wasson was chosen as mayor, edging out former Mayor ProTem Bob Sheekler.

Des Moines' mayor is chosen from among the city council members, four of whom were newly elected last November.

The vote at the Jan. 10 meeting was a victory for the council's newest members, three of whom unseated incumbents in the November election.

The group also elected Richard Benjamin as mayor pro tem.

Some of the new council members have questioned the city's continuing battle with Seattle-Tacoma International Airport over the addition of a third runway.

That drew an overflow crowd of airport opponents to the meeting, who bombarded the council with complaints about the Port of Seattle and its airport expansion plans.

Des Moines supports efforts against a third runway in part through monetary contributions to the Airport Communities Coalition, or ACC, the lobbying arm of a handful of South King County communities including Burien, Tukwila and Federal Way.

The new council members question the burden on the city's budget of about $425,000. However, Bob Sheekler, who is also chairman of the ACC, says that the funds are taken from only a portion of the utility tax.

New Councilwoman Maggie Stemond announced that she has withdrawn her lawsuit against the city, saying that she wanted to put the past behind and move on.

Citing the taxpayer burden, she commented that the lawsuit would "enrobe the taxpayer money I set out to protect." Her lawsuit stemmed from a past council decision to use money from the 2002 budget in the 2001 fiscal year. That money was spent by the council for its fight against the runway.

At the meeting, citizens and other elected officials urged the council not to pull out of the ACC.

"Now is not the time to throw in the towel," said State Rep. Dave Upthegrove, D-Des Moines.

County councilwoman Julia Patterson, D-SeaTac, followed expressing her concern about the pollution problems related to a new runway project at SeaTac airport.

She commented on how membership in the ACC was important to address concerns with the Port of Seattle, saying that the port "has yet to engage in serious dialogue with the communities."

In other business, new Councilman Gary Petersen announced that he may be unable to serve on the council because his towing company, Pete's Towing, has contracts with the city. There may be a "potential conflict" with him serving.

He said he was waiting for word from the state Attorney General's office before making a decision to resign.

Ever hear of State Work-Study?

Let Career and Employment Services introduce you to the Washington State Work Study Program.

Visit us in Building 6 - upper level.

What is the State Work Study?

State Work Study is an earn-while-you-learn program that places eligible college students into part-time positions that are aligned with their identified career goals. Students gain practical work experience while they help pay for their education.

Employers are reimbursed 65% of your wage while receiving the benefit of a skilled employee.

To establish your eligibility, complete a "Free Application For Student Aid" application, which can be found in the Financial Aid office.
Student senator leaves government

BY JESSICA LEE

Due to resignation, Student Government has a student position vacant.

Requirements for the position include current enrollment at Highline, including a minimum of eight credits, and an accumulated GPA of 2.5 or greater.

The process of choosing the student senator will be through an application and interview, and Student Government officials say they want someone who is outgoing, friendly, a good worker, responsible, an idea person, creative, someone who cares about student body, someone who is excited about making a difference in the school.

Application forms and guidelines are available from Martha Shirley in Building 5, (206) 878-3710, ext. 3301, or visit the Student Government office in Building 6.

If you are interested in becoming a senator, pick up an application in Building 6. Application forms are due Jan. 20, 2002, in Building 6; applications will be accepted until March 1.

For more information please contact:
Dr. Madeline Lovell, Director, Social Work Program
306.396.5397
mlowell@highline.edu

Washington Award for Vocational Excellence - WAVE

The WAVE, scholarship is awarded to students for outstanding achievement in vocational-technical education.

Every year, the WAVE program gives scholarships for ten quarters (four semesters) of tuition and fees at two and four-year colleges, universities and technical schools in Washington state. One WAVE recipient is chosen from each legislative district by the committee. The applicant must be a resident of Washington state. Any student currently enrolled and completing 360 hours in a single, approved vocational program by June 30, 2002, is eligible to apply.

Application forms and guidelines are available from Martha Shirley in Building 5, (206) 878-3710, ext. 3301, or at www.wtc.wa.gov/wave.html.

Deadline is February 14, 2002

A Two-Year, Full-Ride Scholarship!