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## Homecoming weekend

By Ginny Marble STAFF WRITER

The weather was perfect for Homecoming weekend, and folks all over campus emerged from their rooms, Bauman, and the library to check out the festivities, joining returning alumni.

Arlo Guthrie was a big hit on Friday night, drawing a crowd of people from all over the area. "He was hilarious, both through his songs and his story-telling," said senior Rise Hunter. "Alice's Restaurant' was really good."

"The best part was his scathing remarks about outsourcing and the downfall of Guilford," added alumnus Ben Newlin.

The warm and sunny temperature on Saturday afternoon brought many people to the football game, though others watched the men's soccer team play their last home game. "I was surprised at how many people turned out for the football game," commented senior Kelly White. "I also thought it was great that we had a band."

Alumni athletes were invited to participate in baseball and men's lacrosse games. Senate members scrambled around campus in attempts to sell Homecoming T-shirts and glow-in-the-dark-cups Guilford fans.

On Saturday night, Guilford students piled into vans or cars and drove to the Millennium Center in Winston-Salem for the Pre-Millennium party put on by Adam Gillis. The party had been talked about and highly anticipated for weeks beforehand. "I had a good time. The music was awesome and everyone seemed to be in good spirits that night," said senior Rob Somera.

Sophomore Sara Nees added: "By the time I got there [at 2:30 a.m.], the place was re

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## tudents disrupt meeting



Students discuss what to do about McNemar's bookstore decision.

By Larissa Deckert STAFF WRITER

At 9:30 a.m. on October 27, 45 students on a mission met on the steps of Founders Hall.

They planned to settle themselves in silence in President Don of a series of three meetings Please see **Bookstore**, page 2

McNemar's lobby before his scheduled 10:15 meeting with Follett representative Jerry Sullivan and Chief Financial Officer Art Gillis, "a meeting we were specifically not invited to," says Amy Rouse, one of the protesters. The meeting was a part

about the future operations of the bookstore. Sullivan also met with bookstore manager Betsy Johnson, textbook coordinator Pam Henry, and a concerned member of the faculty.

The group of students

## Ed Lowe hosp

By Peter Morsheck STAFF WRITER

Some people carry themselves in an aura of love and kindness, leaving their mark behind them wherever they go. Asked to write a story on one such person this week, I interviewed many, only to be met by a collage of smiles, tears, and stories. Almost all stories started the same way, "My words can't do him justice...'

Ed Lowe, former Guilford College Choir Director and faculty leader of the Munich semester, damaged his Achilles' tendon while stepping off a train four weeks ago. On Tues., Oct. 12, he entered a hospital in Munich for surgery.

While there, Lowe contracted bacterial meningitis. Since Monday, October 15th, he has been in intensive care. Since October 17, he has been under sedation to prevent unnecessary movement which could put undue pressure on his swollen brain.

Meningitis is a bacterial infection or inflammation of the

thin membranes that cover the brain and spinal cord. It is generally contracted by bacterial infection in another part of the body or a head injury, such as a fractured skull, which allows the infection to enter.

While the disease is serious

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