Homecoming Royalty Election / Voting

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## Homeroming Royalty

hat would you do with a ton of Spam?

Based on a list of eight questions, the Daily Nebraskan tested the loyalty, service, highlights and humor of the 20 homecoming candidates at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Of those, all want to keep Herbie. But they want the old Herbie, not the current one because, as candidate James Yen says, "The new Herbie scares me."

They stressed tradition, communication, diversity, recruting, fighting apathy, unity, ethics and

other issues to be the top concern at UNL. Candidate Eric VanderWoude used technology as his example.

All you need to do is pick up a business magazine and see that the United States is moving into an information and technology age," he said, and recommended the university respond to the changing

"I've met graduating seniors that don't know how to use a computer."

Candidates took a turn from the serious, and even suggested where Nebraska could put a 60-ft. Spam bust of our governor -- after we overthrow Iowa.

Candidate Kiersten Yanken offered an informed suggestion.

"I would present it as a gift to Lake Speed, the new driver for the Husker NASCAR, because he used to drive the Spam car," Yanken wrote. "His favorite Spam recipe is Spam McMuffins, and he could make a lot of those with 60 feet of Spam!"



1. What do you see as the most pressing issue at UNL today and why?
2. What has been your greatest contribution to UNL?

3. What could student leaders do to be more involved with students and and faculty

4. What aspect of the student body do you feel you represent?

5. What has been your best experience at UNL and why?

6. What is your favorite and least favorite sculpture on campus and why?

7. Do you want to keep Herbie as a mascot? If not, what changes would you like to

8. If we were to overthrow Iowa, where would you want to put the 60-ft. Spam bust of Ben Nelson? And why?

Each candidate is listed with his or her name, year in school, major and selected campus activities. Two questions were chosen for each candidate and correspond with the



work on the weekends.

6. My least favorite is the big naked woman

behind Sheldon. I get embarrassed when I

Jason Bynum Senior Chemistry First Vice President of ASUN



4. Those students who work 100 percent during the week and then do anything but

3. The President's Council is a great way to get organizations and their leaders together.

6. My favorite sculpture is the woman in the box because she represents the hardship and the box because that we have found to the second challenges that women face on a day-to-day



Andrea Frost

Vice President of

Chapter Relations and Standards for Alpha Chi Omega

Accounting



3. Student leaders could hold more open-

forum meetings.

5. Making a skit with a campus life group.
I can't think of a more rewarding or hilarious time than those early mornings at the Wick (Alumni) Center when we'd try to make each



first plane leaving town.

1. Rigorous classes. A class that is not challenging is a waste of money.

8. I would put him in the Missouri River

because he is so full of hot air he would float away anyway.



Accounting Treasurer of Alpha Omicron Pi

**Ann Broyhill** 

President of Beta Alpha Psi, Accounting

1. Parking. You can pay \$300 for a reserved spot, yet when you go to park, your place is taken.

6. I am not a fan of our sculptures, but my favorite would have to be the "Torn Notebook."



**Becky Anderson** 

esident of Delta elta Delta

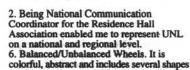
, to continue the traditions and excellence of UNL as students find themselves throughout the country pursuing their areas of interest that began here in Nebraska. 7. Herbie has been a symbol of UNL to me since I was a child.



**Amy Bredthauer** Senior Psychology

Treasurer of the National Residence Hall Honorary

Coordinator for the Bone Marrow



... I feel this is how I am and how I think.

8. I'd make the bust out of Fairbury hot dogs rather than Spam because they are Nebraskan. I'd place it next to the baseball diamond from

'Field of Dreams," because, after all, "If you



**Brian Buescher** 

**ASUN Senator** 



2. My work on the Committee for Fees Allocation. During my two terms on the committee, I worked hard to find areas where budgets could be reduced or cut.

Call me traditional. Call me an old-timer, but Herbie has to stay. How many Cornhuskers can you find? I guess we could always change it to something unoriginal like a buffalo, a wildcat or maybe a gator.



build it, they will come."

2. My tuition

Steve Korell Senior Accounting President of

Past-Vice President of ASUN



Agriculture President of Past-Speaker of the Senate for ASUN

Jason Kubik

Continuity in the way student code of conduct issues are handled ... many students are frustrated because it appears that certain "groups" are treated differently.

2. Two national championships. Granted, my involvement came from about the thirtieth row and not on the field.



Member of varsity track a teams Member of the UNL Student

Athlete Advisory

4. Student athletes and students who live in residence halls.

8. I would put it in Iowa State's football stadium because the only people who go there are people who like to be around things



Kristin Whitted

President of the Student Athlete Advisory Board

President of University Ambassadors

other laugh on stage by playing jokes on each other.



**Chad Pekron** 

Brian Blauser

Vice President of FarmHouse

Secretary of the Innocents Society

Amie Haggar

Vice President of

Board/Rush Chairwoman of Chi Omega

1. Student apathy. If every student took pride in the university and would take an active

role in trying to better the univesity there would not be a better institution to attend

5. Serving as a New Student Enrollment Orientation leader ... not only helped me

grow, but at the same time I was helping new

1. I believe the most significant issue at UNL

faculty and staff ... it is important we find a

8. I really don't like Spam so I'd put it on the

rship" in the university among students.

today is a lack of a common atittude of

(than UNL).

Calendar Chair of

President of College Republicans



President of Delta Gamma

Cari Stanko

iology/Pre

Vice President of

1. The lack of diversity and willingness to accept diversity.

6. My favorite sculpture is the one that looks like a surfboard by the library, but as many times as I have walked by I am still not sure

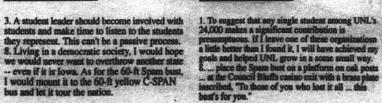


University

5. The best experience I have had at UNL is the fact that I attended the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and got involved.

6. My favorite sculpture is "Torn Notebook" because it reminds me of what my notes look







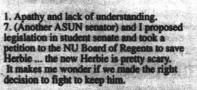
Jennifer Wilcox

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I am proud to represent students from rural, agricultural communities.
 Hetbie is very representative of Midwestern agricultural values of honesty, integrity and dedication that UNL was founded on.



Young Democrats





Working on relations between residents of greek houses and residence halls.
 If we kept it here, it could be a huge touris attraction and bring in billions and billions of dollars. OK, maybe five bucks.