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Rams

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Darryl Hardy describes one of the "new kids" on the Rams Basketball Team, Michael Broadnax.

"A winner! He comes to practice everyday ready to play. He serves as an important ambassador of the team and campus," says Coach Samuel Hanger, head coach of Ram basketball.

Broadnax, a junior, is a little on the shy side until he reaches the basketball court. This is when he steps up to show the coaches and fans that he is here to play and he means business. "I will play hard to do what I can to win the game," Broadnax said.

The stats show that he has proved himself to be a reliable shooter and rebounder. He started the season being one of the teams highest scorers and rebounders. He is now averaging 3.9 rebounds a game, 10.3 points per game, and playing 20.9 minutes a game.

Otis Attucks, co-captain, says, "he's a good player and a good asset to our

team. But he hasn't been playing like he did at the beginning of the season. Yet he could become all conference CIAA."

When asked if he has enjoyed his experience here at WSSU he answered, "I love it here! I like the whole coaching staff. I like listening to Coach Hangers's philosophies. At first I thought with all the new faces that we all weren't going to get along, but we all get along. The only I thing I dislike are the practices, but I guess everyone hates that!"

This psychology major from Eden transferred to WSSU after playing for Gardner Webb University in Bowling Springs, NC. "I did not like the basketball program, and I always wanted to go to a black university. Besides, my sister went here," stated Broadnax.

He hopes to help the team reach the CIAA Championship, "I want to win a ring." Graduating from Winston Salem State is also high on the list of priorities.

National Condom Day Set for Valentine's Day

The American Social Health Association (ASHA), will sponsor National Condom Day on Valentine's Day, Feb. 14, reminding couples to "love responsibly" by protecting one another's sexual health.

Among types of condoms, the male latex condom is considered the most effective in preventing STDs. The female condom, which is made of polyurethane,

is also considered very effective for STD prevention. A male polyurethane condom is now available, although its effectiveness against STDs is still being tested. Natural membrane condoms are not recommended for STD prevention.

Free, confidential information about STDs is available through the National STD Hotline, operated by ASHA, at 800-227-8922.

Ask WillaMay

Need some advice but don't feel comfortable asking your man, your woman, your friends, your instructor or your parents? Well, just ask WillaMay! I feel your pain and confidentiality is my middle name.

Look for my new advice column starting in the March Issue of The News Argus. When you see WillaMay's

Healing Boxes, at various locations on campus, submit your problems or concerns. Don't wait! Drop in your questions today!

Meachum Enjoys Performing For People

BY KESHA BOWDEN
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Perhaps you heard him bellowing Tracy Chapman's "Behind the Wall" during the Homecoming Music Fest sponsored by the Sophomore Class? Or you remember him as one of the emcees at Miss WSSU's Coronation? Or maybe you heard him play his guitar?

Can't figure out who this is? Give up?

Well, its Lorenzo Meachum, a member of the Department of English and Foreign Languages' faculty. A three year veteran to the faculty, he teaches speech and English classes here at WSSU.

Born on Sept 21, Meachum who was nicknamed "Logie" by his eldest brother who could not pronounce Lorenzo, is considered to be "a terrific teacher" by students who have taken his classes.

Before joining WSSU's faculty, he has graced stages "from Maine to Miami, from California to the Carolina" performing in such classics as "Ain't Misbehavin'," "Quiet in the Land" and "Piano Lesson." Currently, Meachum is working on the play "Pearly Victorious" which will open in late March in Greensboro.

He has been "twice blessed" with performing talent. He also has a powerful singing voice. He was an opening act for singer Buddy Guy and has toured with the Hot Ash Band.

When asked what advice he



Lorenzo Meachum

would like to share with WSSU students, he said, "When you wake up in the morning, run."

The story goes that "in the jungle, in order to survive the lion knows he must run faster than the slowest gazelle. So as soon as he wakes up in the morning he starts running. When the gazelle wakes up in the morning he knows in order to survive he must run faster than the fastest lion. So when he wakes up in the morning he starts to run." In other words, he feels his students must be the gazelles. In order for them to be successful they must work harder in all their endeavors than the hardest working person.

Meachum also said he wants "WSSU students to realize that the most important part of WSSU is the U. This school belongs to the students and for U to make a difference U must get involved."

Roseboro Steps Down

WSSU Media Relations News Release

Albert L. Roseboro, Winston-Salem State University athletic director, has announced plans to step down from his position later this year.

Roseboro informed Chancellor Alvin J. Schexnider of his decision in a letter recently. Roseboro will serve in his current position until June 30.

In accepting Roseboro's resignation,

Schexnider thanked him for his 24 years of service to Winston-Salem State University.

"Mr. Roseboro has had the rare opportunity to serve his alma mater as a student-athlete, coach, member of the faculty and athletic director. These roles have enabled him to help shape our intercollegiate athletics program. Simply put, we are grateful," Schexnider said.

