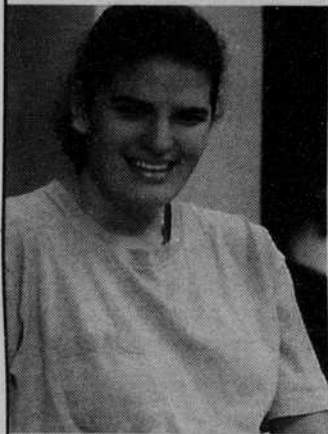
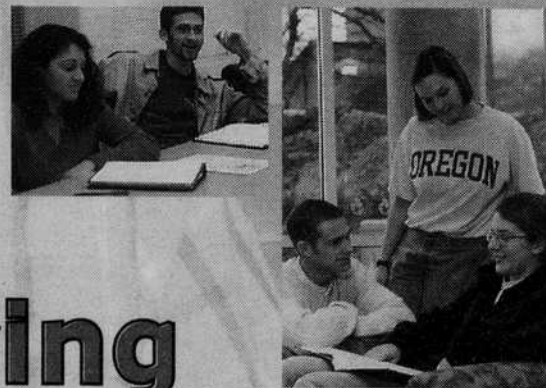


It's about **roadtrips...**  
without crashes  
or injuries



It's about **GPAs...**  
not **DUIs** and **MIPs**

It's about **keeping**  
**our friendships**  
**alive...**  
not having our friends die



It's about **preserving**  
**our community...**  
not destroying it



It's about **drinking alcohol**  
**responsibly**  
or **not drinking**  
**at all...**



UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

News brief

**Senate approves funds for KWVA celebration, engineer**

The ASUO Student Senate approved a transfer of \$1,320 from Senate surplus to a remote engineering account for KWVA campus radio. These funds will be used to pay for the station's upcoming 10th birthday celebration and for a remote broadcasting engineer at this week's ASUO Street Faire.

KWVA needs the funds to pay the engineer for monitoring all live broadcasts according to FCC regulations, KWVA general manager Charlotte Nisser said. She added that remote broadcasts are not only beneficial for students but for people around the world who can tune in to the broadcast through the Internet.

An APASU request was approved to transfer funds from its Asian Heritage Month account to its food account to be used for food during the month's events.

The Senate elected Eric Bailey as ombudsman. Bailey said he would like to increase the Senate's outreach to students by having senators hold office hours in their respective schools. He said that his past experience as ombudsman will help him with his new position.

The Senate also passed a resolution in support of the current method of distributing student incidental fees. It also discussed a new rule that states that senators must contact the person who will be replacing them the following year.

The Senate also discussed the use of a senator's title to endorse election candidates, resulting in no change in current policy.

Senate administrative assistant Karyn Gillbert resigned.

— Chelsea Duncan

Campus buzz

Friday

Foreign Language and International Studies Day, 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m., throughout campus, free, 346-1538.

"Little Known Tales of Oregon History" (presentation), 10 a.m.-noon, Baker Downtown Center, 975 High St., free, 346-0697.

MFA 2003 (fine arts graduate exhibition), 11 a.m.-3 p.m., Jacobs Gallery, Hult Center, Seventh Avenue and Willamette Street, free, 346-3610.

"The Craft of Public Scholarship and Its Role in Advancing and Promoting Informed Democracy" (discussion), noon-1 p.m., 159 PLC, 346-3934.

"Motion Painting" (workshop), noon-2 p.m., M283 Lawrence, free, 346-3610.

"Gems From the World of Gilbert and Sullivan" (presentation), 1:30-3:30 p.m., Baker Downtown Center, 975 High St., free, 346-0697.

"Fellow Families: Gay Male Intimacy and Kinship in a Global Metropolis" (lecture), 2-3:30 p.m., Knight Library Browsing Room, free, 346-5075.

SARS

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depend on how the SARS epidemic progresses and the response from government agencies, such as the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Vanderkar added.

CDC and the World Health Organization have issued travel advisories to Toronto, Canada, China, Vietnam and Singapore. They recommend nonessential travel to these areas be avoided.

According to the most recent information from WHO, there are 4,288 reported cases of SARS worldwide, with 39 reported in the United States. More than 200 people have died from the pneumonia-like disease, though no deaths have occurred in the United States.

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