

## UNL Homecoming 1988

# Festivities include alumni basketball game, carnival

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University of Nebraska-Lincoln homecoming festivities Oct. 10-15 will include a carnival and an alumni basketball game, which will promote more involvement from Nebraskans, homecoming committee chairman Bryan Valencia said.

"It's never been done before," Valencia said. "We hope that it will attract lots and lots of people."

The carnival Oct. 14 is tentatively planned from 3 p.m. to 11 p.m. on the gravel lot south of the Bob Devaney Sports Center, Valencia said.

Rainbow Amusements and possibly Lynch Entertainments will provide the rides and games for the carnival, Valencia said. The carnival will have student booths, displays by various academic areas and sports exhibitions.

The carnival will continue after

the homecoming parade, which will begin at 6:30 p.m.

The parade will take a different route this year, Valencia said. Although the route is not finalized, he said, it will probably go from P Street towards the Devaney Center, ending at the Reunion.

Valencia said the route is being changed to attract a different crowd and lead them to the sports center for the carnival and the events planned by the Celebrate Nebraska, Celebrate UNL committee after the parade.

The Celebrate Nebraska committee plans an alumni basketball game Friday night and displays during the carnival.

Valencia said the homecoming committee came up with the carnival idea after deciding on the theme "Celebrate UNL Homecoming — The Greatest Show on Earth."

He said he expects the carnival to attract Lincolinites to homecoming.

"You'll be able to get the families of Lincoln to come," Valencia said,

"and a big thing like that will tend to get a lot of the alums back."

Bryan Van Deun, co-chairman of the Celebrate Nebraska committee, agreed with Valencia.

"We feel that the university and the residents of Nebraska should come together in this event," Van Deun said.

Many other events are planned throughout homecoming week besides the carnival.

The week will begin Monday with a Fun Run on campus sponsored by KFRX. Coca-Cola and KFRX are the sponsors of homecoming activities.

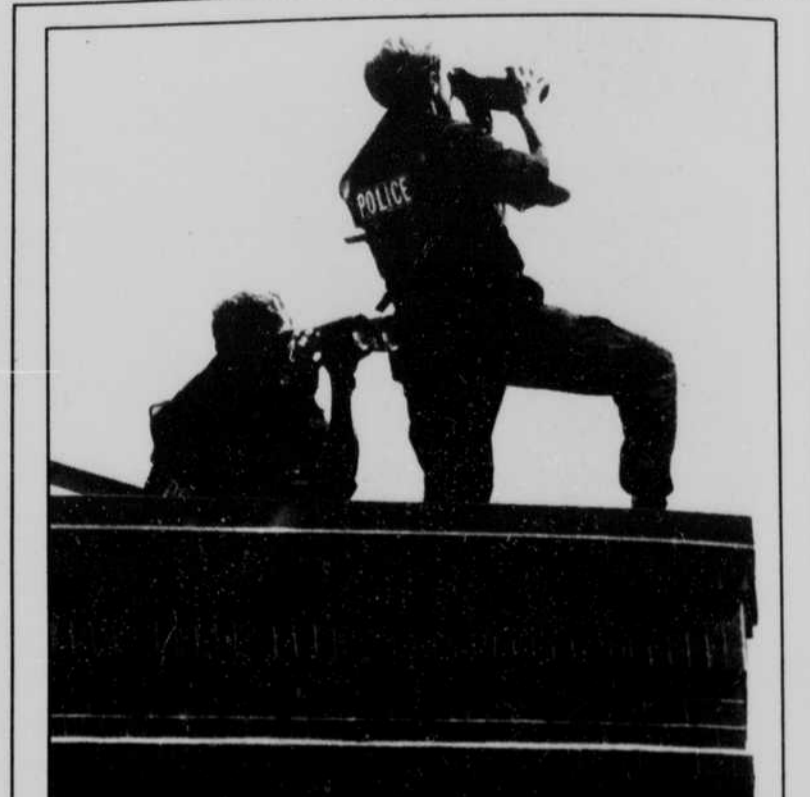
The Student Alumni Association plans a sand volleyball tournament for Tuesday and Wednesday of homecoming week. The homecoming talent show and elections for king and queen will also take place Wednesday.

Students who wish to vote for homecoming king and queen can vote from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Oct. 12 in the Nebraska Union.

The pep band is tentatively scheduled to play downtown Thursday with homecoming committee members to promote the event to Lincolinites. The homecoming dance will be Thursday night at the East Union.

Before the game Saturday, will be a pep rally with possibly the introduction of royalty and a performance by the Scarlet and Cream singers.

Many of the times for scheduled homecoming events are not yet finalized, Valencia said.



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Two security police keep an eye on the crowd from atop the Gray Communications Center. President Reagan dedicated the center Tuesday.

## Arab students change opinion about America during visit

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sippi Rhodes College. When I discuss conflicts in Middle East, they don't acknowledge anything about it."

Lara Khaib, a senior social work major at Beirut University College, said although she had visited the United States before, she still had a bad impression of Americans.

"(I thought) things were so easy for Americans; they don't have to work; they get whatever they want," she said. "I found out this was wrong. Many are hard workers, have to do a lot."

The students said one thing that surprised them was the high number of AIDS victims in the United States.

"They said 2 percent of the population in New York has it," Barghout said. "In Lebanon, we only have six cases that came from the states."

Samir said, "I visited a hospital in Washington, D.C., 20 percent in internal medicine department had AIDS. I knew it was prevalent, but not that high."

Achaari said he was surprised racial differences still exist between blacks and whites.

"Up until now, I thought there was an understanding between the two," Achaari said. "In New York and Memphis, blacks still feel on the outside. There is no integration between the two. The blacks have worse jobs, wear worse clothes."

Khatib said she was surprised how aware Americans are about child abuse.

"I thought no one knew about it," she said. "It was amazing because I thought child abuse was common. I thought people didn't care. I saw tremendous efforts to stop child abuse. I think it is great they are trying to end it."

All the students thought Americans had too much freedom. Khatib said that on the social level, she has less freedom than Americans. She said that in Lebanon, girls live with their parents until they are married.

"We're dependent on them," she said, "but dependence doesn't mean we can't do what we want. We're not as free as you are, but we are free."

The students got a taste of the Midwest in Nebraska. Barghout said she thought the people were very business oriented and did not have time for fun.

"When we went to farms, farm ties are so strong," she said. "It's kind of like the Middle East — they care about each other and work together."

Ebrahim Alhashmi, a junior chemistry and physics major at Bahrain University at Manama, Bahrain, said there was no other country like the United States.

"Different people from different cultures make one nation and live together," he said. "They mix other races and live in harmony, live as a free people."

Besides Lincoln, the students have visited Washington, D.C., New York City, Oxford, Miss., and Memphis, Tenn. After Lincoln, they will stop in Denver and Los Angeles.

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