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Weather

Thursday	Friday
Nov. 5	Nov. 6
High 56	High 54
Low 32	Low 34
sunny	sunny

Source: The Weather Channel

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Photo by Haley Doolittle

Jordan Traylor's jersey was retired and presented to his family. Pictured (L-R) are sister Julia Traylor, mother Trish Traylor, brother Luke Traylor, and father Cliff Traylor.

by Andrew Veeder
Sports Editor

With the number 16 adorning the Gardner-Webb soccer field, the men's team honored their fallen teammate Jordan Traylor during the Bulldog's senior night on Saturday. The Bulldogs lost to Appalachian State 4-2.

Head coach Tony Setzer, along with President Frank Bonner, and Chuck Burch, officially retired the number 16 jersey that Traylor wore during his 2003-2004 tenure as a Gardner-Webb Bulldog.

"I'm happy with the effort of the guys, we probably got a little stretched and when

we got down, we pan-icked a little bit," said Setzer. "This loss isn't the end of the world but it isn't what we wanted to happen tonight."

John Sargent scored in the 10th minute to give the Bulldogs an early lead on his 41th goal of the year. However, the Mountaineers bounced back in the next minute to level the affair.

The game remained tied at 1-1 going into halftime yet the tides were changing in favor of the Mountaineers.

With senior defender Jordan Gaines on the ground due to an injury, Appalachian State was able to capitalize on the GWU team playing a man down as forward Ty-

ler Reagan found the back of the net to put GWU in a 2-1 deficit.

The physical aspect of the game dramatically changed after the controversial goal, as a yellow card was given to a player of each team. However, GWU gave up two more goals before the evening was over.

Despite being down 4-1, the Runnin' Bulldogs gave it their all in the closing minutes. Jovan Ivanovich found the back of the net with a header in the 74th minute to make the game 4-2, the final score. Sophomore Richie Wall assisted the goal.

The Gardner-Webb men's soccer team will be traveling to take the field against Friday against USC Spartanburg at 7 p.m.

Professor lectures on upcoming book

by Diana Palka
Pilot Staff Writer

On October 28th Gardner-Webb's own Dr. Joseph Webb presented over five years of personal research in a lecture entitled Bob Woodward and Deep Throat: The Evidence for a Great American Literary Hoax.

The lecture was a part of the Joyce Compton Brown Lecture Series, a scholarly series named after retired English professor, Dr. Joyce Compton Brown.

Webb's presentation sought to debunk the alleged underground parking garage meetings between Washington Post reporter Bob Woodward and the recently identified Mark Felt, or Deep Throat.

Webb was working for a newspaper in the 70's when the Watergate scandal occurred and its coverage quickly dominated the media.

"I mean I was there, that's when I got interested in who Deep Throat was... I was a

reporter in the 1970's... and I was an investigative reporter like they were," Webb said.

In the recent past, Webb has spent countless hours researching the topic because it simply didn't seem right to him.

"The story didn't make sense... the way they made sense, and so you know, I've worked on it a long time over the years..." he said.

"And like many others I came to the conclusion that there was no Deep Throat. He was not a character. He was a composite character. He was a character they

made up to put a lot of information that came from different places."

Webb's research was not done in vain. In fact, he has molded his research into a book and is currently deciding between publishers.

"The book is done... the manuscript is in the process of working on a publisher now," he said.

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Whitney Stroup waves while riding in the Homecoming Parade on Saturday.