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## THIS WEEK

■ If you are graduating, dropping to less than six, or not returning to Elon after May and have also taken out a Stafford or SLS loan anytime you have attended Elon, you are required to attend Exit Loan Counseling. Two sessions are scheduled for Tuesday at 2:30 and 3:30 p.m. in Yeager Recital Hall.

■ Tonight, Zeta Tau Alpha is sponsoring a "Greek Man of the Year" contest. The contest begins at 8 p.m. in Whitley Auditorium.

■ On Saturday, the Admissions office is running a visitation day for prospective high school students.

■ On Saturday, SUB is sponsoring a video dance in Harper Center Lounge at 9 p.m.

■ On Sunday, the men's lacrosse team plays at Washington - Lee. The game begins at 2:30 p.m.

■ The Music Department Gala show will be held on Wednesday in the Fine Arts Theater at 8:00 p.m.

■ Thursday is the last day to enter the Intramural Body Building Contest.

■ The next S.G.A. meeting will be held on Thursday at 5 p.m. in the Senate Room of Long Student Center.

■ Dr. James David Barber, author of *The Presidential Politics* and *The Pulse of Politics* will speak at Elon on Thursday at 8 p.m. in the Fine Arts Theatre.

## THE PAST

**Two Years Ago:** The Smithereens performed at Elon on April 3, 1980.

**Fifteen Years Ago:** On December 1, 1977, approximately 100 Elon students and faculty members rode nearly 2,700 miles on stationary bicycles in an effort to raise money for the North Carolina Easter Seal Project. Nearly 400 members of Greek organizations participated in the fund raising effort.

# Elon mourns a loss



Dean Ron Klepcyk solemnly greets mourners at the memorial service Tuesday.

## Charity Apple The Pendulum

Friends, professors, and classmates want to remember Chad Edward Macy as a friendly, out-going person, who always stopped to say hello.

Macy's academic and Elon 101 advisor, Nancy Harris, said, "Even after Elon 101 was over

this fall, he would go out of his way to wave or yell my name if he saw me on campus."

Many professors described Macy as cooperative, competitive, and an excellent student.

Becky House, coordinator for tutorial services, and his English professor, said, "He seemed to be the All-American kid. It just made me sick to hear what happened."

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## Freshman killed in car accident

Murray Glenn  
The Pendulum

The Elon College police department believes alcohol and excessive speed were factors in the accident that took the life of an Elon College freshman.

Chad Edward Macy, 18, from Pompano Beach, Florida died early Sunday morning as a result of a massive head trauma incurred from a single car accident on West Trollinger Avenue.

"We will receive the blood alcohol content report from the medical examiners office at the start of the week," said Dan Ingle, chief of the Elon College Police Department. "This is the first student fatality (Alcohol - Related) that I recall since I have been here."

According to police reports, the accident occurred at 2:30 a.m. while Macy and Barrett Frain were traveling west on West Trollinger Ave. The car ran off the right side of the road and overturned. It came

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Macy was a member of the football team, on an academic scholarship, dean's list and recently accepted a bid from Kappa Sigma fraternity at Elon. He was a 1991 graduate of Cardinal Gibbons High School in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where he was a member of the National Honor Society and played football, baseball and

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## Commencement speaker: ABC's Bettina Gregory

Kristin C. Blass  
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ABC news correspondent Bettina Gregory will deliver the commencement address at Elon College on May 23. The program will begin at 10:30 a.m.

The selection process began in the Fall, when Dr. Warren Board, Vice President and Provost, held a student interest meeting.

Students brainstormed on speakers suitable for the big day. A female journalist received the popular vote.



Bettina Gregory

who could speak about their futures - not just a topic," said Pat Kinney, director of public information. "Commencement is a beginning, and seniors need advice for starting their independent lives."

Gregory and other journalists were pursued. Gregory's response was most enthusiastic, and was given the honor, according to Kinney.

As a world-renowned correspondent, Gregory has covered the Challenger accident, the terrorist explosion of Pan-Am flight 102,

and the royal wedding of Prince Charles and Lady Diana.

As ABC News White House correspondent, she covered President Carter's re-election campaign and the Iran crisis. She reported on the hostage situation for World News Tonight, Good Morning America, and Nightline.

Gregory has been honored with the Women in Communications Clarion Award, the Women at Work Broadcast Award, the National News Award and the Front Page Award for her work as an investigative reporter.

"Students desired a person