Secret or what?

Administration disagrees on status of AIDS policy

Nat Caliendo
by Sandra Stacey

Controversy continues to surround Suffolk's AIDS policy.

Dr. Nat Caliendo, executive assistant to President Perlman, said the AIDS policy has always been made public. "The idea that the policy was a secret is a tempest in a teapot. The policy is no secret. There is nothing controversial or sensitive in it — the only sensitive issue in it is the AIDS itself. Anyone who wants a copy of the policy can come here and get one."

Caliendo is referring to an AIDS policy statement. The three paragraph statement is available in his office and it says that the university will consider the needs of all the Suffolk community and will increase awareness through education about the disease. It also states that the university will respond to each AIDS case according to the stage of the disease. It is the AIDS policy which is not made public.

"The AIDS policy is in two parts," according to Melissa White, Director of Health Services. "There is an educational part that talks about AIDS statistics with health information and a second part that tells how the university would respond to a case of AIDS on campus. The Legal Council thought it best that they not release that part of it. Apparently they were afraid of opening themselves up to lawsuits. The policy didn't seem to serve anything that needed to be hidden. The recommendation was that it was not to be distributed, so I can't give it out. I think that students should have access to it, this is America."

Dr. Kenneth Garni, Director of the Counseling Center, wrote the policy in December of 1985. He said that the policy was not made public because it was "open to misinterpretation. Because of legal reasons, it was recommended by the University Counsel that it not be distributed because of the 'what if.' To give it out could have meant more misinformation than information. This is a very complicated issue. We're dealing with personal information. This is a very complicated issue."

Carni said that each AIDS case will be treated singularly, on a case by case basis.

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SGA faces homelessness

by Rick Dunn

After much debate, the Student Government Association voted 14-6 with one abstention to allocate $50 to the Cans For the Homeless project after initially voting it down at a previous meeting.

Karen Lischinsky, one of the originators of the Cans For the Homeless project, had made a request for a $250 donation to cover costs for the production of T-shirts, sporting the cans for the homeless design, profits of which would go to aid Boston's homeless. The Association did not vote in favor of her request or the shaved down figure of $50 present by SGA Treasurer Peter Massa following a Finance Committee Meeting.

Lischinsky questioned SGA's reason for their resistance to the homeless project — run by Suffolk students and faculty, but not an official organization — and as to what the Association's priorities were.

The Student Government Association and SGA President Kevin Shone insisted that they did not have the extra money in what Shone termed a "tight" budget to give what he and most of SGA's members called a "good cause."

The change in vote stemmed from new found money due to the cancellation of SGA's overnight retreat to Thompson's Island and from pressure applied by a large turnout from students and faculty in support of the homeless project at last week's meeting.

Some SGA members said that the homeless issue was one that did not directly affect Suffolk students and since SGA's role is to provide student services they would not support it.

Suffolk Senior Linda Tedeschl asked if any member of SGA had asked students how they felt about the project and how SGA funds should be spent.

"For a University that advertises 'Boston is our campus' how can you say that the students are not involved?" said Tedeschl.

Shone retorted that as elected officials, the Association is given the authority to spend money, "how we see fit."

One SGA member said there wasn't enough money for student services and giving money to an outside school was a single entity. Every case is different.

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Dear Mr. Dunn:

I am writing in regard to the Student Government Association's recent (October 20, 1987) allocation request by a student project to help the homeless of Boston.

Most of your readers have seen the campus collection barrels, heard about their planned video, or become aware that the students involved in the project plan to sell T-shirts to raise money.

And your readers, reading this issue of the Journal, have no doubt informed themselves of the outcome of the SGA vote. The SGA, asked to sell T-shirts to offset the cost of T-shirts, gave up. Replagled the sentiments of those members of the SGA who chose to provide some funding for this important student project. But I guess the rationale, articulated by some SGA members, for the original rejection of the request.

One reason, heard time and again by those who attended the meeting, was that the requested T-shirts would not benefit Suffolk students. Another student representative said that the SGA was only required to provide Suffolk students with what it (SGA) feels they want. As the student put it, "We're just a group of students, what do you want us to do about how we use the money we get. If people have complaints, they don't have to buy it."

I believe governments are only responsible to constituents at voting time.

SGA Treasurer Peter Massa, argued with his fellows, noting that if "Boston as a campus project could only help make the campus a better place. But, perhaps more important, an agreement can be seen when we look at the mission of Suffolk University. A university is begun to educate young men and women, both to pursue careers and to act as responsible citizens when they have graduated. SGA does not feel it should help to educate in this study."

I disagree. If a government's purpose is to help the people which it elects, then the SGA has a responsibility to help students achieve understanding of greater social issues.

I am the advisor for the evening student newspaper the Suffolk Evening Voice. The Voice, like the Journal, operates on the "social responsibility theory" of the press. This theory says that the press must inform, educate, entertain and motivate its readers. But more, continues the theory, the press has responsibility to society to attempt to correct wrongs when it sees them.

The Voice students have elected to make a contribution to the homeless efforts from their advertising revenues, in the amount of $250. The staff believes that this money will be better spent feeding those who are hungry, and providing shelter for those in need, than ensuring that the staff has a party at the end of the year.

The Voice, as an effort of future journalists, takes its social responsibility to heart. This single project to help the homeless has already raised the awareness, and understanding of Suffolk students more than any classroom lecture. We feel it should be supported, not only by the staff which was offended, but also by the students heard, both as a valuable educational experience, and as the concern of society to do what it can to help make their world a better place.

As for the SGA, perhaps it could take a valuable lesson from the workings of a "real" government — that of the United States of America. Were the U.S. Congress, having already raised the awareness and understanding of Suffolk students, not to follow through with support for this project, would it not be self-defeating? After all, is it not the role of the government to help those who are already doing the helping?

Sincerely yours, Dr. Deb Geiser, Faculty Adviser, Suffolk Evening Voice

Dear Rick,

Thank you very much for the recent press time you devoted to the Catholic Campus Ministry via the Suffolk Journal. I appreciate your time, effort and interest! Please extend my gratitude to Sandra Stacey, who interviewed me.

There are a few corrections I wish to make with regard to the article. In various places, the word "administrative," "academic" and "minister" were used instead of "ministerial" and "minister." The term "ministry, directly relates to my spiritual function on campus — that of service in the name of the church. The other correction which occurs in the use of the word "apathetic." I stated during the interview that I was empathetic (not apathetic) towards those who were contemplating an abortion. Hopefully no one was offended by the word apathetic which appeared in the article. This would necessarily imply a lack of compassion and caring on my part. Please note the enclosed issue for areas in question.

The article indicates that religious concerns are not mainline issues for college students. My intention was not to downplay students' abilities to think and reflect upon their faith lives. The college students with whom I have worked during the past eight years have (for the most part) been concerned with immediate concerns such as academics, finances, relationships with family, friends and significant others, and career. This is quite understandable. All of these issues relate in some capacity to one's spirituality (i.e., one's sense of God's presence in one's life). I did not mean to infer that students do not care about their faith lives, or that there are no students who take the time to think about their spiritual development, as well as how they can apply their beliefs to their daily lives. However, I have found that the majority of traditional college students (aged 18-22) do not consciously reflect upon how God is working in their lives, what their faith means to them, how they can apply it, and/or how they can nourish it.

One final comment I wish to make involves my personal understanding of what it means to be a Catholic Christian. This understanding does not emphasize a strict observance of the rules and regulations of the Church as the sole criterion for being a "good Catholic." Though I do give credence to "what rules do I have to follow?" for whatever reasons, many persons choose to focus on what the media chooses to emphasize. They often pose questions of a controversial nature to those who represent the Church in an official capacity — questions on birth control, abortion, celibacy, homosexuality, etc. I do not mean to downplay the significance of these issues, however, Christianity (including Catholic Christianity) is so much more than a list of do's and don'ts. It is so much more than a discussion on the above-mentioned sexuality issues. Fortunately, my current religious theological studies have begun to give me an appreciation for how and why various traditions and teachings have developed, whether or not I personally agree with them. But I must admit, I am still at the stage where I'm researching, assimilating, synthesizing, analyzing and reflecting. Most importantly, I am learning to believe that God is present to me as well as to those who comprise the magisterium of the Church (i.e., the Pope and college of Bishops). Hence, my experience is unique and my understanding of that... (continued on page 4)

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WSFR due for repairs

by Lorraine Hallett

Plans to repair WSFR, Suffolk University's radio station are finally being discussed. WSFR, located in the Ridge-way Building, has been off the air due to equipment failure earlier this month. According to General Manager, Michael Maloney, the malfunction was the result of faulty, archaic equipment and negligence on the part of the disc jockeys.

D and B Sound Co. of Danvers inspected the facility last week and are expected to begin repairs soon. George Comeau, Media Specialist at the Instructional Materials Center says D and B Sound is a relatively new company. They are currently commissioned on a project at the IMC and probably will do the work on WSFR.

Midge Wilcke, Director of the IMC says, "It is reasonable to assume that D and B Sound will do the repair work on WSFR; they are presently working on a project at the IMC."

Learning resource center renamed

by Don Robbins

The Learning Resource Center has been renamed the Geno A. Ballotti Learning Center as a result of an endowment of $100,000 by Suffolk University by the Boston Foundation.

The October 1985 issue of the Suffolk University Newsletter explains that the Boston Foundation, formerly the Permanent Charity Fund of Boston, is a public charity under which any donor may make a gift of any size for the good of the community. It was established in 1915.

The late Geno A. Ballotti was appointed Director of the Permanent Charity Fund in 1979. Under his leadership, Ballotti expanded the number of trustee banks and increased the foundation's assets to $100 million.

According to Director of Leadership Development, Margarette Kelleher, the center was renamed for Ballotti "based on his commitment of believing in the people of the city. We thought it appropriate to name the center after him."

Kelleher said that in 1985 the Learning Center received from the foundation an endowment of $100,000. Noting that "It's what's considered a three-to-one challenge grant," she explained that the foundation offered to give the center $100,000 if Suffolk University could raise $300,000 by itself. So far, Suffolk University has raised $247,000 from corporations, foundations and interested alumni. The university has until June of 1988 to raise the rest of the money.

Kelleher added the endowment "reminds us of a permanent fund." This means that only the interest income collected on the $400,000 total dollars raised can be used by the center for operating expenses or expanding programs.

Dr. Susan Thayer, Director of the Learning Center, said that she decided to change the name of the center last year as though an official dedication to Ballotti has not been held yet.

She explained that she wanted to drop the federal resource as soon as possible, because students had told her the word had negative connotations. According to Thayer, "What they said was that sometimes in elementary school and in high school the resource room is the place that students go to see the special education teacher. And that's not what we're about at all."

Suffolk prof. discusses Constitution

by Sandra Stacey

Contemporary Interpretation of the Constitution was the topic which Professor John O'Callaghan discussed during his speech on Thursday, October 22.

O'Callaghan has recently been on sabbatical leave to study and write in conjunction with the bicentennial of the Constitution.

"The nature of the process of the Constitution interpretation by the Supreme Court is not well settled," O'Callaghan said. "It has been a source of controversy for most of the Supreme Court's existence and particularly during the twentieth century."

O'Callaghan's specific focus was discussing whether the Constitution of the United States in contemporary America has been in accordance with the fundamental principle of government as stated by the founding fathers. He addressed the founding father's thoughts versus today's interpretations.

During his speech, O'Callaghan discussed various cases in which the Supreme Court had to interpret the Constitution. He focused on the periods between 1971-72, 1976-77, and the 1980's in detail. Three of the many issues in the talk included due process of the law, women's equality, and freedom of the press. O'Callaghan said that the Constitution is important because it is the basis of today's laws.

"The Constitution should be paid attention to, even though it's 200 years later. The Supreme Court's existence comes from that document. The executive branch comes from that document. All the legislation passed by Congress which is "Constitutional" is from that document."

Council of Presidents discusses wording in its constitution

by Kevin Kiley

The Council of Presidents met last Thursday to discuss several changes to their constitution.

In a series of rather heated debates seven amendments were sent to the Student Government Association for a vote. There were several changes in the language of the proposals made by the membership. Among the vocal opponents was History Society representative Carl Erickson, who cited conflicts that existed in the language of the proposals.

Also discussed at the meeting were several allocations for funding of three club activities. The Marketing Club requested money to pay for a three day trip to New York for five of their members. The trip would focus on a meeting of the North East Regional pre-national Marketing Conference. The Literary Society also requested funds for a speaker on December 10, who will give a presentation on the works of Robert Frost. The third allocation request made by the Accounting Club was for a Big Eight speaker they are sponsoring. All three allocations were passed by the membership without much debate.

Also mentioned at the meeting was that the presentation by the History Society set for November has been moved up to January 28. Several members of the Council were excused by the body from attending the annual leadership training seminar that was held on October 24th.
Around Town

by Mark Crowley

It's a nice place to live, but you wouldn't want to visit there. Unless you happen to be passing south through Massachusetts, and you feel like seeing a typical New England town.

Weymouth, Mass. is the place you'll want to see, for a taste of old New England. Complete with its local "townies," small neighborhood bars, and one shopping mall. Weymouth still has the colonial small town charm that is New England.

With industry still running through the country like a forest fire during a drought, few town looks like towns anymore. Instead, these one time quaint towns are now small cities, not the case in Weymouth.

Whichever way you enter Weymouth, you inevitably end up on Main Street. Main Street divides Weymouth in half, North and South Weymouth, and all roads lead to Main Street. You get nowhere before you get on Main Street.

Enter from the south from another small town, Abington, and as soon as you cross the town line you've hit on a typical New England town. After you cross the town line you're faced with a large cow's head sitting upon a bamakile structure. You have arrived at Welcome Farm, a hometown ice cream store, where every good boy and girl get to go on hot summer days, if they've behaved. If the truth be known, the parents probably enjoy the homemade treats more than the kiddies.

Driving further you pass by miles of undeveloped woods until you arrive at the towns only large structure, South Shore Hospital. The hospital employs many of the towns people and is about half the size of city hospitals. The hospital is one hundred and some odd years old and most of the townies were born in it.

All of the really important things like Main Street, the hospital, the gas station (where they still say "fill er up") and the old fashioned barber shops. Al's Barber Shop has sat at the corner of Main and Middle streets for forty years.

"I remember when Weymouth was a real town." Al Fezutti says, shaking his head to the songs of his portable AM radio. "Main Street wasn't even paved when I opened here. That building across the street (called Stetson Place) used to be the Stetson Shoe Factory. Everybody worked there until that mall moved in and started taking over. This used to be a nice little town." Al said, while banging his metal comb against his porcelain sink with the chips in it (from all the years of tapping.) "I hear people put out of business with those beauty stylist shops."

On either side of Main Street are neighborhoods of people that were born, raised, and will eventually die in Weymouth. They are nice, down-to-earth kinds of people that enjoy church bingos, civic association meetings, and garage sales. They either attended or will attend North High or South High, and most belong to the predominantly catholic church. You can almost sense the pilgrims spirit and the puritan attitude hovering over this town.

The renovated "Popanog Trail" underneath it. Sure give the street's old name. For instance, Front Street reads "formerly Popanog Trail" underneath it. Sure Weymouth has it's graceful shopping mall (twelve stores), a Burger King, and a McDonald's, but for the most part it's still a quaint little New England town.

It's a place few would choose as a vacation spot. But if you happen to be passing through Massachusetts and aren't going to see the rustic New Hampshire sites, then stop in Weymouth for a dose of small town America.

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She said the Learning Center is not just for remedial sessions, but offers a wide range of services.

In fact, the Learning Center has seven areas of concentrations. The oldest service is a peer tutor program where advanced students provide other students with instructional strategies applied to course work.

Study group sessions are targeted for high risk classes, in which student leaders show a larger number of students techniques for understanding course content. Campus referral is a self-study help using multi-media equipment. The course component program allows faculty to reserve space and equipment in the center for course work.

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experience is something I think is important to share with others.

Please excuse the rambling. I realize this is a rather long letter that initially began as a brief response to your anti-

Sincerely,

Marcia A. Leous
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The Suffolk soccer team came within 20 seconds of posting their first victory of the 1987 season. But the Rams had to settle for a 3-3 tie with Anna Maria College as Suffolk saw the opponent rally back late in the second overtime to score a goal and keep the Blue and Gold from a victory.

Ron Ross scored the first Suffolk goal at 17:06 of the first half, Anna Maria later answered with a goal of a Chip Forrest goal, and the Rams fought back to tie the score. Neither team was able to score another goal, sending the game into overtime with the teams tied at 2.

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The Women’s Cross Country team participated in the MAIAW meet at Wheaton College, Saturday, Oct. 17. The University of Lowell Chiefs won the meet, with Suffolk beating Gordon College and Pine Manor College, and Wheaton College, Saturday, Oct. 17. Participated in the MAIAW meet at

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The most improved team in the league, according to Walsh, is APO. They have good size up front and speed in Ed Markarian, which could pose problems for any opposing teams.

The Raiders are the team to beat this year,” said Joe Walsh, who is in charge of organizing and running the flag football program. Dave Vigliotti and John Pigott provide the offensive punch, while Bill Gardner and Mike Williams round out this hard-nosed, balanced team on defense.

A talented group of freshmen, the Legion of Doom, is improving from week to week, notes Walsh. They are led by John O’Toole, whom Walsh describes as one of the most dangerous punt returners in the league.

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Beyond the sixth game

by Ed Cronin

I'm calm now. Two outs. Nobody on 5-3 lead. But I'm calm now. I wasn't calm when it happened. In fact, I was laying in a drunken stupor, with my face buried in the bar at Houlihan's in Faneuil Hall, trying not to look at Shea Stadium celebrated on the large screen above me. A beautiful Italian-looking girl came over and put her arms around me to try and console me. I was so upset, however, it wasn't until about two months later that I realized how gorgeous she was. But I'm calm now. Sure, I still have some nights when I wake up sweating profusely screaming "Wild pitch! Wild pitch! The game!" Sure, I still have some nights when I wake up sweating profusely screaming "Wild pitch! Wild pitch! The game!" Sure, I still have some nights when I wake up sweating profusely screaming "Wild pitch! Wild pitch! The game!" Sure, I still have some nights when I wake up sweating profusely screaming "Wild pitch! Wild pitch! The game!"

Actually, I don't remember very much about the summer of 1986. I recall that I spent a lot of time at Fenway Park and a lot of time at Play It Again Sam's. I believe that there was a lot of Bud Light involved. There was also a great pennant race.

The most vivid memory I have of that summer is spending most of the months of August, September, and October trying to drug my friend Patty to a Red Sox game. In the end, not even two tickets to game 7 of the American League Championship Series could save her: "No Ed, I'd just be bored." She said. "But Patty, this game is for the pennant. The championships. Roger Clemens is pitching for the Red Sox." "I don't care Ed," she said. "I hate the Red Sox." Patty just left for a secret meeting.

But I'm calm now. After all, it was just a dream. You can't feel me that easily. I know that no team, not even the Red Sox, could possibly lose a two-un lead with two outs and no one on base in the last game of the World Series. "Come on Calvin, baby! All we need is one more out to win..."

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