

Professor's work nominated for Emmy

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In a recent announcement, pretty-part-time/mostly-adjunct professor of English Louis Bastien was nominated for an Academy Award for his work in the short, "Belgium Waffles: Why Germans Got Such a Kick Out of Invading Belgium Every 45 Minutes."

Bastien was nominated in the highly-competitive category of "Best New CountryWestern Act," and was clearly pleased with the recognition. "I haven't been up for a Grammy in quite some time. I hope I can make the ceremony in Palm Springs this Spring."

Chair of the English Department Serena Hilsinger shared his excitement. "Clearly this shows Clark's dedication to collecting large quantities of meaningless awards. Nobody can question our commitment now. Being nominated for a Tony shows beyond a shadow of a doubt that Clark is on the same intellectual level as *Cats*."

When asked about his chances of winning, Bastien expressed guarded optimism. "Well, just being nominated is the real award— No, that's bullshit. I want to *win*, motherfucker! Imagine how cool it will look on my resume to say 'Winner, Nobel Peace Prize.'" Other nominees include Mother Teresa, Mahatma Gandhi, Charles de Gaulle, and Dwight Schultz.

"We really stand by Bastien's work," said Hilsinger, "and we're confident that he can bring home the bacon." She paused thoughtfully. "Clark is committed to capitalizing on the cheap and



Lou Bastien, potentially a professor of English, is a recipient of this year's Alice B. Toklas award for best freeform sonnet by a Native American woman. He also has received the Faculty Senate's coveted "Dapper Jack Derr" award.

available supply of meaningless academic awards. We feel the Stanley Cup, if Bastien wins it, will compliment our collection nicely."

Bastien had his own feelings on Clark's agenda. "Sure, Clark knows where the cash is. If you can fill your brochures and catalogues with lists of awards, then you bring in the buckolas. Even better is when you can take advantage of collective guilt. The Holocaust Studies Program is expected to bring in at least one major award every three weeks until 2007. By comparison, this

nomination for my third Peabody Award is nothing."

Bastien sees this nomination as an opportunity. "I really hope that I can pick up some babes at the awards ceremony. I'd say that that's my number one priority. Even if I don't win the Moon Man, I still have all those Mtv women around me. Frankly, that Moon Man statuette is pretty stupid-looking anyway."

The winner of the Edgar Allen Poe Award will receive his weight in broken hairdryers and case of diseased rats. Bastien describes himself as "hopeful."

Administrator's mustache goes berserk

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Jack Foley's mustache went berserk today, launching a public outburst that left nineteen totally confused, twelve disgusted, and at least six emotionally traumatized.

The outburst began when a student, vaguely resembling Bill Evans ('98), and produced a razor, upon which time Mr. Foley began jumping up and down and making strange "whooping" noises. The unnamed student appeared shocked and oddly bemused, and ran and hid behind Jim Collins. Mr. Foley then began gesticulating wildly and tearing at his face, screaming "these follicles were made for osculation, you nasty little man."

He then produced a variety of high-fibre vegetables and started verbalizing their caloric intake to anyone who couldn't flee the scene quickly enough. The reports vary, but he apparently started screaming UPNRP promotional material to a convoluted medley of BeeGees tunes and disappeared into Jonas Clark.

During the segue out of "Stayin' Alive," he somehow managed to balance himself on the big hand of the Clock Tower, and was apparently urinating.

After that, things began to deteriorate.

None of the eyewitnesses could place the exact moment, but most present generally agreed that during this time, the mustache, henceforth known as "The Perpetrator," detached itself from Jack's face, leaving him motionless (but still productive) and jumped over to the flagpole, sliding down and leaving twisted, comblike tracks in the gleaming steel and echoes of a horrendous screech. It then jumped onto the back of an unsuspecting dog, which took off like a rocket, first smashing into the flag pole, then flying off in the direction of Monihan's Medical Supplies.

By the time everyone regained their sanity, the front gates lay dangling, the flag was burning, 23 people lay gasping, the Perpetrator had fled, and Jack Foley's pants were flying from a second-story air-conditioner. The whole scene stank of a setup.

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— The Usual Gang of Assholes

CLARK NEWS BRIEFS

Cultural person doesn't come to interpret Clark students

Arrested serial killer Richard Ramirez came Friday, October 11 at noon to Atwood Hall. Ramirez, a Pulitzer Putz finalist, isn't the author of "Hunger for Memory," actually, he claims he's obligated to go on a murdering Spree Day after an argument with his Mexican father. Audience members were expecting to see Richard Rodriguez, acclaimed write and Pulitzer Prize finalist who was supposed to speak on "Brown in a Black and White America."

US Secretary talks of Interior Environments

John Wayne Bobbit and a secretary who works for the Interior decided not to come to Clark to commemorate the 20th anniversary of the release of *Deep Throat*. The celebrations were to

be held in Tilton Hall; with speeches from congressional candidate, Jim McGovern. The secretary was to speak of her interior regarding her acting job with Bobbit.

Choices announces opening for 1996-97 school year

Clark's birth control information center, Choices, opened its doors Sunday. Choices was founded in 1969, and boy, was everyone happy that they didn't have to walk to Monihan's anymore. "It's more convenient having something like that located in a dorm," said one student at the Grand Opening. "Now, I can just pull up my pants and walk right down the stairs." Choices is an impartial agency that takes no position on controversial issues related to sexuality, reproduction and Bob Dole.

"Maria X" escapes from Nicaraguan

sweatshop

Maria X spoke last Thursday on the hardships endured by the people in her country. Like a heroine in a comic book, she came to tell her an almost unbelievable story and then disappeared. Equally as unbelievable was CCN's offer to create a sci-fi show with the same name.

ROCU takes the airwaves

...And the FCC wants them back

Parent's Weekend a success

Over 250 pairs of parents were on campus this weekend, say the people from Admissions. They also said that it was the last time they throw a 30+ party at 66. Eight people were arrested, all of whom donated money to the University to keep their names out of the papers.

President's House dedicated this past weekend

130 Woodland was dedicated Saturday, October 12 in honor of eight different benefactors. The Harrington House now contains the Peters Lavatory, Mr. And Mrs. J. Henkels Washroom, and the Rockefeller Dumbwaiter, among others.

Spinoza Publications in Hot Water with 'Bond Women'

Spinoza Publications, the publishers of *WheatBread* magazine, have been forced to go on the defensive recently, after sponsoring a 'contest' of objectionable taste. "We don't think we crossed any line," publisher Randy Mack said in a prepared statement last Wednesday, "We don't understand the controversy." The 'final' issue of *WheatBread* con-

tained a form asking for nominees for "The Bond Women of Clark," women who could be in one of the classic James Bond films. The Women's Center immediately issued a stern reprimand, citing objectification, sexism, bad taste, and maleness. Bilaga immediately issued another reprimand, claiming heterosexism, and, furthermore, they are much more oppressed. Spinoza Publications has reportedly received "a quantity" of nominations. Bond women are, in no particular order, Alexis Carreiro, Angela Young, Obi Savage, Amanda Mitchell, Miryam Vesset, Molly Pettiford, Liberty Jones, and Jessica Prokup; runners-up were Karren Young, Keri LaRoque, Tricia Nugent, Elise Margolis, and Tami Lee; a special write-in "Moneypenny" vote was received for Bethan Steward. Nominees are believed to be "pissed."

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