

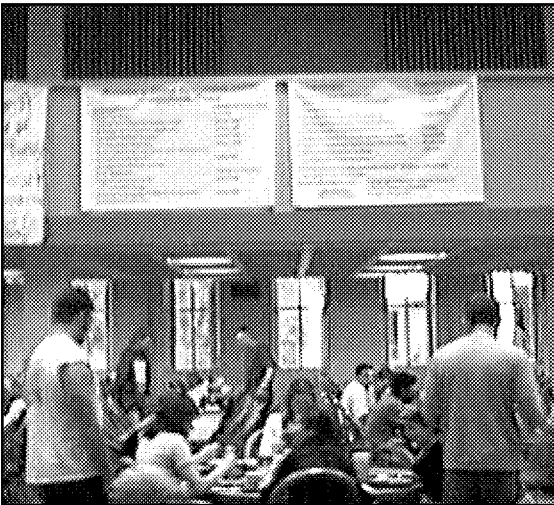
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FREE... TRY SOME

THE TRUTH AS ONLY FICTION CAN TELL IT.

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Just LOOK at how much we've done! It's a lot! See?

Ecstatic students cheer and applaud the laundry-list of achievements for which ASR claims sole responsibility. ASR credits themselves with so much that it takes two whole BIG posters to brag about it!

'Stop the Prop' a success

ASR: 'See? We're doing something! Look! See?'

First-year Tara Olafsdottir stated that she will heed the sign placed in Mabey by the Association of Student Representatives.

"I saw the sign after I had just gotten some Chinese food," she said in a statement released Wednesday. "It seemed logical: stop the propping doors and we will get universal ID cards. But I don't understand why anyone would prop doors if we got swipe-card access."

Olafsdottir went on to laud ASRs use of the eye-catching "Stop the Prop" logo and door design.

The next day, Olafsdottir returned to find the catchy "Stop the Prop" sign missing. It had been replaced by two signs enumerating the changes ASR has

brought to campus over the course of this year.

"No pictures on this new one," she said. "That's a definite minus. But it seems like they've done a lot, not counting all the pending stuff."

She also expressed confusion that ASR takes credit for the Thanksgiving Feast (which Aramark provides every year), the ten-cents-a-minute phone rate spearheaded by Residential Life, and the Internet bandwidth expansion, which was largely due to efforts by the Computer Science department.

"Still, I give them credit," Olafsdottir said. "They know that good things are happening, and they're not at all afraid to take credit for them."

Greeks of today in no way resemble ancient Greeks

In an unequivocal statement released Tuesday, the department of Classical Studies stated that the so-called "Greeks" of Trinity's sororities and fraternities in no way resemble the ancient Greeks.

"Though their multicolored jerseys may carry the same letters that recorded the first democratic debates during the Golden Age of Pericles, for example, they do not seem to share the language, customs, nor any other traits with the Greeks of Classical antiquity," stated Dr. Ellen Neumann, Classical Studies department chair. "Despite the fraternities' adherence to the traditional Hellenistic penchant for buggery, one wonders why they call themselves 'Greeks' at all."

The Greek Council, which oversees fraternity and sorority activities, was quick to fire back, citing the principles which guided the ancient Mediterranean culture.

"Fraternities and sororities are all about tradition," replied Greek Council Chair Macaulay Fisk, "and we've traditionally been called 'Greeks.' Who are we to question tradition?"

Indeed, tradition was an issue hotly disputed throughout last Friday's Bid Day activities. Some students in Greek organizations said they feel the Classical Studies department is completely out of touch.

"What do they know about the Greeks, anyway?" said Sigma president Kelly Winters. "I haven't exactly seen them at any rush activities lately. Take, for example, the emotional and often sexual humiliations that accompany the hazing process. Where else are you going to find that, outside of the Army?"

"Oops," she later added. "Did I say that? I meant, hazing is illegal, and we Greeks don't participate in it. Ever."

Gamma member and Classical Studies major Valerie Hastell is conflicted.

"On one hand, I would like to maximize my knowledge of the cultures that gave rise to our modern Western civilization," she said. "But on the other hand, I would also really like to belong to an organization that uses social activities as an excuse to perpetuate obsolete gender roles. What's a girl to do?"

HEAD-TO-HEAD

So just how do our Greeks stack up against the actual Greeks from ancient Greece?

Ancient Greeks vs. Modern Greeks

	Rich pottery	Beer cans 
	Lamb's Skin	Morning-after pills
	Giant horse helps sack Troy	Giant Trojans help sack whores
	The Parthenon	Frat Houses
	Public Forums	Toga Parties 
	Greek letters carved onto tablets	Greek letters shaved into heads
	Houseboys	'Little Brothers'
	Orgies	Socials

DEPT. OF CAMPUS PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY BRIEFS

Information

February 13, 2000: 0915 hours

Department of Public Safety Headquarters: Officer points out that 'Department of Public Safety' is a dumb name.

Undergarment Information

February 18, 2000: 1146 hours

Newspaper column: Official Department of Public Safety Briefs located. Advice was given.



Name Change

February 21, 2000: 2233 hours

Department of Public Safety Headquarters: Officer changes name of department to 'Department of Campus Safety.'

'GDI' participants enjoy beans, *Star Wars*

TAC spoke up for the bored, irritated, lonely masses on campus last week by forming 'Gosh-Darn Independents,' a Greek organization for students who are not part of any Greek organizations.

The event was also intended as a tongue-in-cheek jab at the Greek activities happening all over campus.

GDI weekend activities included watching *Star Wars Episode I: The Phantom Menace*, eating beans, and listening to Dixieland music.

"There was even a dance! The theme was 'A night in Troy.' That's so clever, because the city of Troy got sacked by the ancient Greeks!" sophomore Ronald

Englebert said. "How appropriate! We really showed those frat boys who's coolest. I haven't had so much fun since Playfair! Oh boy, how I love God!"

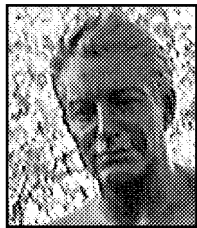
According to Englebert, other popular GDI weekend activities among his friends included homework and quiet evenings in the dorm room.

Despite claims of being an 'alternative to Greek Week,' for independents, some students did not give a 'fuck.'

"The reason I'm an independent," junior David Bond said, "is because I don't need to be validated by a huge group of instant friends. I don't need a frat-for-people-who-don't-want-frats."

PEANUT GALLERY

Are you Greek or Independent?



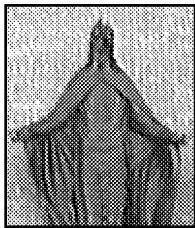
"I'm Greek, you moron. I'm ATLAS. But Dionysus and I do enjoy partying. He brings the wine, of course."

— Atlas



"Independent... does it look like I have any friends? I'm just a head on a pedestal!"

— George Storch Head



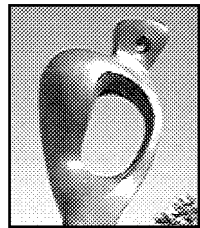
"Greek. Me and the apostlessure throw some great parties with the chicks from Galilee."

— Alpha Omega Jesus



"Greek...it's a great way to get free beer and share homework with the guys."

— Esplanade Trash Can

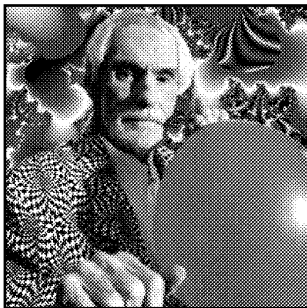


"Independent... I enjoy spending quiet time at home with a book. I drink plenty by myself."

—Large Interior Form

Spring break ideas by Dr. Tim Leary

Don't know what to do this spring break? Dr. Timothy Leary makes these terrific fun-filled suggestions!



- Paint your Volkswagen.
- Ask a butterfly for a ride.
- Share a pretty flower.
- Transcend reality.
- Discover your mind.
- Love a red balloon.
- What is that rat doing here?
- Where are my arms?
- I'm being eaten alive!
- Please, just make it stop!

Slapping that ass up:

An interview with a butt-slapping athlete

COMMENT

I have always been a little suspicious of those male sport players who slap each other's butts, so I took it upon myself last week to catch up with one such butt-slapper, Marcus Cheek.

Marcus, much like the large cock that is his brain, was unresponsive to my questions at first, but he was soon aroused by my verbal stroking, and shot his secrets in my face.

"We all work hard to make our asses nice and tight," he said, "and it isn't easy. So when we slap someone's ass, we're really comparing them to our own asses. The guy with the tightest ass is our social leader, signified by his position as 'tight end.'"

So they all must be gay, right?

"Gay?" he said. "Fuck you, man! None of us are gay! Ha! No way. We just like to help each other beat off. We very rarely actually have sex with each other. It's hard to be a well-cut guy in a locker room full of other naked well-cut guys and NOT get a little hard."

Having uncovered the truth, I thanked Mr. Cheeks and sent him on his way. I didn't get MY ass slapped, but I did get invited to 'take a shower' after practice in the locker room. At first, I wanted to rush home and have graphic sex with my girlfriend, but then I figured, "hey, why not give it a try? What harm could it do? They seem like a nice enough bunch of all-American guys."

Our columnist has just released his third book, 'Swinging their bats at each other's balls,' a close-up look at Baseball in America.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Sorority rejects: a light of hope for you

Hey Trinity student,

You guys really rock! Seriously! Anyway...to my statement: Last Friday was bid day. I was wading through all the chicks on my way to Coates and just couldn't believe what I was seeing. I saw at least a dozen perfectly hot chicks bawling their eyes out. It's sad, really, that such hotties get rejected from sororities. At first, I saw it as just a total shame, but then I thought of this as a possible opportunity. These chicks are feeling down, and they KNOW they aren't going to get laid anytime soon. I feel for them, and I can help them.

Ladies, be not afraid! You might not have friends anymore, if you ever did, but I'll still do ya! It doesn't matter how unpopular you are, or even what you look like! As long as you aren't packin' a dick, I'll take you for a ride! Forget about those greeks. I'll be your friend...at least as long as you keep puttin' out that is. Hey! I wouldn't want to be seen hanging around with a sorority reject unless I was either getting free beer or regular play out of it! I'm only human! If you're interested call me, your new master, Jacob Small at x9854.

Later ladies...I'll be seein' ya!

Sincerely,
Your new reason for living,
Jacob Small

THIS ALBUM SOUNDS PURPLE AND YUMMY

You can be Anyone, This Time Around

AUDIO

Dr. Timothy Leary

That's right, the doctor of psychedelic pharmacology put out an album, and a rather groovy one at that.

Steven Stills's guitar and Jimi Hendrix's bass provide a jazzy party atmosphere for the good doctor's message, narrated by the man himself. In the first of three tracks, Dr. Leary discusses his views on American politics and how political parties should be parties. The second track, the title track, features an inspiring meditative narration with such memorable quotes as, "You can be Shiva, sitting in a cave on a mountaintop in the Himalayas, with a ten-foot erection."

The CD also features his campaign poster for the governorship of California as an insert. Find it at your local IMS, call number: MCD8100 .L42 1Z.

ABOUT TRINITY STUDENT

This copy of *Trinity Student* belongs to:

Wow, what an exciting past couple of weeks!

And what have we learned this past fortnight? Let's take a quick review:

- It's okay to drink by the fountain if you're a girl in a tight black dress
- It's not okay to run around naked by the fountain if you're not drinking
- All \$20,000/year educations should come with fireworks displays
- Your efforts to support *Trinity Student* are not wasted, so keep it up! Thanks!

Trinity Student is at liberty to take liberties. If you find anything that seems false or offensive, that's because it is false or offensive. Satire is often so. This is satire. Your input is welcomed! Send it to trinitystudent@yahoo.com.

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