CRC welcomes new sauna

A new sauna opened at the Campus Recreation Center (CRC) last week. Located near the recreational pool on the first floor of the CRC, the new sauna is a dry, co-ed facility. Bathing suits are required.

DiSabatino finalist for Clemson VP

Gail DiSabatino, dean of Students, was recently named one of three top candidates for the Vice President for Student Affairs position at Clemson University. The other two candidates are Thomas Burke, associate vice president for Student Services at the University of Georgia and James Rollo, associate vice president for Student Affairs at the University of Florida.

Students travel to Mobile for service trip

Tech received funding for the project internally, in the form of a donation from President Wayne Clough.

Attending staff advisors include Sarah Brackmann, assistant director of Student Involvement for Community Service; Sarah Kline, coordinator of Greek Affairs; and Tiffany Watson, judicial coordinator of the Honor Advisory Council.

Students are required to attend a mandatory orientation that will include training.

Faculty members receive Fulbright awards

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The National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division I Committee on Infractions placed Tech on two years probation last Thursday and levied additional sanctions against the institute for using 17 ineligible athletes in four sports between 1998 and 2004. In addition to Tech's self-imposed sanctions, the committee added penalties including public reprimand and censure, the deletion by Tech of several football, track and swimming records and a reduced number of scholarships.

The committee’s report said that although Tech performed investigations in 2005, the findings did not reveal many of the case's details, which were discovered after the investigation of the NCAA committee. The eligibility issue may have stemmed back as far as 1992 but the statute of limitations disallows penalties based on findings prior to the start of the 1998 academic year.

We are disappointed by the ruling of the NCAA Committee on Infractions,” said Dave Braine, director of Student Involvement for Student Affairs, was recently named one of the top candidates for the Vice President for Student Affairs position at Clemson University. The other two candidates are Thomas Burke, associate vice president for Student Services at the University of Georgia and James Rollo, associate vice president for Student Affairs at the University of Florida.

Last chance to buy earthquake T-shirt

Earthquake Relief t-shirts, designed by the Pakistani Students Association (PSA), the Student Government Association (SGA), and Mobilizing Opportunity for Volunteer Experience (MOVE), remain on sale until Monday at www.earthquake.gatech.edu.

Students can also donate directly to the fund on the website; profits will be sent to aid earthquake victims.

NCAA adds to self-imposed sanctions

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Senior Staff Writer

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From the files of the GTPD...

**Maybe Buzz did it?**

Several items were found missing from the Love Manufacturing Building on Nov. 8. Sometime between 8:00 a.m. and 2:15 p.m., a shovel, a hard hat and a stuffed Buzz were taken from the glass trophy case on the third floor.

**I swear I saw a fire.**

On Nov. 16, a maintenance worker reported a fire extinguisher was discharged by an unknown student on the third floor hallway of Eighth Street West Apartments.

This week’s campus crime information written by Kenneth Baskell.

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**Campus Crime**

On the afternoon of Nov. 14, a woman entering the Third Street tunnel was approached by three other women who asked if she was interested in investing some money. She replied yes, so they drove to the Bank of America and tried to withdraw some money. However, the victim did not have any money in her account. They then traveled to the Georgia Gift Shop in the North Avenue Train Station and the victim borrowed $300 from a man there. Finally, they went to the One Georgia Center and met a man there who gave the money. The three women asked the victim to wait inside while they went outside. When the women did not return, the victim went to check on them and they were gone. When she returned to the building, the man was gone, too. No further description of the subjects was given.

**Get it while its hot!**

While driving on Techwood Drive on Nov. 12, an officer spotted an information board on fire. After contacting the Atlanta Fire Department, the officer was able to put out the fire with a fire extinguisher. There was no damage done to the board, however, the papers were burned off. The cause of the fire was not apparent.

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**Corrections**

ICRF incorrectly stated a web address in a recent advertisement. The correct address is www.gatech.edu/commencement/.

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**SLIVER**

www.nique.net/sliver

Bob from Folk needs to get a job

OMG - we beat Miami!!!

OMG - we might beat Georgia!!! YEA!!!

Happy Thanksgiving, Y'all!!!

Don’t eat too much turkey!!!

Perrin stop shaving your chest

Rahul is not a terrorist

JARRIO IS MY BABY’S DADDY

I’m Sorry Fanny Pack Girl-Miller

BODBAYESTHEWORST COMMENTATOR EVER

JWill learn to cook or I will shove that crap up your ass

it’s raining men

DUHRMANATION!

Once again, the physics department proves that it in fact does not give a rip what its intro students think.

UGA’s gonna have it coming!

To Elen in Leland’s 1102 class: too bad there’ll be no more class, ur smile always brightened my day

Mr. Biology, love me, not her! pick me. choose me. love me!!!

does anyone else wonder if komerath even has a freaking lesson plan?

i wonder what it must be like to be stupid.

Zach Your sister is really hot. Seriously.

To all you tree-hugging hippies who were protesting the war, if you don’t like the US then leave.

Karen, why don’t you come see me. Seriously.

Bell and Johnson you are soooo lucky we still won that game.

Brandon You really suck at Halo. Seriously.

Yo B, you used to be a gamer. facebook sucks use myspace

See page for more slivers
GSS passes seven bills in two sessions

The Graduate Student Senate passed seven bills in its past two meetings, allocating over $40,000 to a variety of student organizations.

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The other bill passed at the meeting granted $1918.20 to the Men’s Lacrosse Club to fund helmets and home uniforms for the club.

Members of the Rowing Team speak at the UHR meeting about their request for $38,000 for a new boat, cox box and oars.

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The committee imposed several penalties in addition to the original self-imposed sanctions. A list of 79 players on scholarship instead of 35 was added for the next two years. The team has 85 players on scholarship this year. The 17 student-athletes who were found to be ineligible, 11 were football players.

The committee also ordered that Tech vacate football records for contests in which the 11 ineligible players were involved. These include all games in the 1998, 1999, 2000, 2002 and 2004 seasons. All but one game during the 2001 season will also be vacated. Although the NCAA requires that these games be deleted from Tech’s records, opponents’ records will still contain them. For men’s and women’s track and field and women’s swimming and diving records, the report stated that records of points gained by ineligible athletes would be deleted and team totals would be recalculated.

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Second-year IE major

Several students said they thought the penalties were harsh. “Erasing a few years of records seems a little too drastic,” said Molin Jiang, a second-year Industrial Engineering major.

“If our calibration is bad, then we shouldn’t have to erase our whole records including all of the wins,” said Apurva Desai, a second-year Industrial Engineering major.

“I think it’s a little overboard. I can understand fining the organization or these responsible, but it’s unfair to the other players on the football team who have their wins erased,” said Bhavik Trivedi, a second-year Management major.

“It’s hard to punish the school because when you punish the school you punish the students,” said Raymond Wang, a second-year Industrial Engineering major.

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The original self-imposed sanctions included, for the 2005-2006 and 2006-2007 academic years, a reduction of football scholarships by four grants-in-aid, a grants-in-aid reduction of 3.90 for the men’s track and field team, a reduction of $3.50 for the women’s track and field team and a fine of $5000 for allowing ineligible football athletes to compete in bowl games.

The last bill considered by the Senate was related to organizing a special event to celebrate Julie’s life Nov. 29 at the Bill Moore ceremony to celebrate Julie’s life Nov. 29 at the Bill Moore Student Center held in honor of AKPsi and Phi Kappa Tau. She was born Oct. 8, 1985. She was a second-year Industrial Engineering major and planned to graduate in 2008.

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