

TODAY'S WEATHER **68**/37

Today, mostly sunny, breezy and warmer onight, a 30 percent chance of thundershowers. Tuesday, cooler with a 40 percent chance of light rain and a high of 45 to 50.

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Possible cult group resuming activities

By Jeremy Fitzpatrick Senior Reporter

ampus Advance, a fundamentalist religious group that was active on campus last year, has resumed its activities, the executive assistant to the vice chancellor for student affairs said.

Peg Blake said the student affairs office had become aware of the group's renewed activity through a complaint from a member of UNL's Parent Association. She said she had been informed that Campus Advance had about 150 members at UNL.

Campus Advance attempted to become a recognized student group at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln last year, but failed because its faculty adviser - Philip Hugly - withdrew his sponsorship of the group.

Hugly, chairman of the philoso-phy department, said he originally thought the group would discuss bib-lical issues. When he discovered they were actively trying to convert students to their beliefs, he withdrew his sponsorship for Campus Advance.

The group again has applied to be recognized by the Association of Students of the University of Nebraska. It filed a letter of intent with ASUN March 9 to become a student group.

The letter of intent allows the group a 60- to 90-day grace period during which it may hold public meetings in the Nebraska Union. The group must submit a constitution for ASUN's approval by the end of the grace period.

Campus Advance drew criticism last year because of its affiliation with a group that called itself the Lincoln Church of Christ - not to be confused with the traditional Churches of Christ in Lincoln. The Lincoln Church of Christ has been associated with the Boston Church of Christ,

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treatment continues

By Sean Green Senior Reporter

ndrew Scott Baldwin was released Friday from the St. Joseph Center for Mental Health, 11 days after being transferred there from the Lancaster County Jail.

Baldwin

released;

Lancaster County District Judge Paul Merritt amended the conditions of Baldwin's bond Friday, allowing him to stay with Nebraska football coach Tom Osborne.

Before the bond conditions were amended, Baldwin was to stay with assistant football coach Frank Solich or the Rev. Donald Coleman Sr. of Lincoln.

Hal Anderson, Baldwin's attorney, said on March 3 that Baldwin would be allowed to study at UNL's Hewit Academic Center, but that he probably would keep a low profile.

The center, located in the West Stadium, houses the academic center and training table for UNL studentathletes.

Baldwin, a 22-year-old student and football player at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, was charged with assault for the beating of Gina Simanek of Lincoln and a Lincoln police officer Jan. 18.

He entered dual pleas of not guilty and not guilty by reason of insanity to the two charges Feb. 27.

Baldwin's trial date has been set for April 6. If convicted, he could face a maximum of 25 years in prison.

Baldwin underwent an inpatient psychiatric evaluation while at St. Joseph's as a condition for his release on \$100,000 bond.

An anonymous source paid the \$10,000 - the 10 percent necessary

for Baldwin's release — on March 2. As another condition of his bond, Baldwin must continue outpatient psychiatric treatment with Jack Stark, the Nebraska football team's psychologist.

Another condition of Baldwin's not allowed to speak to Simanek.



Sherri Lightner of 5601 Guenevere Lane rides her bike in Wilderness Park Saturday afternoon.

bond is that he not speak with Ne-braska teammates Trev Alberts, Travis Hill or 18 other witnesses. He also is

Simanek was released March 7 from the Madonna Rehabilitation First woman Hospital in Lincoln after she underwent treatment for injuries, including highest paid incident.

MONDAY

CORRECTION: A headline in Friday's Daily Nebraskan incorrectly indicated the number of voters in Wednesday's Association of Students of the Univer-sity of Nebraska elections. The correct number is 3,614. The Daily Nebraskan rearets the error.

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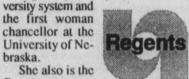
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NU appointee

By Cindy Kimbrough Senior Reporter

he NU Board of Regents voted to approve the appointment of a new UNMC chancellor Friday

Carol Ann Kemp Aschenbrener is the highest-paid employee in the university system and



She also is the first woman ever to head a public

braska.

academic health center, said Roger Bulger, president of the Association of Academic Health Centers.

Aschenbrener currently is the associate dean of the University of Iowa College of Medicine in Iowa City.

William Berndt, interim chancellor of the University of Nebraska Medical Center, said the attitude on campus toward the appointment of

Aschenbrener was "absolutely superb."

Berndt said Aschenbrener was bringing a large and diverse amount of experience and a knowledge of rural areas within the country to the center.

"I know she will keep up our momentum and continue to move us on to new heights," he said.

In addition, Regent Nancy O'Brien Waterloo updated the regents on the progress of the evaluation process of NU President Martin Massengale, and she emphasized the importance of confidentiality in evaluating Massengale's strengths and weaknesses.

O'Brien, chairperson of the committee for the evaluation process, said confidentiality would allow the regents to be candid in their evaluations. The evaluations are due back to the committee March 27.

Massengale also will participate in the evaluation and judge his own job performance. When all the evaluations are re-

ceived, O'Brien's three-person committee will have a closed meeting March 30 to compile the evaluations. The board then will discuss the information at a private retreat April 9.

The findings of the evaluation will not be released to the public.

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Problems with closed classes also addressed

By Cindy Kimbrough Senior Reporter

losed classes have become an increasingly large problem throughout the University of Nebraska system, NU regents and administrators said at Friday's meeting of the NU Board of Regents.

Regent Charles Wilson of Lincoln said closed classes were forcing students to take alternative courses that did not fit their requirements and.

thus, prolonging graduation.

Wilson's concern came in response to the regents' approval of a jointdoctoral program between the University of Nebraska at Omaha and the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

He said members should take other factors and priorities of the institution into consideration before making such

Wilson said the prolonged amount of time closed classes caused students to attend the university was a matter of serious concern.

'The issue is the student is at the door saying they want to learn . . . but they are told, 'Sorry, there's no room at the inn,'" he said. Regent Nancy Hoch of Nebraska

City agreed, and said the issue was serious because it added to the cost of an already expensive education.

Wilson said the expense was not only for the student, but also for the state.

Otto Bauer, vice chancellor of academic affairs at UNO, said closed classes at UNO had a direct effect on students' graduation. Almost 900 classes were closed this spring at UNO.

Instead of graduating in the regular four- to five-year time period, some UNO students are forced to go six to seven years to complete their requirements, he said.

Bauer said there also was no real priority system to ensure a student faced with a closed class would get into the class the next time around.

The priority system that is in place allows seniors first priority, then juniors and so on down the line, he said.

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