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CORRECTION: In the calendar (DN, Sept. 21), the wrong band was listed for Wedday at Duffy's. Castration and the Leafy Green Things are scheduled to play.

WEATHER: Friday, partly sunny in the morning but becoming cloudy in the afternoon, high in the 60s with winds northwest 10 to 15 miles an hour gaining to 15 to 25 miles per hour. Cloudy and breezy in the evening, becoming clear and cold, low in the 30s. Partly sunny Saturday, high near 60. Dry over the weekend, highs in upper 70s to low 80s and lows mostly in 40s. INDEX

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Sack time at the ol' bumper cars.

David Kelley, a carnival worker in Lincoln for the Haymarket festival, could use a larger car for a proper nap. The carnival is scheduled to be open from 9 a.m. to midnight today

UNL gets research grant to study fly-killing wasps

By Jerry Guenther Senior Reporter

rmed with a \$55,000 grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, parasitic wasps soon may be fighting the cattlemen's war on flies.

Jack Campbell, University of Nebraska-Lincoln research and extension entomologist, said the USDA awarded the two-year competitive grant to UNL's West Central Research & Extension Center in North

The grant will allow the UNL research center to further its study of using wasps as a way to control flies.

Stable and house flies affect livestock performance by reducing feed efficiency and growth, he said. Stable flies bite the animals and feed on their blood, he said.

House flies also tend to gather near feed bunks, Campbell said. If the house flies are too numerous, cattle may not even approach the bunk to

Campbell said the center will do most of its parasitic wasp research on feedlots in the North Platte area.

The parasitic wasps, which are very small, do not sting. They prey on the larvae of house and stable flies, he

The adult female wasp lays eggs on the flies' pupae, he said. The parasites then feed on the developing fly larvae, Campbell said, killing the fly

Campbell said many different species of parasitic wasps exist. They vary in both the time of year they can survive and the fly species they are

effective against.
Mike Catangui, a UNL entomology graduate student who did re-search with parasitic wasps at the North Platte center last summer, said he hopes the grant will allow the center to increase the number of species it studies.

Catangui said the parasitic wasps

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COLAGE panel discusses need for mutual acceptance

By Emily Rosenbaum Staff Reporter

bout 25 people gathered in the Nebraska Union Thursday night to discuss the need for heterosexuals and homosexuals to accept one another.

Four panelists, including heterosexual and homosexual members, shared their experiences in a forum called "My Friend is Gay and I Don't Understand.

The Committee Offering Lesbian and Gay Events sponsored the program, which included a panel discussion and question-and-answer ses-

Larry Doerr, a minister with United Ministries in Higher Education at UNL, said it often is difficult for people to learn to deal with others who are not necessarily like everyone

Doerr said many people consider homosexuality the whole of what and who a person is.

Sexuality actually is a small part someone, said Ginger Dzerk, a UNL student and one of the panelists.
Michael Moeglin, a UNL student

ienst, said many hard time accepting the idea that a person does not choose to be homo-

sexual.
"I never had any doubt in my mind that I was gay," said Mary Ellen, a panelist who asked to be identified by her first name only.

"I accept someone else because they're heterosexual, so why should anyone not accept me because I'm gay."

-- Mary Ellen

Mary Ellen said she kept her 'secret' hidden as she was growing up because homosexuality was "taboo" at the time. She married and had four children. After 25 years, she realized that her marriage was a mistake, she said. She is now divorced and in a relationship with another woman, she said.

'In our eyes we are married,"

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arking Task Force demands student voice

By Lisa Bolin Staff Reporter

embers of the Parking Task Force decided at their first meeting Thursday that it is time for students to stand up to parking problems at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

The task force, formed by the Association of Students of the University of Nebraska, will address parking problems solely from the students' perspective and will form solutions that will benefit the students, said Correy Trupp, speaker of the ASUN senate.

Trupp said ASUN decided to form the task force because the university Parking Advisory Committee handles all aspects of university parking and cannot deal solely with student parking issues. Additionally, the student parking problem appears to be worse this year than in past years,

'Any administrator who doesn't think there is a parking problem

should try to find a spot between 10 a.m. and 12 p.m. and see how frustrating it is to wait 20 minutes for a spot," ASUN Sen, Patrick Wyatt ASUN Sen. Patrick Wyatt

ASUN has received more complaints about parking this year than usual, Wyatt said.

"What the senators' job should be is to identify what the problems are and to make sure steps are taken to deal with them," he said.
The task force defined what it felt

were the major problems concerning students and agreed that the most serious problem is the utilization of

parking spaces.

Kyle Hauberg, an ASUN representative to the Parking Advisory Committee, said the commuter lot by the Bob Devaney Sports Center rarely is used to its full potential.

Parking permits were oversold by 20 to 30 percent this year, Hauberg said. Because this figure includes those stalls at the Devaney lot which aren't used, he said, the problem of parking close to campus becomes

The task force suggested that a possible solution to this problem is to make unused lots more accessible by a shuttle bus to campus.

A second problem task force members said should be addressed is the cost of parking permits.

Currently, students and faculty members pay \$50 for an annual park-ing permit, but the student lots are much farther away that the faculty lots, Trupp said.

Trupp suggested that differential rates should be implemented. Students should be charged a lower rate for permits in lots located far from campus, he said.

Task force members also said the parking situation on Saturdays during home football games should be dis-

Commuter and faculty lots are sold to different organizations during home games, Wyatt said, making parking difficult for those with per-

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By Jerry Guenther Senior Reporter

ecause of recent concerns about parking at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, a parking administrator announced Thursday that there will be an emergency session Monday of the Parking Advisory Commit-

Lt. John Burke of the UNL police department said the session, which will include an open forum, will be at 2:30 p.m. in the Nebraska

The room number will be posted Monday morning on the union kiosk, he said.

Burke said the purpose of the meeting is to give students a chance to vent their frustrations

about the parking situation.

Parking Advisory Committee

to have emergency session

"We're (Parking Advisory Committee) going to do a lot of listening," he said. "We want to address the concerns of the stu-

Burke said he has received numerous calls and has read many letters from students in the Daily Nebraskan complaining about

"I don't ever remember this much press and concern being expressed by students this late in the semester," he said.

Burke said a survey is being conducted this week to determine the number of parking stalls that are being used, so the committee can determine what needs to be done to improve parking.