

# Oregon Daily Emerald

## Entertainment

RoboCop is back on the streets of Detroit, this time battling a society thrown into chaos by a highly addictive drug.

Part man, part machine, RoboCop (Peter Weller), faces the seemingly impossible task of ridding his city of its addiction to Nuke in Irvin Kershner's *RoboCop 2*.

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## Briefly

WASHINGTON (AP) — Bush administration officials worked in private Monday to complete their plan for saving the rare northern spotted owl without crippling the Northwest timber industry.

With the plan due out on Tuesday, some congressional sources said the administration would back away from a Forest Service-sponsored proposal that would cut the timber harvest nearly in half on federal lands in the Northwest, at a cost of 28,000 timber jobs.

"They most likely are not going to adopt" the recommendations of a panel of government scientists who studied the spotted owl and its chances of survival, said one congressional source.

## Weather



Partly cloudy today, with highs reaching 80. The clouds will return tonight, and will remain Wednesday with a chance of showers.



## Dead merrymaking

Bob Weir, guitarist for the Grateful Dead, entertains a crowd of 25,000 during Sunday's concert in Autzen Stadium.

Photo by Sean Poston

## University gets \$5,000 donation

By Daralyn Trappe  
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Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Oregon has donated \$5,000 to the University Foundation in the name of former University student Tiana Tozer in order to increase wheelchair accessibility on campus.

At Tozer's request, the money will be used to make restrooms in the EMU wheelchair accessible.

Tozer was hit by a drunk driver in May 1988 and has used a wheelchair since then.

After the accident, Tozer began a campaign against drunk driving that included speeches at schools across the state and appearances in a series of commercials about driving while intoxicated. The ads were sponsored by Blue Cross and Blue Shield.



Tiana Tozer

Tozer graduated with a bachelor's degree from the University earlier this month and begins graduate school at the University of Illinois in the fall.

"We've been doing quite a bit of publicity service work with her," said Ron Morgan of Blue Cross and Blue Shield. "We wanted to leave something behind on campus in her name. She mentioned that there were areas on campus that could use improvement."

The money donated to the University came from a Blue Cross and Blue Shield employees' fund. Every year the employees choose a different recipient for the money.

Fred Tepfer of the Office of University Planning said the project will probably be completed by fall term. At least one men's and one women's restroom in the EMU will be made wheelchair accessible. Depending on the cost, Tepfer said, there may be enough money to accommodate more than two restrooms.

## Goodwill offers jobs to the homeless

By Pat Malach  
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Goodwill Industries of Lane County is working to employ homeless people from the Eugene area.

The Homeless Employment program, which started in October of this year, offers open-ended employment to people who have trouble getting jobs because they have no address.

"It's a Catch-22 situation," said Melinda McLaughlin, public relations director for Goodwill. "When you have no job you can't get housing. And when you have no housing you can't get a job."

The program offers jobs to nine homeless people who are referred to Goodwill by area churches, shelters and government agencies. The program will, however, accept people who come in without references.

The average employee of the program is a white male in his late 20s who has been unemployed for at least six months, said Henry Miller of Goodwill.

The open-ended nature of the program allows people to work for as long as they want. That can mean several months or just one day.

"We try to fulfill the needs of a particular individual at that time. We've had the whole gamut here," Miller said. "We get people wanting to assimilate back into the working world and we get people who are just looking for enough pocket change to move on."



Photo by Sean Poston

John Guenther works on a bicycle as part of Goodwill's employment program. He has been working full-time since November.

McLaughlin said there is no screening process that takes place and no one needs to prove eligibility for the jobs.

"It's hard to screen people and find out who is serious and who is not," she said. "We like to give them that chance to prove themselves."

Payment for the jobs starts at minimum wage and varies from job to job.

While the Homeless Employment program can provide a work history and references necessary to help people assimilate back into the job market, it is not a rehabilitation program.

"Every job is a real job. They are not created jobs," Miller said.

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