

Still RANTING RAVING
 QUALITY CONTROLLED BY CHRISTOPHER LUNDGREN (INSPECTOR #37)
THIS WEEK'S STORY:
 "LIFE & DEATH, PART III: THE END OF THE BEGINNING"

IT WOULD ALL COME DOWN TO THIS MOMENT. THE FATE OF MY LIFE WAS RIDING ON MY DECISION. IN RETROSPECT, I PROBABLY COULDN'T HAVE COME UP WITH SOMETHING MORE CLEVER HAD I THOUGHT ABOUT IT LONGER, BUT I WAS FEELING SAUCY...

... AND THIS IS THE "SCISSORS." "SCISSORS" CUTS "PAPER," BUT GETS CRUSHED BY THE "ROCK."

YOU SEE, ALL IS IN PERFECT BALANCE.

FOR EVERY ACTION, THERE'S A COUNTER RE-ACTION. IT'S LIKE A METAPHOR FOR LIFE.

WOW, THAT'S REALLY NEAT. - BUT I STILL THINK IT SOUNDS AWFULLY VIOLENT. WHAT WITH ALL THE CUTTING AND SMASHING AND ALL...

YOU DO REMEMBER THAT YOU HIT ME WITH A CAR, RIGHT? SOMEHOW I THINK "KILL WITH VEHICLE" BEATS OUT "PAPER-ROCK-SCISSORS" ON THE VIOLENCE METER BY ABOUT 500 POINTS.

SERIOUSLY, I AM SO SORRY ABOUT THAT! I WAS HAVING SECOND THOUGHTS, BUT I DIDN'T WANT TO LET MY BROTHER DOWN AND...

IT'S OKAY GRIM! I WAS JUST TEASING. I'M NOT MAD AT YOU. YOU WERE JUST DOING YOUR JOB.

YOU'RE REALLY FUNNY. I WOULD'VE NEVER EXPECTED THE "GRIM REAPER" TO BE SO NICE.

YEAH, WELL, I AM NEW AT THIS...

... OR SO I THOUGHT.

WELL, BLOODY HELL!

THE MOMENT OF TRUTH

ONE...

TWO...

THREE!

I'M PRETTY SURE THAT AT THAT MOMENT THERE HAD BEEN NO CALCULATIONS, NO SECOND-GUESSING OF THE OPPONENT'S MOVE. I THINK, MAYBE, WE JUST CLEARED OUR MINDS AND THREW OUT WHATEVER SIGN CAME MOST NATURALLY.

AND I WON MY FREEDOM.

It's ironic to consider that my life didn't truly begin until after I died...

THE END

Classified Ads

92 Taurus GL: 3.8 liter, V6, automatic, 4-door, runs/looks excellent. All power. Silver. \$3500 OBO. (503) 655-4614 for details.

Customer Service: With opportunity for advancement \$12.16 per hour training benefits are provided. Immediate openings PFT flexible schedule. 1-888-819-4160

Web Designer Wanted to update The Print's website weekly. Cooperative Work Experience Credit available. Contact Linda at X 2310.

Roomate Wanted: \$430 util. included 2 bdr. 2 bth. No pets. Call Brandy for details. 503-720-5783

Two Tiny Poodles: black in color. Vet checked, shots, de-wormed, almost potty trained. DOB 11/9/00. Maybe offer. 503-657-0779

1984 Honda Civic: 2 dr, hatchback, 4 cyl, auto, new brakes, new axle, runs/drives good, min. bid \$700. See Nick or Pam in automotive or call x2569 or x2354 for more info.

1988 Mercury Tracer: 4 dr, 4 cyl, auto, A/C, new radiator, hoses, water pump, runs/drives good. Min. bid \$700. Call Nick @ x2569 or Pam @ x2345 or come down to automotive for more info.

Jokes n' Riddles by Liesl Muggli

HELP, I'M DROWNING!!!

AHH!!!

AS LONG AS HER FEET ARE IN THE POND, YOU'LL BE PUMPING WATER.

Power to the Turkeys!

(A Public Service Message from the Clackamas Print.)

Announcements

Tutoring Works Need a Tutor? Get help before it's too late. Drop-in, one-on-one, small groups, and on-line tutors are available for most subjects. Contact Don Shula in CC 122, or call X 2324.

Snow Boarders and Skiers It's not too late to sign up for Saturday Classes at Mt Hood Meadows. Classes run Feb 3, 10, 17, 24, and March 3. Cost is \$205 for credit, lifts and lessons. You must attend lessons—either beginning from 10-11:30 a.m. OR Int/Adv from 1-2:30 p.m. Lifts are good for open to close on Saturdays. Contact Nancy Mikleton X 2450, R 115 ASAP.

Open Computer Lab: At the Harmony/OIT Campus in the Small Business Development Center computers are available with internet and printer access in Room OIT 170. General operating hours **Winter Term** are M/W Noon-6p.m.; T/TH 9a.m.-6p.m.; Fri. 1-5pm. Call X 6447 or X 3485 for information. Check for availability/exceptions to above stated hours. Limited assistance is available. Open to all students, staff and members of the community.

Petitions For Graduation are now being accepted at Enrollment Services and the Registrar's office for students planning to complete their program at the end of Fall, Winter or Spring Term. A petition must be filed to indicate your desire to have a degree or certificate posted to your transcript. A separate petition must be filed for each certificate or degree. Info regarding the June 15, 2001 Graduation will be sent to you during Spring term. Petitions must be in the Registrar's office by April 13 to assure inclusion in the Graduation program.

Education Majors Get work experience and \$8.96/hr as paid tutors. Volunteer tutors are needed at Rex Putnam High School to tutor Math and Reading. Oregon Literacy needs volunteers to teach adults to read. Contact Don Paul Shula in CC 122, or call X 2324.

Volunteer Opportunities at the ELC: Do you have some time on your hands and love to be outdoors? Volunteer for the many events that are going on at the Environmental Learning Center. Starting in February astronomy assistants are needed to help guide guests through exploration of the sky. Critter walks for kids ages 5-9 start in March. The ELC is now

recruiting volunteers. If you are interested contact the ELC at 657-6958 ex. 2351. Training is provided.

Don't be a Dud, Give Blood! Friday, Feb. 9 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Gregory Forum. Questions? Call Rachael or Mark X 2598.

Lost Something? Check at the Lost and Found in CC140.

Go to Galapagos! Join Life Science Instructor Bob Misely as he leads his third trip to the "Enchanted Isles" off the coast of Ecuador in July 2001. For details see page 125 in the CCC Winter term Schedule, or call X 2376.

Virtual Internship and Co-Op Fair Jan 29-Feb 2, visit www.awu.org/internfair and submit your resume to employers that are recruiting co-ops and internships.

Cars for Sale! The Automotive Department has several cars for sale. Call Nick X 2569 or Pam X 2354 for more information, or stop by the Automotive Department.

Musicians Wanted Scholarship Funds Available **PEP BAND** - Drums, Guitar, Bass, Keyboards, Horns of any type. Play Rock, R & B, Pop, Soul. No audition necessary. If you want to play for FUN and meet people, PEP BAND is for YOU!!

JAZZ COMBO - Funk/Fusion/Latin/Jazz music in small groups, all instruments. No audition necessary. Join a small band and learn how to play rhythm, solo, group, and improvise. **JAZZ ENSEMBLE** (Instrumental) - Play Big Band Jazz/Latin/Funk music in CCC's leading instrumental performing group. This group performs in the Northwest, has recorded, and has toured Europe.

BAND at NOON (Large Ensemble) - Plays 'concert band' and 'chamber' music. All wind, string, and percussion instruments welcome.

Recording Studio Internships and recording studio classes begin winter term. Sign up now! For more info, contact Tom in the Music Department, Randall Hall upstairs, X 2160. Have you played in High School - Church - Garage Band? Keep up your music - Have fun - Improve your knowledge - Get to a higher level. Visit the Music Dept. in Randall or call X 2160.

Wanted Dear John Letters: As President John Keyser is retiring

members of the staff are collecting letters for him. Please send letters describing your thoughts, memories, funny stories etc. about John to: Suzy Alexander, Clackamas Community College, 19600 S. Mollala Ave. Oregon City Oregon. If you have any questions you please call X 2401

Volunteers Needed to teach prepared science programs to work with kids aged 8-12 in the classroom or outdoors at the ELC. Training provided through winter. For more information contact the ELC at X 2351.

CCC Scholarship Open Enrollment Scholarship application forms are now available in the Community Center at the scholarship kiosk and the Financial Services office. Scholarships are for new, returning and transferring students. There are more than 60 individual scholarships with over \$200,000 in scholarship money. Last year, 200 scholarships were awarded. The deadline for submitting your application to the Financial Services Office is Monday, March 12, by 5 p.m.

Scholarship Workshops Wednesdays, Jan. 31, Feb. 7, Feb. 14, Feb. 21, Feb. 28, 12:30-2 p.m. in P104. Evening Sessions offered Jan. 31 & Feb. 7, 6-7:30 p.m. in P102. The workshops cover the CCC scholarship application process, the Oregon Student Assistance Commission Scholarship (OSAC) Application, tips on how to write a personal statement, how to request a winning letter of recommendation, provide scholarship resources and answer questions. For information contact Chippi Bello, Scholarship Coordinator, at 503-657-6958, X 2373.

Oregon Student Assistance Commission Scholarship (OSAC) OSAC scholarship application forms are now available in the Community Center at the scholarship kiosk. To be considered for these scholarships you just need to complete one scholarship application form. Application deadline is March 1, 2001.

Gates Millennium Scholarship For Minority students who have a GPA above 3.30 and who are or have been involved in school and community activities. This scholarship will pay for your tuition, books, fees, and living expenses for your entire course of study. More information about this scholarship at Application deadline is February 1.

Club Corner

The Environmental Club Helping Everyone's Environment Live (HEEL) is alive and well! Meetings will be held on Fridays from 10-11a.m. in P104. Help out your ecosystem. Contact Jaime or Bobbi at X 2247.

Native American Student Club: Tuesday, from noon until 1pm, Barlow Hall, room 114. All interested Staff and Students are encouraged to attend. Contact MshkolahneeManito/G. SpiritHawk, X 5139 or spirithawk@clackamas.cc.or.us

Campus Crusade for Christ meets on Thursdays in B 113 from noon-1pm. Please come, you are totally wanted there!

Campus Bible Study: 12-12:50 pm Tuesday in B 113; Wednesday Randal Lounge special subject "Christ on Trial- The Case for Christ," Friday in B114. For more info. contact Vic Morris at 657-4806.

The 7 C's Cat Club is dedicated to helping feral cats of Clackamas County. Call X 2154 for more information.

Chrysalis Poets & Writers: Every Wednesday women writers gather to share their work from noon- 2 p.m. in Dye 126.

Phi Theta Kappa: Applications are in the Student Activities Office (CC140) or in the office of Kate Gray X 2371, S122, or Dave Arter X 2210, P124i.

The Rainbow Group for Gays, Lesbians, Bi, Tran, and Allies, meets at noon on Mondays in P104. On February 5 our topic is "Gay and Lesbian poetry". Come hear our special guest, Kate Gray. For more info. contact Kandie Starr X 2504 or Wade Bird X 2258. Hope to see you all there.

Writers' Club: Meetings are held Thursdays in Deli of Haggen's from 5-7 p.m. or call Allen Widerburg X 2359.