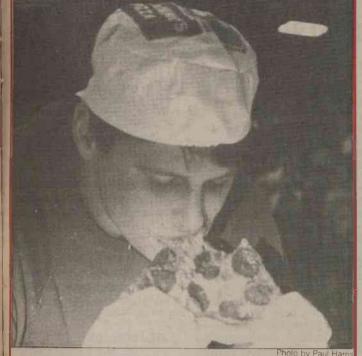


# The Pendulum

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VSOE



### Domino's Delivers

Billy Chenault of Kappa Sigma munches out on pepperoni pizza when his fraternity competed against Sigma Pi in a pizza eating contest that began on Feb. 2 during halftimes at the basketball games. That Saturday Tau Kappa Epsilon defeated Sigma Phi Epsilon, but lost the championship the following week to Sigma Pi. For the women. Phi Mu lost to Alpha Sigma Alpha, The Munch Bunch Moffitt has beat Zeta Tau Alpha, and lost the championship to Alpha Sig. Each person on the winning team won a large pizza and T-shirts while the team was awarded a plaque.

#### **By Loukia Louka Staff Writer**

After a five year struggle, on Feb. 1, WSOE finally became a 500-watt station. Having suffered numerous financial and technical setbacks over the past year, the station has been rolling along smoothly now for a couple of weeks. "It's unbelievable," says WSOE advisor Gerald Gibson. "Without any kind of public notice in the newspapers, the listener response is unbelievable. The first Saturday we were on the air at 500 watts, someone did a shift that was nothing but requests.

"We have a Big Band show, and in two years, that announcer had one request. The other night he was on, and he got five phone calls, and one was from a manufacturing plant here in town that had the station on over the PA system.'

More than 100,000 people are in WSOE's listening area. The station has been picked up on the west side of Greensboro; previously, it was difficult to pick up WSOE a mile from the station.

WSOE Assistant Manager Charles Bruce, noting new restrictions on the announcers

#### 'It's great to be heard!'

said, "We have a larger and different audience to consider in programming. The DJs are thrilled with the response to the station, so each DJ can have a greater potential to please the audience.

"I hate to keep using the word 'phenomenal'," Gibson said, "but phenomenal is the work that went into building the station. Bob Goodman, our engineer and Broddy Fitch, now with T.D. Miller Company and formerly WBAG's engineer, hooked up the new equipment, tested it, and put up the power. We sound technically as good or better than any other station."

WSOE will soon be broadcasting Elon basketball games. Gibson hopes to get professors to use the station by having them assign projects on tape. This, he said, would especially benefit music students, who could listen to projects, instead of writing them down.

"People are turning down on the dial." Gibson said, referring to the station's 89.3 FM frequency. "They have to look for us because we are all the way down, but there are people out there. It's almost scary. It's great."

## Fundraiser began this week Phonathon has goal of \$100,000

#### **By Margaret Caldwell**

Staff Writer The fifth annual phonathon s underway in the Chandler Hall multi-purpose room under the direction of Jerry Tolley, director of annual funds and the assistant direction of Mike Langone.

The phonathon began Monday and will continue through March 8. Tolley said that if things moved smoothly and all

alumni, parents and friends "Great Alumni Challenge." solicitations will be over by March 1

Phone calls are being made Sunday through Thursday nights 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. and Saturday mornings 9 a.m. to noon. This year the goal on behalf of the Annual Fund has been set for \$100,000.

were contacted, he hopes the The two phonathon teams represent alumni and will challenge them in hopes of getting more donations. The teams and the organizations that provide team members will be competing for prizes.

The Maroon team represents the Grand Old Time Alumni, those graduating before 1968. A new feature this year is the The team consists of these;

Koren Welzant, captain for Tri-Sigma; Jane Beard, captain for Phi Mu, Pam Sellew, captain for ZETA; Carlton Jarratt, cap-tain for Kappa Sigma; and Mary Eubanks, captain for the Black Cultural Society.

The Gold team represents the Younger Time Alumni, graduates after 1968. These representatives include Diane McSheehy, captain of The Stu-

dent Government Association: Bob Moser, captain for Sigma Pi; P.J. Haviland, captain for Tau Kappa Epsilon, P.J. Skip Lewis, captain for ROTC: and Nancy Moreton, captain for the New Area.

The teams are competing for the prize of a steak dinner. The organizations are also competing for the prize of a trip to Myrtle Beach for spring break.



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