

UNIVERSITY

Student in satisfactory condition

By Carrie Dennett
Emerald Reporter

A University student who was critically injured last week when she was thrown from a state-owned van is recovering following pelvic surgery Monday night at a hospital in Reno.

Gabrielle Hubbard, 19, a freshman undeclared major, was moved out of intensive care at Washoe Medical Center Monday. She is listed in satisfactory condition.

"I'm doing well," Hubbard said by phone. "I'll probably be here until Wednesday of next week."

Hubbard said she and most of the six other passengers were asleep when the van rolled over about 7:30 a.m. on Highway 376 near Tonapah, Nev.

Susan Winn, 21, a junior English major, was killed in the accident.

"All I remember is when I woke up in intensive care and realized 'oh my God, I'm in the hospital,'" she said. "I had thought it was a dream, that the van rolled over, but then I knew it wasn't a dream."

Hubbard said that many of the passengers were not wearing their seatbelts at the time of the accident because they were asleep.

"I was huddling against Susie; we were sharing the same seat," she said. "It's just a weird experience to realize that I was sitting next to her, then she died."

"I feel really bad that Susie lost her life, and I wish that I could have gone to the funeral," Hubbard said.

Winn's funeral was held Monday morning in Saratoga, Calif.

Hubbard said they were hoping to take a shortcut to Mercury, Nev., the site of the American Peace Test, but had taken a wrong turn.

"We realized we took a wrong turn, so we stopped the van, got out and walked around," she said. "We watched the sunset, it was really beautiful. We took some pictures, and got back in the van."

"We had just driven a few more miles before we fell asleep," she said.

"We had just had this beautiful moment, and then the accident happened."

Hubbard said she plans on traveling to the American Peace Test next year, despite the accident.

"I feel really bad about not going," she said. "I even thought about going before I leave Nevada."

This would have been the first time Hubbard attended the APT.

"I was just hoping to go and give some support for all the people who are working for peace," she said.

Johnathan Schwartz, a 22-year-old junior psychology major and the driver at the time of the accident, was arrested for involuntary manslaughter, a routine charge when a fatality is involved, and released on his own recognizance.

The Eugene Register-Guard reported Wednesday that the district attorney's office has not yet decided if Schwartz will be prosecuted.

Hubbard said she has recently talked to Schwartz.

"He was hurting, he was looking pretty down," she said. "I was trying to comfort him, and tell him to look on the bright side."

Hubbard, Winn and Mary Ager, 20, a sophomore sociology major, were all thrown from the van. Ager was released from a hospital in Tonapah Friday, and is now recovering from a fractured shoulder at her parents' home in San Diego.

The other passengers were released from the hospital the day of the accident.

GTFF to hold membership meeting

MEETINGS

Graduate Teaching Fellow Federation has a membership meeting at 1:30 p.m. at 870 E. 13th St.

Et als

Alpha Phi Omega meets in the Carson Hall Gold Room at 6 p.m.

Circle K International meets at 6:30 tonight at the Agate Street Crosswalk for Redwood Villa.

Alpha Kappa Delta Honor Society meets at 5 p.m. for information on GRE's, the graduate school entrance exams, in 705 PLC.

OSPIRG's Recycling Group has a meeting in EMU Century Room F at 5:30 p.m.

MISCELLANEOUS

Earth Week Table will be giving information on alternative energy and the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in the EMU lobby from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. This event is sponsored by OSPIRG and the Survival Center.

CD-ROM tutorial to learn to use the library's computerized database to find information in education takesplace in the Knight Library's reference department at 4 p.m.

Larry R. Churchill, professor of medicine, technology and the humanities at the University of North Carolina, will speak on "Rationing, Rights, and Responsibilities: Basic Vocabulary of a Health Care Ethic for the Future." The lecture takes place today in 100 Willamette at 7:30 p.m. and is sponsored by the Humanities Center.

Free MAC Workshop today in Room 175 at the Computing Center from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. for those interested in learning advanced Macintosh.

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The University Outdoor Program presents "Best of the Alps," a slide show by Jim Blanchard, noted outdoorsman and director of the University Outdoor Pursuit Program. The event is at 7:30 p.m. in 110 Willamette. For more information call 346-4365.

RELIGION

The Jesus Film will be shown in the McAlister Lounge tonight at 8. This event is sponsored by the Campus Crusade for Christ.

The Newman Center, 1859

Emerald St., is sponsoring a Bible study on the gospel of Luke at 7:30 p.m.

Deadline for submitting Et als to the Emerald front desk, EMU Suite 300, is noon the day before publication. Et als run the day of the event unless the event takes place before noon.

Notices of events with a donation or admission charge will not be accepted. Campus events and those scheduled nearest the publication date will be given priority. The Emerald reserves the right to edit notices for grammar and style.

THE FAR SIDE

By GARY LARSON



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Thailand and much of day, known as "Songkran" traditionally go to statues of the Buddha, at everyone, even to be soaked because the evils of the old year, new life as well, people cages and pour fish from river. The full three days at which time the day are replaced by playing games. It is throwing of water will and thus insure good

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- Why is it so difficult to graduate within four years?
- Should the University place greater emphasis on advising?
- What is the current state of the campus environment?
- What are the major concerns about undergraduate life?

Wednesday, April 17, 1991
Wednesday, April 24, 1991
12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.
EMU Gumwood or Walnut Room

Come express your views and take an active role in your education.

Materials will be available ahead of time at ASUO, the Provost's Office, or by calling Student Affairs, 346-1129.