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Artist Gloria Estefan visits campus

By Solé Scott
Features Editor

A legendary artist who has transcended the industry made their way to campus for a one night only extravaganza. Eight-time Grammy Award winner Gloria Estefan was the special guest at this year's 22nd "Mary and Louis Distinguished Lecture Series." The event was on Saturday, April 27 at the Lyman Center. Invited college students and high school students were able to attend a Q&A session with the singer at Earl Hall before the lecture started at 7 p.m. Coop High School band in New Haven opened the lecture series by covering one of Estefan's songs. Estefan opened up about her back injury that was sustained due to a tour bus collision in March of 1990. She revealed that she still had two eight-inch titanium rods in her back since the accident. Estefan was on her way to Syracuse for a show that she was making up after canceling the first because of a broken blood



Interim President Dwayne Smith gifting music artist Gloria Estefan a university sweatshirt in Lyman Center on April 27.

vessel and vocal cord. "The first thing that they do is put you on ice if you have a spinal cord injury," Estefan said. "Well, nature put me on ice." Another shocking revelation was that Estefan's son Nayib was on the bus with her at the time of the accident.

"My son had just gotten up to go get the candy, and the whole back of the bus got smashed in," Estefan said. Nayib's clavicle was broken by the box of candy that he was trying to get. Estefan's husband Emilio rescued their son out of the rubble. Throughout this whole

ordeal, Estefan continued to think of all the fans that were waiting at the concert. Before the accident, Estefan put in an elevator in the home that she and her husband were building. "The first time I actually lived in the house was when I came back with the

injury," Estefan said. Music major Miles Crosby, a sophomore, was in attendance for the lecture and reception. "Since I am a music major, I was hearing someone that was winning awards and such a legend," Crosby said. "It was very inspiring to me." After the lecture, Estefan sang with fans, signed autographs and took pictures. The reception was held in the Adanti Student Center Ballroom. A band played songs throughout the night as guests mingled with each other while eating and drinking. The food consisted of beef empanadas, prawns, chicken wings, croquettes, ceviche and paella. The line to take pictures with Estefan was extremely long, as it wrapped around the entire Ballroom. Excited fans brought vinyls and other memorabilia for the superstar to sign. "Support each other. If there is a movie made by Latinos, go watch it," Estefan said. "Let's go support it; let's go show up."

Faculty leave campus

By Jay'Mi Vazquez
Managing Editor

With the end of the semester approaching, three faculty members involved in the senior leadership team, Diane Ariza, Dennis Reiman and Mark Rozewski will be retiring during the summer. Ariza served the university as the vice president for diversity, equity and inclusion, DEI. While Reiman served as the vice president and technology and chief information officer and Rozewski as the executive vice president for finance and administration. Interim President Dwayne Smith announced their departures in an email. Smith highlighted their contributions to the university. Smith said that despite the fiscal challenges the university has faced, Rozewski played a major role in stabilizing the finances of the university. Rozewski also played a role in transforming several of the buildings students use on campus today. Ariza was praised for her involvement in inclusion. She started a three-year DEI action plan in 2021 and has launched several programs at the university to help establish diversity, inclusion and equity. Smith said that Reiman helped transform the use of technology at the university. This included the migration of Banner to the Cloud, classroom upgrades and the replacement and modernization of the network used and wireless infrastructure. Now, national searches are being done to find replacements to fill these positions and interim appointments will be conducted soon. "Southern is on an upward trajectory in many ways, including enrollment growth, external support, community engagement and innovative academic programming," Smith said. "We will fill these senior leadership vacancies with intentionality."

Women professionals thrive in computer science

By Brianna Wallen
News Editor

As technology advances, the major gender disparity in the STEM field remains stagnant. This pattern applies to workers in the computer science field as well. Computer science is still a male-dominated field, even with the high demand for jobs. In the US, women only make up 18% of Bachelor's degree holders in computer science according to computerscience.org. More and more universities have been attempting to appeal for female students to pursue computer science. On Wednesday, April 24, a panel with women in the computer science field was held in Morrill Hall. Students had the opportunity to hear about powerful experiences and advice from female specialists that are the minority in a male-dominated field. These powerhouses

include Lisa Lancor, Sahar Al seesi, Amal Abd El-Raouf, Winnie Yu and Professor Jewell Wright. Although these speakers come from distinct backgrounds, they all had a common motivation: encouraging more women to pursue computer science. Professor and Chairperson of computer science at the university Lisa Lancor said she knew it was time to reach out when all of the seats in her classes were filled with men. "There were no women in my classes this year," Lancor said. "We have to do something about it." With fewer women taking a step into the computer science world, something must be deterring them. Sahar Al Seesi, an associate professor in the computer science department at the university, said when students have no commonalities with people in the same major as them, it can be disheartening. "If you go into a

classroom and don't see people that look like you, it makes it harder," Al Seesi said. For this reason, it is highly pushed that the computer science industry display diversity in not only genders, but in race and religion as well. Amal Abdel Raouf, a professor at the computer science department, said that she is a supporter of there being a variety of different people in the field. "We should just enjoy being around people that are different," Raouf said. Despite the desire for diversity, the computer science world needs to tackle many obstacles to attract people other than men. One of these barriers is toxic work environments. These panelists have their own share of a toxic presence in the workplace and want it to come to a halt. "All of us have to go out and support one another to make it a more welcoming environment,"



Panelists speak about their professional experiences in computer science.

Lancor said. However, to start a wave of togetherness, the speakers called out men to take the first step. "Men who are our allies need to understand that they need to make a welcoming and cooperative environment for everyone," Lancor said. "You are the movement, so stick up for everyone that you're working with." An instructor at the university's computer

science department, Jewell Wright, said that men should lend a helping hand in the workplace. "Invite her voice into the discussion. Make her voice be heard," Wright said. Both female and male students were able to hear key takeaways from these speakers. Regardless of their majors, these pieces of advice can be applied to all work and school environments.

Finishing the school year: Cultural Festival

The annual "Culture Fest" hosted by the Multicultural Center was moved to Wednesday, May 1 from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m in the Academic Quad. Students can enjoy a variety of food, performances and crafts.

Shang-Chi and the Legend of the Ten Rings Movie

The Multicultural Center is hosting a screening of Marvel's "Shang-Chi and the Legend of the Ten Rings" starring Simu Liu. This will be in the Multicultural Center in the Adanti Student Center on Thursday, May 2 at 5 p.m.

DiasporaCon

Partnered with the English department, this annual one-day festival will talk about graphic novels being adapted into films. This will take place on Saturday, May 4 from 10:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the Adanti Student Center. Student tickets are available on the university's website.

Darren Criss: A Benefit Concert for Long Wharf Theatre

"Glee" star Darren Criss will be performing a concert in the Lyman Center on May 13. There will be a meet and greet at 5 p.m., cocktail hour at 5:30 p.m., performance at 7 p.m. and dessert at 8:30 p.m. Students can get a discount on tickets by using code "SCSU" at checkout.

Undergraduate Commencement Ceremony

The university is celebrating those who have graduated in Fall 2023, Winter 2023-24 and Spring 2024. The ceremony will be on Friday, May 17 at 10:15 a.m. at the Total Mortgage Arena in Bridgeport.

Community march for Alzheimer's Disease

Jack Abbot
General Reporter

The university hosted an "Aging Services Career Fair and March for Memory" on April 23, for those effected by Alzheimer's.

The Office of Career and Professional Development and the College of Health and Human Services invited The Alzheimer's Association as well as several other organizations to encourage students to seek a career in aging services.

"We are a senior living community, and we are looking for nursing staff," Director of Sales and Marketing for Charter Senior Living of Orange Tatiana Burnell said. "You can come in as a student, and then when you finish school, it will give you a really good opportunity to join the community full-time."

While students in public health were one of the main target audiences of this event, employers were also looking for students who could fulfill available secondary roles

in aging services.

"We not only have packers and movers that we're looking for, but we also have sales. We also have office manager assistants that we're looking for and marketing," Owner of Amston Home Transition Solutions Tom Wheeler said.

The event concluded with a "Walk for Alzheimer's" to raise awareness for those affected by the disease.

"Alzheimer's: it impacts not only those who are stricken with the disease, but families and

caretakers. And we have here, on our campus, in this group, many people who are impacted by the disease," Interim President Dwayne Smith said.

Many students who supported the cause or who had been affected by Alzheimer's disease came to show their support.

"My mom works with people with Alzheimer's, so I wanted to do this for her patients," psychology major Hannah Zebdi, a senior, said.

Students began the walk in the Academic Quad and concluded

outside of the Health and Human Services Building with pizza and refreshments. President Smith would begin the march with a speech on the impact of Alzheimer's disease on his own family and those of other students on campus.

"We have to have a greater awareness of what impacts various people. Everyone, at some point, will be impacted by Alzheimer's, whether it be a parent, a grandparent, an elder in the family. It's important for us to understand not only the

physical aspect but the psychological aspect of caring for someone with the disease," Smith said.

This event was part of several career fairs that have taken place over the semester for students in Health and Human Services.

"This is one of the things that I'm so proud about at Southern; that we rise to the occasion for helping those who are in need, and this is one of these activities that show us as a strong, social justice, equity-minded institution," Smith said.



Student and staff march in front of Connecticut Hall on April 23.

PHOTO | JACK ABBOT



Otus the Owl commences the "March for Memory."

Two students share their opinion on the racial diversity on campus



Sarah Akomeah and Chekeenah Jeudi in Davis Hall.

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Brianna Wallen
News Editor

The university is coined as a diverse social justice school that promotes inclusivity and equitability.

The institution's demographics display a clear group with an overwhelming population. As of Fall 2023, the top racial and ethnic groups of students that compose the university's population are: Asian with 346, Hispanic/Latino with 1,954, Black or African American with 1,605 and white being the majority with 4,220 according to insidesouthern.edu.

Regardless of the records, students are the ones that truly determine if the university meets these standards.

Healthcare studies major Chekeenah Jeudi, a sophomore, said that throughout her time at the university and on campus she believes the racial diversity and inclusivity has increased.

"Before when I was on campus, there weren't as many students of color that I did see," Jeudi said. "Now, there's definitely more students of color I see going to class and in the student center."

Due to this change of

scenery, Jeudi said she feels more comfortable as a student of color on campus.

Jeudi also said this shift is a direct tie to more clubs and organizations that students can cling to.

"There's a lot of spaces in general that are really so diverse, so everybody basically has their own spaces that they can relate to," Jeudi said.

With clubs like the Black Student Union and Muslim Students Association, and more specific clubs such as the Caribbean Student Association, African Student Association, Asian Culture Society, Mexican Cultural Club and more, students can find their own group of people that they relate to culturally, ethnically and religiously.

Despite the diverse environment on campus, on various social media sites the diversity level is not displayed.

"When it comes to the pictures that they post on social media on the Southern Instagram, they sprinkle in one or two people of color and call it a day," Jeudi said.

Outside of the 1080 x 608 pixelated photo that viewers see on Instagram, there are other racial and ethnic groups that are not

shown. The Instagram page only captures a fraction of the diversity that the university holds.

"They could interview or show how diverse the school is because what you see on Insta and what you see in person doesn't show the same atmosphere of how diverse Southern truly is," Jeudi said.

Not only is the campus misrepresented online, but the university also needs to look internally at their faculty.

Interdisciplinary studies major Sarah Akomeah, a junior, said that there is a lack of professors that look like her.

"I've had like two black professors," Akomeah said. "What I've also noticed is that they don't have a lot of black counselors for therapy."

While the student population is diverse with people of color, the same cannot be said about the university's staff. By having more faculty members that reflect the diverse range of students, it would highly benefit students.

"I feel that I would use those resources more if I saw that there were people that I could relate to," Akomeah said.

Alumni shares business insight

Bradon Cortés
News Writer

The university welcomed back one of its distinguished alumni, President of Spectrum Aerospace Components and Assemblies Richard Meisenheimer, to impart valuable insights on entrepreneurship.

Meisenheimer, a graduate of the university's School of Business, returned to his alma mater to deliver a seminar titled "How to Start Your Own Business" in Room 122 of the School of Business.

Drawing from his wealth of experience in the aerospace industry, Meisenheimer delved into the intricacies of starting and scaling a successful business venture. In his opening remarks, Meisenheimer emphasized the importance of perseverance and resilience in the entrepreneurial journey.

"Starting your own business is not for the faint of heart. It requires dedication, determination and a willingness to weather the inevitable storms," Meisenheimer said. "But with the right mindset and strategic approach, the rewards can be immense."

Throughout the seminar, Meisenheimer offered practical insights gleaned from his own entrepreneurial endeavors.

From identifying

market opportunities to fostering a culture of innovation within organizations, his discourse resonated with aspiring business students seeking to carve their niche in the competitive landscape.

Another central topic to Meisenheimer's seminar was the critical role of understanding one's competition in the entrepreneurial landscape, saying that knowing your competition is not just important; it's imperative.

"By studying competitors, you can differentiate your offerings and position your business effectively," Meisenheimer said.

Innovation emerged as another key theme in Meisenheimer's presentation.

"Innovation drives growth. Entrepreneurs must continually seek new ideas and approaches to stay ahead in today's dynamic business environment," Meisenheimer said.

During his presentation, Meisenheimer emphasized the importance of passion, perseverance and strategic planning in launching and sustaining a business venture.

He shared personal anecdotes and practical advice gleaned from his own experiences in the business world, offering invaluable insights to those aspiring to follow a

similar path.

He also underscored the pivotal role of education in shaping entrepreneurial acumen.

"My time at the university provided me with a solid foundation in business principles and instilled in me a passion for innovation," Meisenheimer said. "It's gratifying to return to my alma mater and pay it forward by sharing insights with the next generation of business leaders."

In discussing the challenges encountered on the entrepreneurial path, Meisenheimer did not shy away from addressing the inevitable setbacks and failures.

"Failure is not the end; it's an opportunity to learn and grow stronger," Meisenheimer said. "Each setback presents a chance to refine your strategy, hone your skills and ultimately emerge more resilient than before."

As the seminar ended, Meisenheimer left the audience with a message of encouragement and empowerment.

"Believe in yourself, trust your instincts, and never underestimate the power of persistence," Meisenheimer said.

"The journey of entrepreneurship is fraught with challenges, but the satisfaction of building something meaningful from the ground up is unparalleled."



Richard Meisenheimer presenting his seminar on how to start a business at the School of Business in Room 122.

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Greek life host decades themed event

By Lexi White
General Reporter

Zeta Phi Beta sorority and Phi Beta Sigma fraternity celebrated their 30- and 40-year chapter-versaries! These sibling chapters wanted to commemorate their many decades worth of success by having a joint event!

On Thursday, April 25, the brother and sister chapters gathered in the Farnham Hall Programming Space. There was dancing, music, food, beverages and love for the Greek Life family.

Nursing major Kirsten Chery, a junior, is Zeta Phi Beta's president. She gave a speech during all the festivities to shed light on the sorority sisters that came before her. Chery also thanked her current sisters for giving her the

space to be herself and become who she truly is.

"By being a part of this sorority, I have learned to take life more seriously and am able to be my true, authentic self," Chery said.

The Zeta Phi Beta sorority will be hosting their second annual "Suicide Prevention Walk" on Thursday, May 2. The walk for awareness will be in collaboration with the Wellbeing Center and the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, AFSP.

The Zeta Phi Beta principles are scholarship, service, sisterhood and finer womanhood.

Social work major Angelina Ovalles, a senior, is the vice president of Zeta Phi Beta. One of the main reasons she wanted to join the

sorority was for their service principle, and she loves raising awareness and donations for the AFSP.

"One of my favorite principles for our chapter is our service principle," Ovalles said. "This is the kind of platform where you can really do the work that matters and pay attention to like the black community and social justice."

Ovalles became a member of Zeta Phi Beta in the 2022 fall semester. She said that being a part of this sorority has helped her evolve into the woman she has always wanted to be.

"I continue to learn more about myself every day because of these girls," Ovalles said. "Being a part of this chapter has really brought out an

amazing side of me and helped me to grow into a person I always aspired to be."

Ovalles was so excited that her sorority had reached 30 years. She could not believe that their legacy had been on campus for that long.

"It is crazy that our chapter has done the work of the organization for 30 years," Ovalles said. "I had the privilege to meet those who chartered our chapter, and seeing how they have marriages, children and success is just beautiful to see."

The Phi Beta Sigma fraternity was also excited to celebrate Zeta Phi Beta's anniversary, but they were also thrilled to celebrate their own 40 years of being on campus.

Celebrity biopic movies are terrible cash grabs

By Solé Scott
Features Editor

Another dead musician's family wanting nothing more than clout and to satisfy their greed.

On April 12, the Amy Winehouse biopic "Back to Black" premiered in theaters in the United Kingdom.

First thing first, Hollywood needs to stop their obsession with producing biopics of dead celebrities with tragic life endings.

Marisa Abela portrays the iconic Amy Winehouse. Unfortunately, Abela does not exude the personality or grit that Winehouse had.

I do not know what was worse, the recreation of her famous outfits or the delivery of the lines. None of what was shown gave Amy Winehouse whatsoever.

So far, what I have seen through trailers and leaked scenes are poor recreations of milestones of her life, whether in good or bad light.

On top of that, the movie had unorganized filming, as videos and pictures were snapped of the actors in scenes and posted all over social media.

No offense to Abela either, but she should not have chosen to sing. I feel that biopics today are melodramatic with a

heavy dose of fiction in order to drive ticket sales. A majority of the time, celebrity movies are made, they do not like to end on a respectable note.

A trash biopic that comes to mind is Netflix's "Blonde" that was released in 2022. The story was made up with rumors that Marilyn Monroe had an abortion and was involved in a random throuple.

Two movies that have honored the fallen celebrity are 1997's "Selena," which did not display her graphic death, and Whitney Houston's "I Wanna Dance with Somebody" biopic ended in a similar fashion by showcasing her 1994 American Music Awards performance.

I believe the estate should have ended with the masterful "Amy" documentary that was released in 2015. Winehouse told her own life story through home videos with friends and family inputting as well.

Nevertheless, I encourage anyone reading to watch the film when it is released in the United States on May 17.

Who knows, maybe my opinion on biopics will change once I see the entirety of the film. Until then, the music and film industry need to give more respect to their fallen fellows.



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Zeta Phi Beta sorority table decorated with flowers, photos and 1920 lights.

Folio and Crescent Magazine release



Be sure to grab a copy of Folio Magazine and Crescent Magazine. Both are available all throughout campus for the remainder of this semester.

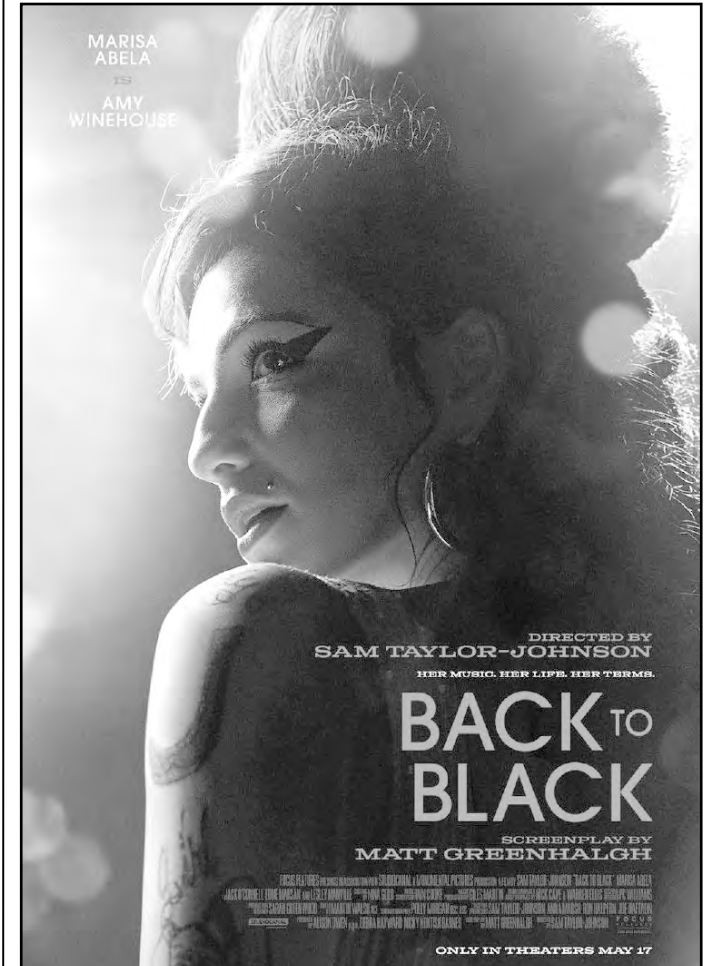


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Promotional poster for "Back to Black" movie.

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Rappers continue beef after "Like That"

By Jay'Mi Vazquez
Managing Editor

The rap game is in shambles right now, as several artists have been releasing diss tracks against each other trying to determine who the best rapper is.

When Kendrick Lamar, Future and Metro Boomin released "Like That" last month, it ignited several major rap beefs.

J. Cole was the first artist to respond, dropping an unexpected album, "Might Delete Later," which featured a response to Lamar's "Like That" verse. The song "7 Minute Drill" was a direct diss towards Lamar.

Fans felt indecisive about who won the battle. However, Cole apologized to Lamar during "Dreamville Fest" a few days later. He would later remove the

song from all streaming platforms.

Immediately, fans on social media mocked Cole and were leaning more towards Lamar winning the rap battle.

Then, a diss song from Drake was leaked, and the controversy continued.

The song "Push Ups" by Drake was speculated to be an artificial intelligence-produced song. However, he later released the official audio on April 19.

In this song, Drake dissed Lamar, Cole, Rick Ross, the Weeknd and producer Metro Boomin. Drake referred to the beef as a "20v1," meaning he feels he is going against everyone in the rap game.

The beef has continued to spiral since "Push Ups" leaked.

Rick Ross entertained the Drake song by

releasing his own diss towards Drake titled "Champagne Moments."

This song was released immediately after the song was leaked, leaving fans shocked since there was no confirmation the Drake track was legitimate.

Kanye West also released his own remixed version of "Like That," siding with Lamar, taking shots at Drake and Cole.

Now, several other artists like Symba, DaBaby and Big Sean have entered the beef by releasing freestyles in attempts to prove themselves in the top three conversation.

It is unclear to fans when this rap beef will end since everyone is getting involved. It seems as if it will continue over the next few months as responses from Lamar and other artists are being anticipated by fans.

Black Student Union spring kickback

By Kahiona Senior
Photo Editor

On Wednesday, April 24, the Black Student Union, BSU, held a spring kickback. This was supposed to be held after the "Heritage Festival" which was cancelled, but this event stayed on. Many students attended; they listened to music, danced and played basketball. This was part of BSU's "Soul Week." The organization held a series of four events this week to end the semester strong. The theme was 80s through Y2K. Many students enjoyed this event and danced for hours.

Photos: Kahiona Senior



Students posting the event on social media.



Business major Tashanique Moody and graphic design major Rouba Memori, freshmen, dressed in 90s attire.



Students playing basketball during the kickback.



Music therapy major Genesis Brown, music major Imani Tyson and sociology major John Alston, juniors, and communications major Caleb Letel, a senior, getting the event started.



Students having fun and enjoying the night with friends. Their attire varied from 70s to 2000s.



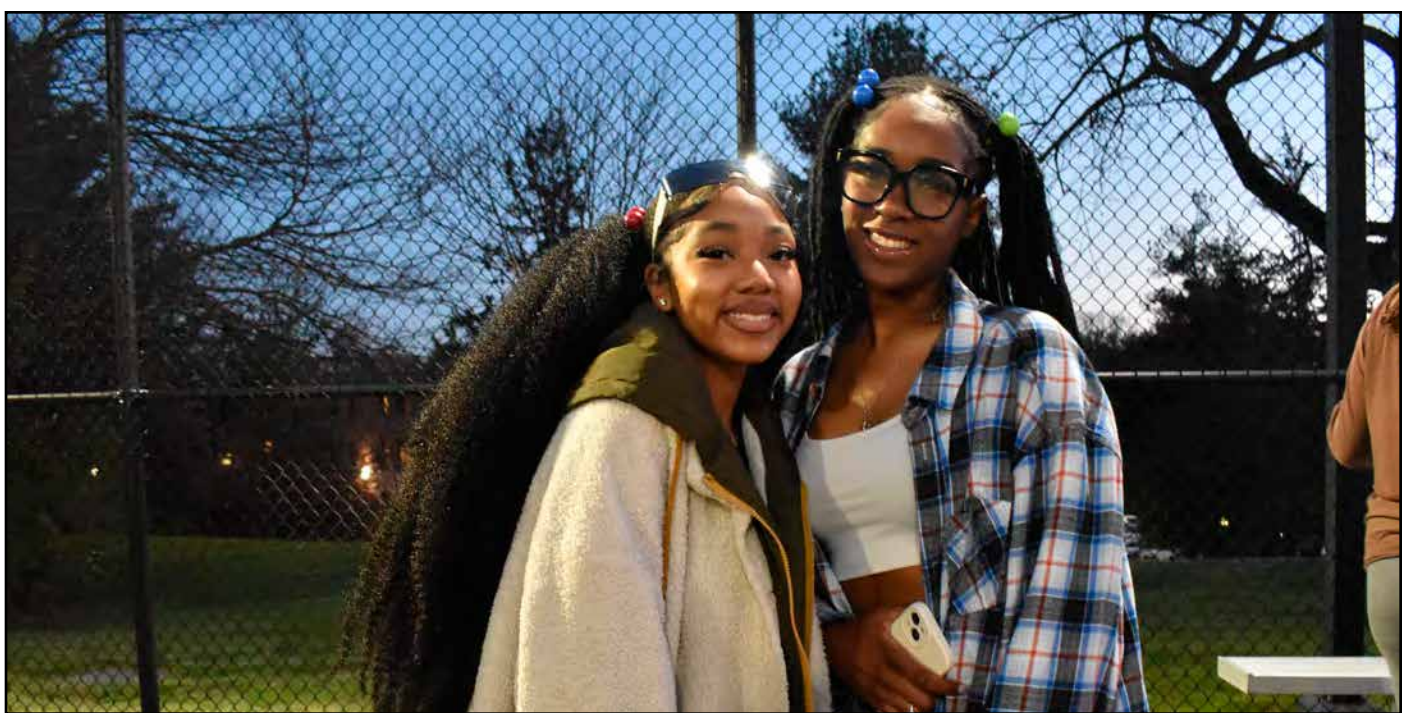
Business management major Ciara Joseph, accounting major Tiasjah Terry, social work major Kiara Morris and communications major Veranika Trus, freshmen, dressed for the 2000s.



Students in matching outfits dance to music.



Music major Imani Tyson, a junior, dressed in 70s inspired attire.



Nursing majors Kayla Christie and Vickaina Louis, freshmen, excited for the night to begin.

Folio Magazine released 2024 edition

By Ali Fernand
Editor-in-Chief

Folio Magazine is full of creative work from students on campus. Students at the university get to show off their pieces in a magazine produced by other students.

"Folio accepts a whole bunch of different kinds of work, but specifically poetry, fiction writing. There can be creative nonfiction, such as memoirs and artwork, photographs of pottery, sketches, paintings and photography," Editor-in-Chief of Folio Magazine Ethan Sabetta said.

The 2024 Folio Magazine was released on April 23, compiling a year's worth of creative work. Students can grab their own copy of the magazine and check out what their fellow students have made.

This year's magazine has a lot of pieces to look forward to. Since it is a creative medium that accepts submissions, each year can look different from the last.

"I'd say one of the

highlights of this year's Folio Magazine is that we had a very large turnout for art submissions," Sabetta said. "In particular, our art category is very strong."

Even though Folio accepts many types of creative submissions, Sabetta prides himself in the amount of student-made art in the magazine.

The magazine takes a year to produce. For the first semester, the magazine is focused on collecting submissions and hosting events. For the second semester, events are still held, but the staff focuses on laying out their magazine.

"Besides myself, there's our associate editor, and then we have three genre editors which would be the fiction editor, the poetry editor and the art editor," Sabetta said. "Underneath them, we accept volunteers for the assistant editor positions."

The assistant editor positions this year included two assistant poetry editors, two assistant art editors and one assistant fiction editor.

The staff focused on their sections to make sure all these pieces could shine.

The staff included a lot of students, but they were faced with an even bigger task. Sabetta said that the magazine received an abundance of submissions from students.

"In total, we received about 260 pages worth of submissions," Sabetta said.

Unfortunately, the magazine cannot print all these submissions. It is up to the editors to decide what pieces are the best fit for their magazine.

"We had to narrow that down to 128 pages for the print," Sabetta said. "I don't have the exact number of how many people submitted, but that's how many actual pages of content we received."

The large number of submissions proved to be a challenge for the staff. However, they overcame this struggle to put out a final product by the end of the school year.

"Anyone who is an undergraduate student who writes or makes artwork is welcome to submit," Sabetta said.



PHOTO | JAYMI VAZQUEZ

A few staff members and guests taking a picture in the Fireside Lounge at the Adanti Student Center.



Banner showcasing Folio Magazine during one of their meetings in the Fireside Lounge.

Owls Decide: What are you doing over summer?

By Lexi White
General Reporter



"I am going to be working over summer break, and I will also be going to Jamaica."

— English major Lexy Malcolm, a sophomore



"I am going to be working."

— Sports management major Jordan Schiffman, a sophomore



"I am going to be working a lot to save up money for next semester."

— Accounting major Matthew Harper, a freshman



"I am going to Florida with my mom which is going to be really fun because I am from Florida."

— Psychology major Alyssa Murphy, a freshman



"I am going to be working as a summer associate on campus and fixing up the residential buildings."

— Secondary education major Arielle Chetwynd, a freshman



"I will be working at a summer camp."

— Elementary education major Andrew Palo, a junior

Ali Fernand says farewell

By Ali Fernand
Editor-in-Chief

After two years on the staff of Southern News, I must say goodbye.

Over the past two years, I watched the staff and paper completely change. Starting out as Features Editor, I had the pleasure of working with my friends Jaylen Carr, Sofia Rositani and Sarah Shelton.

When I started, I was the youngest in the room. I looked up to my colleagues so much, and I learned important skills I will keep for the rest of my life.

I got to spend one extra semester with Carr, and I am excited to sit with him at this year's graduation ceremony. I want to give a special thank you to him, as he has been nothing but amazing to work with, be friends with and learn from.

As sad as I was to see these wonderful people leave, the new people I met did not disappoint me. This school year, I quickly became one of the oldest in the room. As nervous as I was to take on a leadership role, it has been really

rewarding to watch my peers grow. I am happy to say I have been a part of their success, and I will always brag about how talented they are.

Jay'Mi Vazquez, Solé Scott, Brianna Wallen, Dillon Flanigan and Kahiona Senior have been a wonderful layout team. I have nothing but good things to say about all of them. They are hardworking and so talented; I know they will do a great job taking care of Southern News.

My writers, photographer and copy editor Lexi White, Brandon Cortés, Jack Abbot, Kaylee Blake and Hannah Graham also deserve a shout out. You are all so talented, and I am so happy that I got to be a part of your journey. There is no place like the newsroom. It is full of laughter, music, insight and sometimes rage; but I would not want it any other way. There is no room that has been more therapeutic for me in my college journey than ASC 222.

I am happy to say that I have made so many friends and memories working at Southern News. Despite the stress of a position with quick

deadlines, I am happy I was coerced into it.

I got to see the staff grow tremendously in the two years I have participated. Maybe it is because of the end of COVID-19 or maybe it is because of my posts on OwlConnect. I like to think it is the latter.

I will miss the strong personalities in the newsroom. Some of you make me laugh harder than I have ever laughed before. I love the variety of interests my staff has; from music to sports to politics to fashion to drama. I always had something new to learn about.

Though I am happy to leave, I am sad to go. I will be continuing my education in politics at New York University, just a train ride away. I hope to be a political reporter, but realistically I will probably be your children's AP Government teacher. We will see what the future holds.

My fellow Southern students shaped me in a way that nowhere else could, and I will forever take that with me. Thank you to everyone who has shown support to me, my goals and my education.



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Commuter Crew hosts event for students to make connections

By Lexi White
General Reporter

Commuter Owls have their own space provided by Commuter Services.

Every other week, Commuter Services hosts an event, "Commuter Crew," that gives those who do not stay on campus a chance to mingle and make new connections.

In addition, the commuter-inspired event gives out free food and drinks to all the students who attend.

There are also activities, games and prizes for each student who participates!

One of the commuter assistants from Commuter Services who helped to host this event was biology major Craig Huydic, a sophomore.

He said he is always very pleased to see so many people attending the events.

"This is a very good way for commuters to get free snacks, free lunches, free talks and free enjoyment," Huydic said.

During the Commuter Crew event held on Wednesday, April 24, in the Adanti Student Center, students were provided with catered Chinese food and board games!

"Today, we wanted to be a little old school and get some board games for students to play rather

than our usual Kahoot games," Huydic said. "Having a hands-on activity is such a great way to connect people. And when your event is all about connecting people, there is no better way to do that than to play board games."

Because finals are coming up, Commuter Services wanted to give commuters and residents a chance to relax and ease their minds from all the stress of schoolwork.

Huydic said, "Our goal is to help commuters connect with commuters while enjoying food and playing games."

One of the students who came to Commuter Crew was computer science major Jamil Mahtab, a junior.

He said he thought the event looked interesting and wanted to see what was going on.

"I am really enjoying being able to play games and meet new people," Mahtab said. "They are also having free lunch, which is a big plus."

Mahtab was most excited to connect with people outside of a learning environment.

"Besides making friends in the classroom, going out to meet other people who are not in your classes and interacting with them is so cool," Mahtab said. "Like getting to invite them to play a

board game and build a connection."

Another student who attended the Commuter Crew event was international business major Sebastian Garzon, a graduate student.

He heard about the event from his friends, and they all decided to come together and make the most out of their downtime from studying for final exams.

"I think this benefits students because we can get that time away from a classroom setting and play simple games with other students which can help us get our minds off of finals," Garzon said. "Just being able to take a step back for five minutes and release ourselves from academic endeavors is very beneficial."

Biological anthropology major Kristian Marroquin, a senior, was another student who attended Commuter Services' event.

He also came to the event to escape studying for exams.

"This event benefits students because it helps them take a break from studying and have fun so that when you go back to studying, you will have a fresh mind," Marroquin said.

"The thing students need most is something to enjoy. They do not really get much of that," Huydic said.

ProCon host National Banana Day-themed event for students

By Lexi White
General Reporter

Students were going bananas over the Programs Council's banana-themed event! The Programs Council, ProCon, provided banana-flavored treats and drinks, squishy toys and plushies for all who attended in honor of National Banana Day.

ProCon hosts programs and events on campus to get students more involved in the university community.

Accounting major Jared Propis, a senior, is the senior programmer of ProCon's daytime committee. Propis was in charge of hosting this specific banana-loving event.

"This event is my little creation with banana-inspired everything," Propis said. "We even played banana bingo earlier, and a student won a big stuffed banana plushie."

According to Propis, the main reason for this event was to compete with an event that was hosted last semester for National Pickle Day. Propis' close friend on the committee hosted the pickle-themed event, and he thought he could host an even better event.

"I feel like my event is going a lot better than the

pickle event because we do not have interesting pickle-flavored snacks," Propis said. "Instead, we have banana bread, banana chips and banana protein shakes, and I was able to accumulate a fun event."

Eric Lacharity is the advisor to ProCon, and he oversees the student programmers by helping them handle budgets for events, coordinating schedules, and making sure the events run smoothly and everyone enjoys themselves.

"I think this event benefits students for many different reasons, but the most important being that we can be a space for them to go to when they need something to eat or something to distract their minds from school," Lacharity said.

One student who was enjoying ProCon's banana-themed event was marketing major Andy Montero, a freshman. He heard about this event through Instagram and decided to come and enjoy the event with his girlfriend.

"I came because this event is about one of my favorite fruits," Montero said. "I love the banana protein shake that they are giving out. It is so good that I could drink the whole thing in just a

few seconds."

Montero enjoyed the banana-themed event so much that he had an idea for more events for ProCon in the future.

"I think this kind of event brings a lot of different people together, and ProCon should host more fruit-themed events," Montero said. "One can be watermelon-themed, another can be strawberry-themed and so on."

Another student who was very pleased with ProCon's event was recreation major Yordanzi Eliosa, a freshman. Eliosa did not realize the banana event was going on because she usually comes into the room to study.

"Now that I am here, I feel like there is a sense of community, and these kinds of events can really help students out," Eliosa said.

Nursing major Ivan Rivera, a freshman, was another student who attended ProCon's banana-themed event. He found out about the event through ProCon's Instagram page, and he decided to come because there would be free food.

Rivera said, "This event gives students a break from classes and gives them time to release some steam from their academic stress."

Stress relieved with pottery smash

By Jack Abbot
General Reporter

The Anthropology Club used finals stress to help raise funds for their club activities.

On Tuesday, students from Anthropology Club ran a fundraiser. The twist was that students would be paying to get out their stress by smashing pottery made by anthropology students or purchased from secondhand stores.

"It's really cathartic to get your anger out on pottery in a controlled manner," anthropology major Charlie Robichaud, a senior, said.

They chose to use pots specifically because it relates to the concept of experimental archeology, in which archeologists will perform experiments in an attempt to understand the technology or methods of past civilizations by replicating conditions and performing experiments.

Pots and shards are also very important to anthropology because they can reveal

information about historical civilizations and cultures.

"People will break their own pottery and then try to refit the pieces in ways just so you can replicate how pottery was broken hundreds of years ago," Robichaud said.

The Anthropology Club hosts events for students in anthropology or other related fields such as biology, archeology, or language. The goal of this fundraiser is to help support the anthropology department and potentially fund field trips in the future.

"We also are trying to do more fun trips going forward, so going to the Peabody, group hikes, doing a clam bake, so more experimental archeology," Robichaud said.

The society is also hoping to educate students on the importance and versatility of an anthropology degree.

"Anthropology is one of the most used majors," anthropology major and President of the

Anthropology Society, Ashley Geissler, a senior, said. "It has so many different pathways that you can go into, and so if people realize what you can do with an anthropology major, it's a good thing to have."

In the past, they have been involved with the "Cultural Festival," "Anthropology Day" and other events on campus. They are hoping to be able to do more events in the future.

"Anthropology is awesome," Robichaud said. "It's the study of people, and we're all people."

Students who attended the event enjoyed the chance to release some of their pre-finals anxiety.

"It's a good way to have a cathartic release for all of the stress and all the tension that I've been under these past few weeks," history major Justine Dobbins, a sophomore, said. "I think anthropology's really important as a history major because anthropology helps you understand the humanity of history."



PHOTO | JACK ABBOT

History major Justine Dobbins, a sophomore, breaking pottery with a hammer.

Q&A with new Athletic Director Terrance Jones

By Dillon Flanigan
Sports Editor

Q: Mr. Jones, can you offer me a sense of your background?

A: "My name is Terrance Jones. I come from a pretty good size family, went to the military, did a tour of service there, and then began to get involved with recreation and things of the like coming out of that. From there, I ended up working in some campus recreation situations, which eventually led me to start working in athletics. I started working in the athletic department internship, which cemented itself into other opportunities, and I haven't looked back since."

Q: Thank you for your service. Which branch did you serve in?

A: "The Marine Corps."

Q: Can you elaborate what your goals were? Visions you had for the future?

A: "They talk about enrollment, retention of scholars first. So, we're to look at how we attract the best student athletes, how we retained the best student athletes, how we evolve the experiences of those students while they're on our campus. They talked about the humanistic factor, how the university and the campus believe in being equally yoked as it relates to social and rights surrounding equality for everybody. Those are things that I really, really resonate with. And those things stuck out for me. To see that Southern had a particular stance on those things made me feel really good about coming here."

Q: Was there a significant difference that maybe aligned your values with the university more than another institution?

A: "No, but I'll tell you what made the difference. What sold Southern was when I had the one-on-one direct phone call with Dr. Smith, and he presented himself as an open book and allowed me to ask all the questions that I needed to, and Dr. Tyree did as well. You have a president that takes that type of time out of their day, where they have so many other things to be worried about, just to say, 'Hey, we really enjoyed speaking with you. And personally, I want to answer any questions that you may have of me.' That means something."

Q: What do you envision the future of the university's athletic department to be?

A: "I think we're seeing a lot of those things already



University Athletic Director Terrance Jones, far right, stands for a picture with alumni.

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coming to fruition. There are a group of hard-working administrators over here, a group of hard-working coaches. It trickles down to a group of hard-working student athletes. I mean, we just had a young man with a javelin throw the other day set national records. He put everybody on notice and came back and broke his record later that day. We have our swim team who were able to capture the men's and women's championships. You have our men's and women's basketball programs that have been able to propel themselves to where both teams play for championships this year. We are really trending upward. It is my goal to find those things that can help propel us one or two more steps higher there, really inject and fuel those things into putting us where we need to be."

Q: Will those be short-term goals or long-term goals?

A: "I do have some short-term objectives and long-term objectives that I want to hit. The first thing is I believe in working from an inside-out approach. From the inside, our student experience being one that at the end of the day we can be proud of and that any parent will feel comfortable sending their student athletes to us. They're very hopeful, and they're very resilient. They have an attitude where they're going to work hard regardless of who's here, and they work toward those ends because they want to be successful, not just in their particular sport of choice, but they really want to make something out of themselves. That's why they go as hard as they do in the

classroom, doing things in the community, being involved with community service ventures and things of their life."

Q: In terms of high GPA and academic standing, what other tools have you brought to the table so far are that you believe that the university is on the right track to sustaining, or do you believe that you have a system in place already?

A: "I'm somewhat still in an assessment phase. I have a meeting every other week with CASAS, and when I meet and I talk with them, we talk about who's doing good, who's doing great, who might need a little bit more support and things like that. I think that alone is gonna bode well with whatever we're trying to do. Obviously, we opened a new Wellness Center here in the Fieldhouse. It's a place where our student athletes come in and study. Those types of resources and things bode well. That room is sponsored by CT Orthopedics, who's a partner of ours. We need more of that because at the end of the day. Those types of things, I think that Southern has done a really, really great job with, and I hope to continue to do."

Q: Is there anything in the works currently? Have you reached out to other parties in the area?

A: "So since my arrival, I've been having meetings it feels like every hour. The best way to let people know that you're here is to get out in the community and let them know that and tell them that you would like to partner. A lot of times, people want to help me. They don't know how to help me because no one's communicated

that. So, I just always want to make sure that I communicate what some of our needs are, where people's core values align with ours and ways that we can all work together for the betterment of the student athletes."

Q: What has been the most positive thing about your job in your entire career and just here the university?

A: "Some of the most positive moments for me in the profession is on graduation day when you get an opportunity to see those young folks with their parents and everybody on campus, and they introduce you to them and they say, 'Oh man, I never would have made it had it not been for you, Mr. Jones.' I tell them 'No, you would have made it, we just would have had to put in a little bit more work.' Or even you see them come back to a homecoming event, and they bring their families. And when they bring their kids, and they introduce you, and you remember them running around here as a newly minted freshman, it does your heart some good. I tell all of our young folks that whether you go left or you go right, you'll be exactly where you want to be."

Since being here at Southern, I always say my brightest spot has been getting to know the student athletes. Learning about the student athletes, kind of what makes them tick, what makes them laugh, what they get a little bit more serious about, how they operate when they lock in and are preparing to face off against other schools and all that. They welcomed me with open arms, and I couldn't be more proud of that, but they work really

hard. I tell all of our staff members parallel and in our department that we need to be working twice as hard to make sure that their experience is a favorable one because they give us 110% every day."

Q: What is and what has been the most difficult thing?

A: "Anytime you start a new place and you're like in the middle of a school year, the on ramp so to speak becomes a little bit longer. It would be one of the things that I perceived as a boundary for right now. We're in the process now of preparing for end of years. But then at the same time knowing that we're trying to go ahead and start preparing and planning and implementing things as we get ready to ramp up for next year's academic and athletic season."

Q: Do you have anything that the community could maybe look forward to going forward?

A: "We have some really good things going on. We're working toward preparing our upcoming schedule for the upcoming year. Football's gonna be huge. I would ask everybody to come out and support us. We'll be hosting the NE10 Track Championship. We want people to come out and support us. There's a wealth of great things going on here at Southern. I'm enjoying getting out and getting the opportunity to meet with sponsors, donors, alums and people that have a knack and a love for all things Southern as I engrain myself into the southern culture. I'm just excited to be a part of it, and I can't wait to see what's next."

Column: on the MLB



By Avery Martin
Contributor

America's favorite pastime has an issue: a lack of women involved in high-powered positions.

To see baseball as a male-dominated environment, one need not look far. On and off the field, women are hardly a part of the sport.

In a recent Instagram post by the Major League Baseball, MLB, highlighting some of the few women involved in baseball this season, thousands of comments from male fans said something along the lines of "this is a men's sport" and "women don't belong in baseball."

How ridiculous. As a female fan of baseball, I believe that this attitude needs to change. That starts with more representation in the sport itself.

The more women we have as executives, managers and coaches, the more we show that this is not a "boy's club." After all, 47% of the MLB fanbase is female.

While baseball has come very far in racial equality since Jackie Robinson's historic debut in 1947, gender equality in the sport is a big issue and has lagged behind. Women are more than capable of taking on positions, yet they are not given a chance to do so.

In 2023, just 43 women were involved in coaching positions in major and minor league baseball. 19 of them are considered as having "on-field" coaching and development roles.

This low number is disappointing. As female fans, we deserve better.

And while the numbers of women in the sport are obviously higher than they were not too long ago, there is still a long way to go. Improvement is slow, and it is about time we see more women on our screens as a normal part of the game we love.

Now, I am not saying to hire women just because of their sex. What I am saying is that baseball lacks qualified female involvement. And while things are headed in the right direction, it is slow.

One area lacking female involvement is the front office. As of 2024, the Red Sox had five women in the executive management out of 20 positions. In the entire MLB, women comprised just 27.8% of managerial and director-level positions, 27.4% of senior administration positions, 19% of team vice presidential positions and 29% of professional administration positions.

That is not horrible, but those are not huge numbers. It is not crazy to say women are very underrepresented.

Many women in the professional fields needed in the front office are capable of performing those jobs. This includes those who are in fields such as public relations who may not have originally considered a sports-related career but are able to transfer those skills and bring a new perspective.

For more on this story, visit thesouthernnews.org

Owls Sports Recap

Men & Women's Outdoor Track & Field:

According to the Owls website, the team hosted the Jim Barber Invitational on Saturday, April 27, as the men competed in the Drake Relays from April 24-27 in Des Moines, Iowa. However, no information has been released.

Softball - Record:

17-23
April 26 - @ Franklin Pierce University - G1 L 3-0 F/7 / G2 L 9-3 F/7
April 27 - @ Saint

Michael's College - G1 W 2-0 F/7 / G2 W 5-2 F/7

Lacrosse - Record: 8-8
April 27 - @ Saint Anselm College - L 13-9

Baseball - Record:

23-20
April 27 - @ American International College - G1 W 8-1 / G2 W 15-2
April 28 - @ American International College - L 17-8 - F/8

All information has been provided by SCSUOwls.com

Future Owls Sports Schedule

Baseball:

The Owls will head to Dunkin' Donuts Park in Hartford, Connecticut to play the University of Bridgeport on Tuesday, April 30 at 11 a.m.

The Owls will host Pace University in a weekend series on Friday, May 3 at 3 p.m. and Saturday, May 4 at 12 p.m. and 3 p.m.

Softball:

The Owls will head north to Rindge, New Hampshire to face Franklin Pierce University in the first round of the NE10

Tournament on Tuesday, April 30 at 5 p.m.

Lacrosse:

The Owls will host Bentley University on Tuesday, April 30 at 4 p.m.

Men & Women's Outdoor Track & Field:

The Owls will host the NE10 Outdoor Championship meet on Friday, May 3 and Saturday, May 4 at 10 a.m.

The Owls will travel to The College of the Holy

Cross in Worcester, Massachusetts on Friday and Saturday, May 10 and 11 for the New England Championships at 10 a.m.

The Owls are expected to advance to the Division II Outdoor National Championships in Emporia, Kansas. The three day meet will take place on May 23, 24 and 25 at 12 p.m.

For information on all home and away game times, go to scsuowls.com

Perucki continues dominance; softball sweeps Felician

By Avery Martin
Contributor

The Owls won both games in a doubleheader against non-conference Felician University on April 23.

Pitcher Jessica Perucki, a graduate, dominated the mound in game one, leading the Owls to a final score of 5-1, while pitcher Ashley Lewis, a sophomore, did similar in game two with a score of 7-4.

It was the last home game of the season for the Owls, who were coming off a split doubleheader against Pace University over the weekend.

Head Coach Jillian Rispoli praised Perucki's pitching performance in game one.

"I thought Jess Perucki was absolutely spectacular. She was phenomenal on the mound, even after giving up that one unearned run at the beginning," Rispoli said.

The sole run Perucki allowed in game one was unearned in the first inning. From there, she kept her opponents at bay, as the Owls worked hard on offense.

"Defense was stellar, as they have been all year, so a lot of good stuff happening there in game one," Rispoli said.

Catcher Karley Austin, a freshman, who hit an RBI single in the bottom of the fourth, indicated Perucki's pitching makes her teammates want to step up the offense.

"I feel like it hypes us up more, to help her out," Austin said.

Center fielder Emily Lange, a senior, walked in the bottom of the fourth to give the Owls their first run. The Owls' runs in game one came off the bats of designated pitcher Nicole Spinelli, a freshman, Austin and Lange in the bottom of the fourth as well.

A hit by first baseman

Dominique DeLutri, a junior, brought in the fifth run in the bottom of the fifth inning.

"I thought our offense did a really great job of adjusting to the pitching that was going on and staying aggressive even though the first couple innings were a little bit slow. They were terrific," Rispoli said.

Game two kicked off with Lewis on the mound. Right fielder Rachel Miller, a senior, helped to score the first run for the Owls in the bottom of the first, followed by two runs scored off a single by Spinelli.

"I think we came out of the gates hot. We knew what we had to do and got it done," Austin said.

Felician scored three runs off Lewis in the top of the first and second, as well as their last run of the day in the top of the seventh.

The Owls kept the



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Pitcher Jess Perucki, a graduate, pitches during game one.

bats hot, with Austin and DeLutri contributing in the second and Miller in the sixth.

Perucki said winning

both games was a welcome boost of morale.

"I think it was a great game, especially coming off a split this weekend.

I think our defense was great. Our hitting kept getting better and better throughout each inning," Perucki said.



Third baseman Gabby Festa, a junior, at bat.



Left fielder Rachael Miller, a senior, doubles to left.



Catcher Karley Austin, a freshman, leads off second base.

John Bucci reflects on a roller coaster of a career

By Dillon Flanigan
Sports Editor

Whenever there is a pocket of lefty hitters in the lineup, southpaw John Bucci, a graduate, is on high alert.

"This year, John has really come into his own," Head Coach Tim Shea said. "He kind of wears his emotions right out there. So like, if he does well, you could see when he gets frustrated, you could see it a little bit, but it's always great."

Bucci played high school baseball for four years at Ansonia High School and graduated in 2017. He did not receive any offers to play collegiately, attending the university that fall.

"I didn't really like reach out to anyone to try to get recruited out of high school," Bucci said. "I walked on here. I talked to Coach Shea, got in contact and tried out here. And then, ultimately made the team, and the rest is history from there."

A student athlete in the past, Bucci attended tryouts as a sophomore walk-on in October of 2018.

"It's hard to make a college team being a walk-on non-recruited guy, but John impressed us," Shea said. "We felt that he would be a good addition to our program, so we added him."

In 2019, he appeared in six games, and then only appeared in the 2020 shortened COVID-19



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Pitcher John Bucci, a graduate, poses on 2024 Media Day.

"In the classroom, he's one of the better students. He takes pride in his academics. From a baseball standpoint, he works hard. The progress he's made from when he first committed to now has really shown, and it shows by his workload from the beginning to now. Everybody's really excited for him because he's just a really good individual."

— Pitching Coach Ed Bethke

season. Even when the news was grim about the cancelled season, the Owls still recognized players for their actions and contributions. Bucci was

given the honor as the 2020 Jamie Russell Award winner.

"The award is about sportsmanship and doing things the right way,"

Bucci said. "I pride myself on treating the game with respect, treating the coaches, players, everything with respect." Russell, a former

baseball player at the university, tragically passed away when Shea was the assistant coach. Jamie was described as a hard worker and a great teammate with a sense of humor.

"We always try to find a guy on our team that kind of fits that bill. Even though Johnny wasn't playing a lot, he was that guy," Shea said. "He worked really hard to get advantage of whatever opportunities he got."

He is held in high regard by his teammates and loved by the coaching staff. Even though his stats do not stand out, it was a natural fit to acknowledge his hard work, Shea said.

If COVID was not enough, in 2021 Bucci faced one of his toughest battles yet. Any injury as an athlete is concerning. As a pitcher, it raises one's suspicion to the unimaginable worst-case scenario.

"It came up in the Fall," Bucci said. "Luckily, it's not like a serious injury where you have to get surgery, but it keeps you out enough to not be on the field."

When shoulder tendinitis first popped up, a path of rest and rehab predetermined a lane forward to pitch again.

"It didn't flare for a few years, and then you feel it again while pitching. And then as a lot of people do, you instantly think the worst. For a pitcher, you think like 'Do I need Tommy John?' That's

like a death sentence for pitchers a lot of the time," Bucci said.

Playing for many seasons throughout the years has afforded his teammates an opportunity to catch a glimpse of both Bucci the pitcher and Bucci the person.

"People kind of look up to him," catcher Billy Sullivan, a senior, said. "Seeing how much he cares, how much he wants to win, how much he wants the team to win, how much he wants to see other guys succeed— I think that that rubs off on people, and it has a bigger impact than a lot of people think."

Over the last six years, Bucci has been a stable force for Shea. Being the best person he can be on and off the field has left an indelible mark on his teammates.

But Bucci, honored to be a walk-on, reflects on what could have been in 2020 as many do. Though as many reflect, the lefty specialist looks forward to what is next after grad school and baseball.

"Not every day is going to be exciting or fun.

But even when you go through tough practices or tough games, it's the memories you make with your teammates and your coaches," Bucci said. "Every year, it gets quicker. Enjoy every day, work hard and don't take anything for granted— and don't let that time go by before you realize it's too late."



Bucci throws an inning in relief versus Adelphi University.



Bucci warms up versus Adelphi University.



Bucci throws an inning in relief versus Adelphi University.