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Grizzly Bears !!!

On Tuesday, March 18, Bob Barnes will be speaking on the Grizzly Bear. The talk will be accompanied by a slide show. The program will be held in 319 Marshall (We hope!) and will begin at 7:30 pm.

This talk is being sponsored by the Wildlife Society.
Don't miss it!

YEARBOOK ADS

This week, student patrons will be on sale throughout the day in the lobby of Marshall. For only $1.00, you get a line of 50 characters. Come prepared with what you plan to write and choose your words carefully—we reserve the right to edit!

Sue Dinero
Editor

P.S. Yearbooks will also be on sale for $5.00.

HAPPY SPRING!

See you at the Spring Banquet on Thursday night!!!
POLICY AND DEADLINES

The Knothole is the Student Publication of the State University of New York College of Environmental Science and Forestry. It is published every Tuesday during the school year. The deadline for submitting pieces for publication is Wednesday, NOON, of the previous week. All letters to the Editor must be signed. All articles must be signed, although names will be deleted on request. Letters to the Editor do not necessarily reflect the opinions of this paper's staff. We welcome any counterviews, articles, notices, suggestions, or new staff members. The Knothole meets in Room 404 Bray every Tuesday at 3:00 pm and every Wednesday at 6:00 pm.

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**The Mutants are coming, The MUTANTS are coming. Beware they may catch you off guard, and then you are DEAD!!!
++N.V.W. - That light bulb above your head is blinding! You're such a genius! (But you know that already!)
??Al, so you always leave your mug in the piano?
@We need a Lightweight of the Month for March-So drink up Stumpies!
##001, can we play disco darts with you?

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ELECTIONS

Next year we need a council that will work with the students. We need cooperation, not conflict. There are many things we need; more computer terminals, Nifkin Lounge open later at night or even more receptacles for trash or recycling. We cannot accomplish any of these things if we break down into special interest groups, bickering among ourselves. We need to form a united body. Students working with the student council is the only way we can overcome the obstacles keeping us from obtaining what we need. We should not spend our time grousing about who did not clean up what or listen to who. Let us show the administration what a cohesive student body can do. Things will be so much easier if we pull together, instead of against each other.

I am Lew Lain and I am running for 2nd Vice-President of the Student Council. I can work with you and we will be able to accomplish much.

Lewis H. Lain

CATCHALL

!!Guff, have you become another Newton? @Will Hermanetta ever come out and plaaaaay? ##Hey Ozone—Had any toe jam casserole lately?!? $$Brian, We’re giving lessons on "How to Make Coffee" this Sat. %&My nomination for Couple of the Year—Dracula and the Cosmic Harmonious Cretin. =JennyAnn—When do we start our trek to Montana—now or in May?! I say we leave NOW!!! &&Wolf, you’re a fun supervisor, thanks for your help at the Coffeehouse.

YEARBOOK?

The Empire Forester is currently looking for an editor for next year’s book. Do you think it’s important to have a yearbook when you graduate? There won’t be one unless you, Sophomores and Juniors, take the initiative to produce the book next year.

I am now accepting letters of intent from anyone who wants the job of Editor. If there is NO EDITOR, there is NO BOOK! If you have questions you may leave them in the mailbox in Marshall or call me at 422-3548.

Sue Dinero
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