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Michigan's number two debater to join Liberty's 1994 squad

By JOANNA TEDDER

The LEU debate team awarded Dr. Jerry Falwell the first M. Editor Bolton award on Monday, May 2. The distinguished educator award is given to persons who exemplify debate in their uncompromising style, and Debate Coach Jim O'Donnell said that the award will be given annually at the end of the season. O'Donnell also mentioned the top five finalists within 37 points of each other. George Washington finished with 402 points, Harvard with 418, Boston College with 434, and the University of Kentucky with 469. Boston College won 6-0. The debate team awards Falwell for his significant contributions to the debate program.

Wheel Power cyclists share the gospel

By JOANNA TEDDER

World record holder Judy Bowman has added Wheel Power, a national organization of Christian cyclists, to an biking mission trip across the country. Bowman set a world record by forming a member from behind the pulpit. She told a nurse: "I want to show others that I used her in prison for selling secrets to Russian agents."

The group was founded by Raymond, Josh Costa and Jeff Wilson, who was lead to the Lord by Dr. Jerry Falwell. Lawrence's former partner from high school competed in the elimination rounds of the National Debate Tournament. "Lawrence's high school coach would've been seven times better than his partner," O'Donnell stated. "The team dropped from second in the nation in 1993 to fifth in the rankings, O'Donnell said he could not be upset with the team's performance. We named the top five finalists within 37 points of each other. George Washington finished with 402 points, Harvard with 418, Boston College with 434, and the University of Kentucky with 469. Boston College won 6-0. The debate team awards Falwell for his significant contributions to the debate program.

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Tennis team anticipates use of new courts

By PAMELA E. WALCK

Special to the Champion

Tuesday, May 3, 1994

The tennis team plans to dedicate the courts to the Lynchburg News and Observer Tuesday, May 3. This event will feature the best acts from throughout the year.

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**Wood to minister in Lynchburg crusade**

**By SARAH PASHELL**

Thirty-four years ago, Dr. Jerry Falwell led a young man from Champion Reporter (TRBC) which is for couples with children to minister in Lynchburg crusade. Weider, who came to Liberty in 1984, felt the Lord's call to evangelism and began "David Wood Ministries." Since then, Wood and his wife, Jane, who is a school teacher for their program, have conducted more than 40 crusades each year, both in the United States and abroad.

Wood graduated from Columbia Bible College in 1962 and during the next 39 years founded and pastored churches in both Coast Rapids, Mich., and Columbia, S.C. He is now in the midst of his 40th year in ministry.

Bike

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Wood is known for his zeal in leading groups of young people to make public decisions for Christ. Wood children — a large number of which are involved in the national ministry — are based in Trenton, Ga. In addition to the annual crusades, the ministry sponsors two youth-led audio-visual programs — "Operation Go" and "The Layman's Guide to Personal Evangelism" — which have been used in hundreds of churches across the nation.

To date, they have nearly 15,000 people involved in the crusades. On Sunday, May 1, Wood was introduced to the audience as one of the most influential students while his wife ministred to some young men.

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Constitution gives freedoms

Liberty’s freedoms urge students to feel thankful

By TIMOTHY T. GIBBONS

Students can’t pray in school—not even on their graduation. Fearing suits that may result, high school and college administrators often question any activity that may be considered even remotely religious.

Being a Christian school such as Liberty, students are able to attend school with such things.

Most students from Liberty are more concerned with repercussions to go to court than they are with the chance of someone telling them that they cannot attend campus religious services.

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One of the reasons America was established was so the Puritans could escape the tyranny of the English monarchy. In America, they found that they could worship freely in any way they desired.

When the United States Constitution was written in 1787, the Establishment Clause of the First Amendment guaranteed this freedom of religion to continue, declaring that the federal government would not proscribe or establish religion. Throughout the years, however, the United States Supreme Court has been accused of misinterpreting the Establishment Clause by the "establishment" and religious groups.

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The Supreme Court’s last decision on the graduation prayers offered at the beginning of the graduation ceremony and at his daughter, Deborah’s, graduation was made in 1985.

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Light plans mission trips

By IVETTE HASSAN

Light ministries' mission trips for the summer are sure to make a "difference in countless lives around the world," promises a Light Ministries representative in a statement. The trips are the following:

- Hong Kong/China: May 16 - June 2
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"It was the best time I've ever had at a Christian bookstore," freshman Andrea Crowe said. "It was the best time I've ever had at a Christian bookstore," freshman Andrea Crowe said. The mission trips are Hofert, financial coordinator, is pleased to expose the students to the mission field to interest them in the cause of evangelization. "We go into any kind of organization that will let us," Hofert continued. "Combining music, a dynamic video presentation and the spoken word in a challenging, encouraging format, these teams clearly communicate the Word of God and its vital application in today's world," Light Ministries explained.

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Hofert explained that anybody can go on these trips. "The majority of the people who go on the mission trips are Liberty students, but we also take non-students," he said. The people behind the planning of the trips are Hofert, financial coordinator, and members of the student body. "All of the students raise their own support; sometimes they want to raise the support. They get the biggest support from a combination of their families, churches and friends," Hofert continued. Students also have to prepare by obtaining passports and visas.

More information is available from Hofert at ext. 2641 or at the Light offices in Religion Hall 124.

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By MAINA MWAURA

As from 5:45 p.m. on Thursday, May 2, the Liberty University Bookstore was packed with students, faculty and friends of the university who came together and had fun in the celebration of its 25th anniversary with the annual Dove Awards celebration. The event, which is Christian music's equivalent of the Grammy Awards, was hosted by Andy Grant, who sang her newest song, which is to be released later in May.

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Campus pride includes dormitory cleanup, too

When most students hear the appeal to take pride in their campus, they automatically think of nice-looking shrubbery, neatly-trimmed trees and a community garden. However, in the next few weeks, students need to consider their dorm cleanup as a part of campus pride.

At the end of each semester, and especially at the end of the spring semester, the dorms are turned inside out as each student packs up his or her belongings while trash and things they simply can't take home are thrown away.

Unfortunately, as most students who have witnessed the chaos could testify, this process causes numerous mishaps — a substantial amount of which is left cluttering the hallways.

The dorms are a part of the campus that is too often overlooked when campus pride is being dealt with. By focusing only on the halls and the outside of the buildings, one may neglect a large part of the intersection of home and school. Students need to make sure that their dorms are cleaned up in a timely fashion.

In the past few years, the Liberty Champion has published numerous articles stating why this dorm cleanup is so important. According to one of the articles, "...the result of this labor effort will be a more pleasant place to live."

Furthermore, the school would like to see the halls cleaned up within a two-hour time frame. "...Every dorm 마에 돌로 일부

Opinion

Academics need recognition like athletics

If the name Liberty University is one that would immediately come to mind if the name Duke University, Stanford University, or Yale University is mentioned, then you are a student of the university. The Liberty Champion has been in existence since 1984, and since then we have published countless articles discussing the importance of sports and academics.

However, there is a certain amount of credibility the notion of Kurt Cobain being considered an icon of our generation, facing our generation. Why do we not? Kurt Cobain's message of anger and despair is certainly a sentiment...
Commentary

The Rockin’ for Jesus Debate, Part II: The final response

BY BARTON SWAIM
Champion Editor

"Ah, the ability to miss the point any fault at all..."

In the opening pages of this column, we examine the controversy surrounding the question of whether Christians can have music which is considered 'rock' and 'roll' or contemporary Christian music. Many people believe that this type of music is spiritually detrimen-

tial and that it should be avoided. However, others argue that it can be a positive influence on society. In this article, we will explore both sides of the debate and determine whether or not there is a middle ground that can be reached.

On the pro side, a number of advocates argue that rock and roll has the potential to bring people together and to promote social and political change. Many bands have used their music to raise awareness about issues such as poverty, war, and human rights, and to encourage listeners to take action. Additionally, some believe that rock and roll can provide a form of catharsis and release for those who may be feeling overwhelmed or stressed.

On the con side, opponents argue that rock and roll music can be harmful in a number of ways. Some believe that it promotes themes of violence, sexual explicitness, and drug use, which can have negative effects on listeners. Others argue that it can be a source of distraction and can interfere with one's ability to be introspective and spiritual.

In conclusion, it is clear that there is no easy answer to the question of whether or not Christians can listen to rock and roll music. Ultimately, it is up to each individual to determine what is right for them. It is important to remember that music is just one aspect of one's life, and that it should not be used as an excuse to avoid thoughtful reflection and consideration of one's beliefs.

Starting next week, we will continue our examination of the Rockin’ for Jesus Debate by exploring the topic of Christian music. We will look at the history of Christian music, the different types of Christian music, and the role of Christian music in contemporary society. Stay tuned for more information on this exciting topic.

SHELLEY LEIBERT
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The Rockin’ for Jesus Debate, Part II: The final response

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However, it is important to recognize that the use of rock and roll music can be problematic for Christians. Many Christians believe that rock and roll music can be a source of temptation and distraction, and that it can be used to promote themes of sin and rebellion.

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**Congratulations Seniors of ’94**

**Michelle Robb**
Sincere and prayerful congratulations.
With Love, Grandma and Grandpa Robb

**Kevin Hirt**
Congratulations, Kevin.
We are proud of you and your accomplishments. You have "kept the faith." 2 Timothy 4:7-8
In Christ’s Love
Mom and Dad

**Emily Pegram**
Congratulations Emily Pegram
Jeremiah 29:11
Love forever,
Mom & Dad

**Bill Cosgrove**
Bill, we are proud of you!
Love,
Mom & Dad & All

**Travis Wilemon**
We want you to know how proud we are of what you have accomplished, but most of all we’re proud of what you have become. Always remember that true wealth is what you are, not what you have.
We love you,
Dad & Mom

**Tammie O’Brian**
You’re done! We are so proud of you. Not only because you are graduating from Liberty, but also because we know how hard you’ve worked to reach your diploma. We are proud because you did it. You’ve always trusted in the Lord to give you strength and guidance and your prayer is that you will always continue to do so. We will always love you, and feel very blessed to have you as our “Little Boy.”
Love, Mom, Dad, Dad, Jenn, Ben, Beasley, White, Dr. Gray, Grandparent,
ents, Aunt & Cousins

**Christopher Easley**
We love you and are proud of your beyond words. May what you have learned at Liberty be used to His Glory.
Love Ma and Papa

**Melissa Kemmerer**
You’re an angel and we love you.
Mom and Dad

**Jennifer Ten Pas**
Congratulations, Jennifer Ten Pas.
We did it! You, the Lord and Mom and Dad. By the Lord’s sacrifice God gives you strength.
We are so proud of you.
Mom & Dad

**Shannon Renee’ Landman**
Congratulations Four years in three years!
We love you SO MUCH!
Momma, Daddy, & Elisha Landman

**To Corey Ryan:***
We are proud of you, and are looking forward to your graduation almost as much as you are.
We praise God for how He has led you to this important step in your life, and we know He will be there for you. Continue trusting in Him and your future will be as bright as the promises of God.
We love you dearly.
Dad & Mom

**DAD DAVID B. MAZANEK**
Bachelor of Science Telecommunications
It took a while but you did it! Now, the doors of opportunity are open wide. You are our BELIEVED SON in whom we are well pleased.
Love from your family

**Charity Sinn Cogg**
What a blessing you are!
Congratulations on your graduation.
Love, Mom & Dad

**Karen Sabol**
We are so proud of you.
God bless you as you go forth into life, and we know that He will be there for you. Continue trusting in Him and your future will be as bright as the promises of God.
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Dad & Mom

**Melissa Birckhead**
(On your graduation)
We live in Christ, love one another:
Love,
Mom and Dad

**To Kevin Hirt**
Thank you for all the happiness and joy you have blessed us with through the years. As you graduate, our hearts are bursting with loving pride and grateful thankfulness to our God for His blessing of you to us so many years ago. We praise God for His accomplishments in you and for what He is preparing for you.
We pray that you have a future filled with His happiness and love.
Love in Christ,
Mom and Dad

**Cindy Dolin**
Dear Corey:
Now proud are you of your accomplishments and what you have allowed God to do in your life. Remember, as in all your hard times God has always been there for you. Continue trusting in Him and your future will be as bright as the promises of God.
We love you dearly.
Dad and Mom

**Brett Woodward**
To our Corey Ryan graduate, here’s the best of everything to the guy who has always given his best.
Love,
Mom & Dad

**To Tori Lynn Patey**
We’re proud of you.
Love,
Mom and Dad

**To Kerri Sowers**
Our dear Kerri, we are so proud of you and your accomplishments. You have always given your best to do whatever God has given to you. We are so proud that you have reached this goal and we are so happy for you.
Love and congratulations,
Mom and Dad

**To Mattie McKeown**
To our Mattie McKeown, Hay you bring joy to others; God is your song.
Deuteronomy 30:20

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We love you.
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Some people might get a little excited after realizing they had been lied to, but Chuck Carpenter didn't even react. He said what he felt: It's a lie. He was just glad to help someone who might be in need.

"I was doing mission work in Chicago, and I heard about Gethsemani Home," Carpenter said. "I had to call to find out, and then the next thing I knew, I was on the road driving off to college for the first time, and I asked for his address."

In the end, however, Carpenter discovered that at one time life at Liberty is not without its hardships. "Somebody had an accident in Greenfield Apartments, at least for a while, and I asked for his address."

Carpenter said that the goal of the ministry is to "reach people where they're at, that the kids don't get into trouble, that they get to be happy."

"Because of what the kids face everyday, we want to give them something to hold on to and make them feel that there is hope, that they can hold on to, that they can reach out to Christ and get out of it," Carpenter explained. "We're not going to let a little water scare us!"

Needless to say, he drew attention. Some listened, others didn't. "We're not going to let a little water scare us!"

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He said his experience at the youth home has also given him a sense of how to deal with people of different ages. "We're not going to let a little water scare us!"

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On the Career Track

Question #1: "Tell me about yourself."

This question is asked in order to discover any skills you might possess which might be applicable to a job. Answer it by describing your best qualifications for the job. Be specific and use examples to support your claim.

Question #2: "How much do you expect to be paid?"

Never state a flat dollar amount unless you know what the job pays. State a range that you know would encompass any offer but goes just a bit higher than you would find acceptable. Emphasize your skills, and ask the employer what he or she feels your skills are worth.

Now is NOT the time for "The Ongoing Saga of My Life, Volume One." There might be a few employers out there who think the accident you had when you were four "that now enables me to carry a coffee mug between my shoulder blades" is just riveting. However, the chances of you meeting up with one are very slim.

Question #3: "What is your major weakness?"

Never be negative. Rather, turn any negative issue or weakness into a positive statement or strength.

Example: "I'm often too careful about my work. Sometimes I work late to get my job done right."

Now is NOT the time to attempt to "bond" with your interviewer by admitting that you used to eat cherry-flavored chapstick by the metric ton as a child. That is not the type of weakness they mean.

Question #4: "Why do you want to work for this company?"

The employer expects you to show knowledge of and interest in the company. You can do this with an answer that indicates you have researched the company before the interview.

Example: "I've been reading that your company is really growing quickly. I want to work for your company because the future looks promising."

Do NOT reply with a statement like this one: "Because it was the only company that didn't seem to notice my 2.4 GPA or that my masters degree is in Underwater Basket Weaving."

Question #5: "What are your future plans?"

The interviewer may want to know if you have ambitions, plan ahead or set goals for yourself. The interviewer may also want to know what kind of expectations you have of the company.

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Air has no risk, study said
Air inflated by airline passengers poses no health risks, an industry-sponsored study says. It's currently a much healthier environment than it was in an average office building," Jihlana Jashun, president of Consolidated Safety Services, Inc., said. Concern over over-inflation heightened last year after investigations into tuberculosis cases aboard planes. An investigation found a flight attendant may have infected crew members but was unable to conclude TB was passed to passengers.

Tootsie Rolls sweep nation
According to the Toyko Roll Industries, there are enough Tootsie Rolls produced in a week to give one to every man, woman, and child in the United States. The company produces a total of 17 million per day at its four plants.

Biological clock gene found
A team of scientists says it has found a gene that regulates the circadian rhythms — the "biological clock" — in mice. The "clock" — circular locomotor activity cycles — is at the root of such things as the human biological clock.

In mice, that could open up the door to developing drugs to fight jet lag, help sleep workers or treat sleep disorders.

GNC settles advertising suit
The Houston-based vitamin retailer, General Nutrition Centers Inc., will pay the government $2.4 million to settle charges that it made deceptive claims in ads for 40 products, most to urgent- and weight-loss products.

Production involved three names: the "Fast Slim" and "Fat Burner" and remains everything from diet and vitamin B6, volatile tank and "sudden gland powder."

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Baseball loses four, falls prey to Towson twice

BY RICH MACLONE
The Flames did, however, pull off one of the most exciting victories of the season Thursday against the Virginia Cavaliers, 7-6.

The Flames lost to James Madison, 16-5 in Big South Conference play.

"This is the most thrilling ending to a ball game I've seen in a long, long time," Johnny Hunton added.

LU jumped out to an early lead, scoring single runs in the first and third innings. UVa. came up with two of its own in the third inning, sent ahead with a double in the fifth.

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Various factors contributed to the Flames' victory, including a strong performance by catcher Chuck Reichert. Reichert added one hit, one RBI, and five runs scored. Tully hit his fourth home run of the season in the bottom of the inning to take the lead. Bickers was unsuccessful in picking up the save. When the third was over, the Flames were leading, 6-3.

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**Major League Baseball**

Red Sox gain control over AL East

By RICH MACLONE

One thing can be said for the new alignment in Major League Baseball — fans are not going to be sor­row. With little more than 15 percent of the season over, there’s been little drama so far.

In the American League East, Bos­ton is the team to beat. Behind the strongest rotation in the A.L., the Sox have proved they’re “for­med for the summer.” The rest of the division is a tossup. The only stands­out is Detroit, is all within the division.

The National League East is up in Canada, eh. The division leader is the Texas Rangers, and their record is a not­able 11-5-1.

The Las Vegas Advertiser has three real good pitchers and are only two and a half games out of first place — another proof of the A.L.’s weakness.

The American league is the one to beat this year. They still, however, hold the best record in the Major League.

The Chicago Cubs can find good when they have that 600 record on the road, but their biggest problem is they haven’t won a game in Chicago. Chicago is 1-0-8 at Wrigley Field thus far. In Houston, “Wild Thing” Mitch Williams is looking for a win and a win. The Cubs are just looking for another one.

The San Francisco Giants are right where they want to be in the N.L. East. They just wish that they weren’t only 11-10. The Giants are the only team in the West with a winning record. Los Angeles and Colorado are close. After opening up at 8-7, the Rockies have fallen as far as 12-15 and are praying like their old selves. San Di­ego seems like it is already playing out the string.

Softball squads enter league playoffs

By R. JILL ALEXIS

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Men’s intramural softball continued to swing away by playing round of 23 games last week. The women’s soft­ball teams played only two games last week as playoffs are

The Sons of Liberty secured four wins (one by forfeit) this week. However, they lost to the Industrials Rams on Monday.

Another men’s team, 31-7, grabbed three victories and no losses, while the Hardliners also won three but just barely fell to the Bush Pilots, 37-37, on Monday. All teams showed much participation as only two games were forfeited.

Men’s Softball

April 25 Ducks 21, 18-Oak 1, 13
April 25 Ducks 17, Boys of Winter 14
April 25 Industrials 14, Sons of Liberty 7
April 25 Johansen 10, Golden Gloves 0

April 25 Bush Pilots 27, Hardliners 28
April 25 Sons of Liberty 16, Golden Gloves 0
April 25 Oak 1 (DeMoss), Oak 2
April 25 Sons of Liberty 8, Boys of Winter 4
April 25 New Confederacy 12, New Confederacy 2
April 25 The Freaks 23, Dragons 12, 6
April 25 Tully 3, 10-Hit 1, 11-1, 11-1
April 25 Industrials 17, Ducks 17, 13
April 26 Johansen 14, Industrials 10
April 26 Hardliners 8, Boys of Winter 7
April 26 Blue Diamonds 13, Blue Diamonds 13
April 11 Sigma Chi Delta 23, Blue Diamonds 13
April 10 Invisible Banes 10, Banes 8
April 10 Sons of Liberty 1, Virginia 1. LOB Liberty 16, Virginia 11. 2B—

**Sports Schedule**

The baseball team will tour in Virginia on Tuesday, May 3, at 3 p.m. The team will then come home to take on Virginia Tech at 3 p.m., on Wednesday, May 4. On Saturday, May 7, at 2 p.m., the Flames will play at Maryland.

The Flames will finish their season with home games against Coastal Carolina on Friday, May 13 at 3 p.m., as a doubleheader, and on Saturday, May 14 at 3 p.m.

Outdoor Track

The men’s team will travel to Raleigh, N.C., on Saturday, May 14, after commencement to compete in the Wolfpack Invitational.

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1993-94 Liberty Year in Sports

Sports bring national recognition to school

By JOSHEKA COOLEY

Sports Editor

The 1993-94 athletic year at Liberty proved to be one of the most exciting and fruitful in sports history. Of course, there were some teams that finished in the bottom of the pile — there will always be — but a number of programs provided the student body, the Lynchburg community and even the nation with a glimpse of the caliber of athletics that Flames sports are rapidly reaching.

Recall the 1992 semester and the football season. The squad went 6-6 behind the leadership of senior quarterback Travis Wilemon and junior Antone Chiles, his counterpart at tailback. The Flames finished ninth in the nation going 123 for 226 in passing attempts while picking up 1,487 yards. Wilemon completed 101 of 197 passes for 1,396 yards and nine touchdowns. Running back Adrian Cherry led the Flames ground attack by carrying the ball 197 times and averaging three per game.

The Lady Flames basketball team ignited a blaze in 'The Furnace' that Liberty University will never forget. Senior Todd Setsma stroked to a fifth-place individual finish in the tourney for the women in the 5k race. He competed in the NCAA Championships after winning his 1993-94 season by both placing first in the Big South Championships. Senior Mike Reed ran his way to Miss Outstanding Male Athlete honors, while senior Paul Allen Samuel won first place in four events on the women's side.

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As Old Man Winter arrived on campus, the softball team continued its tradition. The Lady Flames softball team finished the year strong, earning a 94-6-5 overall record, placing them in the bottom slot of the Big South Conference and, in a sense, being behind the offensive line during the October 30 Homecoming game against Charleston Southern. The squad finished its season with a 6-3 record.

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(ABOVE) — Flames head coach L何e Hines watches the half fly off his bat against UMBCC in March. The Flames are currently entering a 10-26-1 season after their 1993 campaign in which they surprised the Big South Conference by winning and going on to play Georgia Tech in the NCAA playoffs.

(RIGHT) — Lady Flames pitcher Susan Rhodes rockets a pitch home during a game earlier this year. The softball team, in its first year of play since being eliminated from the university's sports program, struggled with an 8-33 record, placing them in the bottom slot of the Big South Conference. In a positive note, the LU Flames led the conference with 91 stolen bases.

(LEFT) — Sophomore Angie McDaniels rises to the occasion against North Carolina A & T earlier this year. The Lady Flames finished the year strong, earning a 13-3-4 overall record.

(BELOW) — Flames running back Adrian Cherry looks for a hole behind the offensive line during the October 30 Homecoming game against Charleston Southern. The team finished its season with a 6-3 record.