BIT'S & PIECES

Circle K meets Thursday afternoons at 4:30 in the Besser Tech Center conference room. All interested students are invited to attend. Circle K is planning a ski trip this coming Saturday. Thanks goes out to all those who donated blood at the latest blood drive. There will be another in April.

Student Senate meets every Wednesday morning at 7:30 in room 450 of NRC.

Student Affairs office is open Monday thru Friday, 8 am til 4 pm. Theater tickets, work study, information, job placement, etc.

The Learning Skills Center has late hours scheduled Monday and Wednesday, 4-6 pm, and Tuesday and Thursday, 6-8 pm.

Measurements for caps and gowns for spring graduation will be taken the week of Feb. 20-24 in room 107 VLH. Cost is \$12.00. See Lori.

Any student interested in being a speaker for graduation please notify the Student Affairs office.

The State Theater is still offering student discounts for those showing their I.D. cards.

The Lumberjack Louie contest is going strong. Congratulations to Pat Hanz and Pam Mytko for finding him recently for a \$20.00 prize.

ACC Board of Trustees will meet Thursday February 16, at 7:30 pm in room 450 NRC.

Sandy Stover of Ferris State College will be on campus to talk to interested transfer students on Wednesday, Feb. 22 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Sign up in room 100 VLH.

Ferris State College has announced a \$500 scholarship to be awarded to an ACC technical or vocational student who wishes to pursue a BS degree from that institution. Interested students contact Richard Counsellor, HLH, in 100, VLH.

Federal applications are now available for financial aid in room 107 of VLH.

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Album Review

by: Mike Huggler

The follow-up to their debut album, Dawn Patrol, "Midnight Madness" is somewhat of a let down considering the talent Night Ranger possesses.

Basically, the same formula is used for both albums, except for the extra ballad on the newest. Each song seems to be an all or nothing effort. "You Can Still Rock In America" is a driving fired up cut, On it, Brad Gillis, who has extremely fast fingers, rips out a screaming solo.

But "Chipping Away" and "Passion Play" seem to have been ground out to fill in the spaces. All the members are talented and the band has a unique sound, but the rather dull songs are hard to save.

Maybe the band ought to switch to ballads, for the two on this album are outstanding. "Sister Christian" is a powerful, moving cut, while "Let Him Run" is a gorgeous accoustic song. It seems as though the latter was stolen from Zeppelin or possibly the Beatles.

The Album isn't all that bad, it just seems that they could do better. Don't give up on them yet.

Old Testament Class Offered

by Tim Grulke

The Old Testament class, taught by Reverend Patricia Lull of St. Paul Lutheran Church, is a Humanities course designed to study the Bible.

The course is divided into two semesters. The first semester class, Humanities 111, studied the first six books of the Old Testament, and learned the background of Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy, and Joshua.

The second semester class, Humanities 112, is going to study suffering as its main topic. They will also be studying the History of Israel, matching special events to the appropriate prophet; poetry assoc-

The Old Testament class, taught the relationship to the Proverbs,
Reverend Patricia Lull of St. and finally, the Book of Job.

The class is taught on Monday evenings from 6:00 to 9:00 pm in Van Lare Hall, room 121. There are 14 members returning from the first semester class. When asked what she thought the students' impression of the class was, Reverend Lull replied, "They're finding it a lot like Shakespeare. The writings from the Bible are harder, and more complex to understand."

Before entering the class, you have to tell Lull three things you know from the Old Testament. This gives her an idea of what you know about the Old Testament.

Board Meets

The Alpena Community College Board of Trustees will meet in regular session on Thursday, February 16, at 7:30 pm in room 450 NRC.

Items on their agenda include appointment of an attorney, apointment of an auditor, budget revisions, and various reports, including an athletic report.

All interested persons are urged

In 1943 the city of Alpena joined together to raise \$200,000 and bought a B24 bomber to add to the war effort. The bomber, affectionately named "Thunder Bay Babe", was stationed in Italy and on March 29, 1944 was lost on a mission over Germany.

Once again the citizens of Alpena raised money for a second bomber which was appropriately named "Thunder Bay Babe II".

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By Kevin Fagan

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- 4. There are no restrictions on form or theme. Length of poems up to fourteen lines. Each poem must have a separate title.

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- 8. All entries must be postmarked not later than the above deadline and fees be paid, cash, check or money order, to:

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Corrections

It was incorrectly stated in the February 1 issue of the Update that Max Lindsay was the only administrator not to sign a resolution concerning athletics. There was one other that did not sign.

At the January Board of Trustees meeting, the official motion to reinstate athletics read, "That athletics as outlined be reinstated at the college to be paid for not out of general funds and at a payment program to be determined at a later date."

This motion was made by Dr. Lee Britton. In the last issue of the Update, Britton's printed comments were made during discussion and not as the official motion.