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BRYAN HALL HAS BEEN EQUIPPED WITH KEY-CARD GATES AT EVERY ENTRANCE.

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### First-Year Class

Guilford's 2007 first-year class is the largest in the school's history, with 450 freshmen accounting for 31% of the traditional student population. This year Guilford's pool of applicants reached a record high of nearly 3,500. Of the less than 60% accepted, 23% chose to enroll.

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Members of Dark Tide and the Pulsating Rosewater Secession perform for a packed audience at the Underground during a Campus Activities Board-sponsored concert starting at 9 p.m. on Aug. 23.

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I'm going to attempt to pass on my hard-won (and dubiously named) wisdom to the next generation. As I've clawed my way up the collegiate hierarchy, a few lessons have been branded into my Foucault-saturated brain ...

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Wikipedia, the "Free Encyclopedia," has turned average Internet users into encyclopedia editors, allowing anyone to edit Wikipedia pages as they see fit. This editing ability can lead to abuse. Wikiscanner may be the remedy.

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### Sex Change

For transsexual and transgendered citizens of Brazil, as well as gay activists everywhere, Aug. 22 was a good day. A federal court ruled that sex-reassignment operations are covered under the state's free health care system.

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### Peter Latimer

Armed with a forceful Callaway 5T3 driver and a YES Tracy II putter, Latimer took the course for the Royal Dornoch Golf Carnegie Shield Tournament finals Aug. 11 in his native Scotland. After a close match, he captured the victory on the 17<sup>th</sup> hole.

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Peter Latimer, Sophomore

"Peter makes me want to work even harder to be victorious in tournaments"

Liam McGowan

## THE GUILFORDIAN

The Guilfordian is the editorially independent student newspaper of Guilford College. The Guilfordian exists to provide a high-quality, reliable, informative and entertaining forum for the exchange of ideas, information and creativity within Guilford College and the surrounding community.

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