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Campus Profiles: John-Murray Allen and Thorsten Path

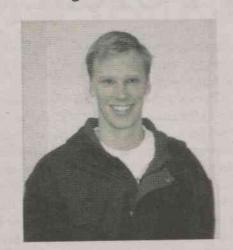
-by MARIA FUENTES, staff writer-

John-Murray Allen, originally from Cape Town, South Africa, is a senior Organizational Leadership major at Brevard College. He has been living in the United States for three years and three months and he will be graduating this spring.

He is considering several different postgraduation options. He said, "One of the options that I am looking at right now is to be an officer in the Royal Military Academy in Sandhurst, England. Then the other option is to join the Kaizen Institute in Austin, Texas [a management consultation firm]."

John-Murray hopes to go to graduate school in the future and get an MBA. He hopes his degree will be useful in his chosen field. He also said, "I am a good fan of Dr. Quiggley and his philosophy as well as Dr. W. Edwards' Deming."

He is willing to move anywhere his career



-John Murray Allen, photo by Jeff Headrick-

takes him. According to his current plans, he will live in the United States, England, or South Africa. After graduation he will likely stay with his parents in New York.

John-Murray's advice to all students is, "Always be passionate about what you do and don't follow the crowd."



-Thorston Path, photo by Jeff Headrickby KATIE GOETZ, staff writer-

Thorsten Path, the new Head Coach for the Brevard women's soccer team, arrived February 11th full of high expectations.

Born in Germany, Path moved to the United States four years later and grew up in Inman, South Carolina. He attended the College of Charleston where he received a bachelor's degree in German and History and later obtained a master's degree in Educational Leadership at the Citadel.

No stranger to soccer, Path played goalie at the College of Charleston where he later became the assistant coach of the women's program. He was also the Director of Coaching for Mount Pleasant soccer club.

Path knew the positive history of the women's soccer program at Brevard and thinks he and his wife of seven years, Heather, will be happy here. Heather is an elementary school counselor and will join him at the end of the school year.

Outside of soccer, Path enjoys reading and mountain biking. Through hard work, the new coach hopes to take the women's soccer team to the top. "The team started off its four-year quest in the top twenty. I'd like to get back to that." We welcome Path and wish good luck to the Lady Tornados!

BC Relay for Life

First College Relay in Western North Carolina

-by LINDSAY SHIELDS, staff-

Relay for Life is a community event to fight cancer. Relay began in Tacoma, Washington in 1984 as a 24-hour event based on the idea that cancer never sleeps. Since then, Relay has been adopted by the American Cancer Society and has spread across the United States and around the world. Groups form teams and schedule one member per team to be walking (or running!) a track at all times. Teams raise money for cancer education, advocacy, research, and service. Relays are custombuilt for communities with two exceptions: survivor activities and luminary ceremony. Every Relay opens with a survivor lap where all cancer survivors are honored as they walk. At dusk, bags with candles are lit, depicting names of cancer victims and survivors.

Our Relay is unique in that it's a collegeonly Relay. The event is still open to the community, but it caters to the college. Students have come up with unique team fundraisers based on their theme. There will be live music all night long, with acts ranging from the BC Jazz Ensemble to Senatobia. There will be a limbo contest and yoga in the morning. There will be a free midnight snack and breakfast for all participants.

Brevard College is the first college/university in Western North Carolina to host its own Relay. BC is the smallest college/university in the Southeast Division (North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia) to hold a Relay. BC is up against Duke, Clemson, and UNC, just to name a few.

Our entire campus community should be aware of this unique event. We are extending an invitation to friends, family, and community members to visit our campus and see what college students can do to help others. If you aren't a member of a team, there is a \$3 entry fee, \$5 if you want a t-shirt. All proceeds go to the American Cancer Society. Questions? Comments? Call or email Lindsay at 966-5404 or shieldlm@hermes.brevard.edu.



APRIL 12-13 6pm-10am BC Track

ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE: (as of March 28, 2002)

5pm: Dinner served trackside
6pm: Kick-off, survivor lap
7pm: BC Jazz Ensemble
9pm: luminary ceremony
11pm: friends of Senatobia
12 midnight: free midnight snack
served trackside

1am: Senatobia 6:30am: Christian Raxter

7:30am: yoga in front of entertain-

ment tent

8am: free breakfast served trackside

9am: awards

AWARDS:

Most Money Raised, Individual Most Money Raised, Team Limbo Contest Best Dressed Campsite Most Creative Theme

TEAM CAPTAINS:

Carter Bosquet- basketball
Abbie Burroughs- ODK
Elise Reynolds- Team Hawaii
Karen Faircloth- Dimensions
Dustin Free- men's soccer
Maria Fuentes- international
students
Laura Magnuson- Student Ambas-

Kathryn Mullins- Campus Life

Kim Pates softball

Kim Pate- softball Kate Wiley- English majors