

Community News:

The Appalachian Trail

Jon Obst

"Those who hike the trail should approach it with respect and adequate preparation."

The Appalachian Trail is a vast bastion of early American wildness. It is a place where one can have an adventure and experience the beauty and dangers of land never altered by the logging industry and human development. Streams in many areas of the trail are fresh and the forest is mature, full of trees taller than those found in neighboring areas that had been logged around the turn of the century. SEE FULL ARTICLE page E 2

2004 SGA Election Results after a Disjunctive Forum

Peregrine Falcons in the Pisgah: No Longer Endangered, but still Sensitive

Asheville's Favorite Music Venue

Men's and Women's Basketball Falls Short

Asheville's Favorite Music Venue:

The Orange Peel

Kasey Eldridge Years ago, The Orange Peel was known as a soul club that used to hold sold-out concerts featuring the industry's best R&B musical acts. Now the club has been renovated from an old vacant warehouse back into a place of music and entertainment.



The Orange Peel at night.

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Coffee Culture Permeates Brevard.

Joel Graham

In 1971 Starbuck's coffee company opened its first location in Seattle's Pike Place Market. It wasn't until 1993 that the first east coast Starbucks opened in Washington D.C. Today the coffee shop giant is spread all over the world in a thin, foamy layer totaling 7,225 retail locations. SEE FULL ARTICLE page E4

So why is it that Brevard, of all places, has six coffee shops, all within a mile radius?"

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