

# 'Alien Nation' falls short of expectations, possibilities

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drug and murder are thrown in for fun.

There is a pretty weak message about the dangers of drug abuse that isn't expanded on enough. We have racism commented on, cross-culture relationships shown and drugs and morality thought about, but none of these is discussed at

length. What could've been said or shown wasn't, like more of the alien's culture or a clearer comment on racial relations and the danger of bigotry when dealing with a significantly different people. Sykes, the human detective, openly despises the "slags," but we're left to wonder why. Even when he teams up with

Sam Francisco, the Newcomer detective, to solve a human/Newcomer crime, the movie neglects to go into detail about the extent of the integration — the detail needed to make us care whether problems get solved or not. "Alien Nation" leaves too many loose ends for the viewer to enjoy the movie a great deal. Where did the Newcomers come from? If they

were "genetically engineered for slave labor," who did the engineering and where are they? What about the seduction attempt by a Newcomer of Sykes, a human? Are the aliens really not that different? As a viewer, I was very interested in the aliens and the idea of a totally new race and culture trying to mesh itself with our own. But this evidently wasn't important

enough to talk about beyond a few cryptic comments made in passing hints in the background, like the Newcomer language shown on signs throughout the entire film. Unfortunately, this meshing was never touched thematically. "Alien Nation" just didn't deliver what it promised. "Alien Nation" is currently playing at the Douglas 3 Theater.

### FOR SALE

300 square yards of used carpet perfect for dorm rooms. Call 467-2517 M-F 8am-5pm.  
4 Def Leppard tickets. 9th row, main floor. Call 435-6994.  
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Entertainment center. Color TV, receiver, dual cassette, turntable. Must sell! \$300 OBO. 476-2918.

### Lincoln Police Dept. Notice of Sale on unclaimed bicycles

Oct. 13th, 6 pm at Lincolnland Towing, 410 West P Street, by the Property Division. No checks accepted.  
Mostly size 7. Nice women's pants, sweaters, jackets, etc. 781-2179  
Sturdy UNI-VEGA Mountain Bike, 1/yr old \$225. Jeff at 474-4495.

Three 19" color TV's \$35, \$55, & \$65. '85-model Sanyo Front Load VCR, \$125. '82-model Sony Betamax VCR Front Load \$75. 467-5189.

### VEHICLES FOR SALE

'85 Honda Civic DX. Hatchback. Great condition. Excellent stereo system. A/C. A very sharp automobile! \$4795/OBO Call Scott at 474-2344 in evenings after 7 PM.  
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1977 Chevy Monza: Auto, heat, new front shocks, excellent interior, good exterior, little rust. 96,700 miles. Call Joe at: 475-7966.

### TICKET EXCHANGE

4 Def Leopard tickets, tenth row, best offer 489-5473.  
FOR SALE: 2 female tickets for NU vs. UNLV game. 477-4056.  
For Sale: 1 male, 1 female ticket together for Oklahoma State V. NV. 476-6590 after 5 p.m.

WANTED: 3 tickets for OU game, 5 tickets for CU game. Also 1 ticket for MO game for sale. Call after 5:00 475-8916. Ask for Teresa.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPC-American Films. "Invasion of the Body Snatchers" Friday and Saturday, City Union. 7 and 9 pm.  
**APPLE CIDER BICYCLE TOUR**  
OCTOBER 21-23, 1988  
Three day bicycle trip through the Missouri River Valley to Waubesa State Park, Iowa. Stops will include Syracuse to camp and Nebraska City to visit the mutton Apple Orchard. Vehicle support, meals and camping equipment is included in the cost of \$40. Sign-up deadline: October 10. Questions? Contact Bruce at Campus Recreation, 1740 Vine Street, 472-3467.

**ATTENTION!**  
Homecoming Parade and Display Entries are due 4:00 on Monday, October 10th! Turn them in to the City Union CAP Office! The Theme has been changed to "The Greatest Show in Nebraska".

**CATCH THE INVASION TONIGHT!**  
City Union 7 & 9 pm.  
We are looking for attractive girls, 14-24, for the Miss Nebraska-USA and Miss Nebraska-Teen USA pageant. No talent required. For more information, call 489-7298.  
**ARTS & SCIENCES STUDENT ADVISORY BOARD**  
is looking for new members!  
Applications available Oct. 3 in 1223 Oldfather  
Due Oct. 10, 1988 4:30pm

Apply for Student Foundation today! Applications available at the Cap Office, Room 200. Applications due Oct. 14, 1988.

**SAA**  
Retreat Friday, Vans leave at 4:30. Be there for the weekend of your life.  
**OMICRON DELTA EPSILON ECONOMICS HONORARY**  
Meeting today at 3:30 in CBA 120  
New Members Welcome  
**STUDENT UNITARIAN UNIVERSALISTS**  
Meeting Sunday at Union, 6pm. "Sounds of the Soul: African Instruments."  
**GYMNEES**  
Important mandatory meeting! Sunday, Oct. 9 at 9:00pm. Will be posted in the Union.  
Hurry! Available space for UNL skiers is filling fast on Sunchase Tours' Seventh Annual January Collegiate Winter Ski Breaks to Steamboat, Vail, Winter Park and Keystone, Colorado. Trips include lodging, lifts, parties and picnics for five, six or seven days from only \$156! Round trip flights and group charter bus transportation available. Call toll free: 1-800-321-5911 for more information and reservations TODAY!  
**KZUM Marathon**  
October 2-9. Support alternative public radio! 89.3 FM. 474-5086.  
**UNIVERSITY LUTHERAN CHAPEL HAYRACK RIDE.**  
Meet at Chapel at 6:45 to go on a fun-filled trip in the country, complete with bonfire. Please bring \$2 to help cover costs.

Just for the fun of things, Homecoming Committee '88 and KFRX are starting the Big Weekend off with a 2 mile fun run. Starts in front of the Coliseum, Monday, October 10th at 3:30. So show up & run - prizes will be given to top finishers.  
**HIKING IN WILDERNESS PARK**  
OCTOBER 16, 1988  
Enjoy a Fall day hike including a picnic lunch in Wilderness Park, Lincoln. Trip cost: \$4. Sign-up deadline: October 11th. Questions? Contact Jeff at Campus Recreation, 1740 Vine Street, 472-3467.

**CORNCOBBS**  
Deadline for migration deposits 2:00 TODAY. Leave with Jackie at AOTT house, \$25.00 + ID. A limit of 46 people has been set.  
**Business Majors.**  
Want to be part of a team and learn people skills at the same time? Apply to be a New Student Enrollment Host! The next information session is Sunday, October 9 at 8:00pm in the City Union.

**Returned Peace Corps Volunteers**  
Let's get together!  
Friday, Oct. 7, 4:30-6:30 pm  
Chesterfield's  
**LUTHERAN COLLEGIANS**  
Meeting this Sunday at 7:30pm in the Union. Pizza and pop will be provided.

**VISUAL ARTS TOUR TO ENGLAND**  
Find out more about this semester break study tour offered for credit. Approximate cost is \$1550-1600 plus tuition. Informational meeting Monday, October 10 at 8:00 PM at 1311 Claremont Street. Call Christa Joy, 472-3264 for details.  
Interested in medicine? Professor Jesse Edwards, University of NE Medical Center will be on campus, Nov. 10 to share information on the physician assistant profession. Time: 10:00-3:00pm. Place: 103 Mariter Hall.  
Having problems with food? Overeaters Anonymous meets at Cornerstone, 5:30 Friday. 473-1952.

Parking Advisory Board will meet on Oct 10, 2:30pm, City Union, room will be posted.

The NEBRASKA UNION BOARD & KFRX will be sponsoring a "WIN, LOSE or DRAW TOURNAMENT" on Tuesday, Oct. 25 in the Union's main lounge at 7:30pm. Everyone is welcome to participate or just join in the fun! Entry forms are available at 220 Nebraska Union. Greek houses and from SA's. Entry deadline is Oct. 18. Prizes have been sponsored by KFRX, UPC, Burger King, Bodies by Design and Many More!!!

**SUNDAY NEW YORK TIMES**  
Home delivery. \$12/month. 488-4027.  
Remember Sweetest Day  
October 15. Fantasies of Scent. R.J.'s Perfume Consultant. Mens, Womens Fragrances, after 4pm call 475-5274.

### GREEK AFFAIRS

**CHI PHI LITTLE SISTER RUSH** begins soon. First Rush Parties Oct. 11th, 12th and 13th. For more information call: Janet 483-7191, Jeannie or Angela 472-0085, Troy 475-9496.

**FARMHOUSE Little Sister Rush**  
October 16, 19, and 20  
**\* FH Little Sister Rush**  
Information Session, October 9  
4:00 at City Union  
7:00 at East Union  
Rooms will be posted  
If you can not attend, please call Craig 476-0016, Glen 464-9277, or Kara 474-9238.

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**THETA XI Little Sister Rush!**  
Oct. 18, 20 and 21  
Sharpen your axes for Woodchoppers Ball "1988"

To the GIRLS of ADTT:  
Take a class in interior design. Mustard is for hotdogs and eggs are for breakfast! P.S. Don't call us, We'll call you.

Rick (TX) and Elizabeth:  
Congratulations on your engagement! Best Wishes Always!  
Sisters of Theta Xi

Michelle (AOTT):  
Congratulations you yearbook staffer! NOW I know. Annie

Colleen K., Amy D., Natalie F., Natalie D. (Gamma Phi):  
Looking forward to a wonderful time at KING KAMANAWANALAYA.  
Your Chi Phi Dates

Peggy S. (AXO):  
Congratulations on your History test! You're a great study buddy!  
Lisa H.

Delta Tau Delta "HEAVEN & HELL '88" is tonight! Will it bring out the evil in you??  
**KAMANAWANALAYAPHOBIA**  
The fear that Edgar the horned duck will be watching you Saturday night at the Chi Phi party. Bring blankets!

Craig and John (Chi Phi):  
Roses are red. The party's gonna be big We're psyched to go But do we have to sit by the pig?  
Colleen and Mary

Sham, Sean, Bull & Glasser (DU's):  
Hop on the bus, Gus; Set up the tent, Kent; Roll in the hay, Jay; And get yourself...drunk.  
Trinetta, Missy, Beth & Emmy

**STUDENT GOVERNMENT**  
"Committee for Fee Allocation (Off-campus)"  
Be a part of the Committee that revises student fees. Deadline is October 7, 1988 at 4:00 p.m. Applications available in 115 Nebraska Union.

**OFFICE OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID**  
Students wishing to help in the establishment of a Student Advisory Board for the office of Scholarships and Financial Aid apply at 115 Nebraska Union. Deadline is October 7, 1988 at 4:00 p.m.

### PERSONALS

**HAPPY 21ST B-DAY**  
Carmen C. (Chi O)  
Gooch:  
Happy 18th Burp-day! Love your one and only twin. Love OP  
Doug:  
Have a great 23rd birthday!  
Love, Shana  
P.S. "...Should be fun. No fish, however. No big words, either!"

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