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CALENDAR

NOV. 1

Sand mandala construction begins

8 A.M. Numen Lumen Pavilion

Elon Innovation Challenge idea pitch 6 P.M

Lakeside Hall

NOV. 2

Student juried art exhibition

5:30 P.M. Isabella Cannon Room

'Hello Dolly!'

7:30 P.M. McCrary Theatre

NOV. 3

Physics and engineering egg drop competition

3:30 P.M. McMichael Science Center

NOV. 4

Alpha Kappa Alpha backpack drive

8:30 A.M. African American Resource Room

Homecoming concert headlined by Jon Bellion 8 P.M.

Colonnades Lot

NOV. 7

Social impact career fair 3:30 P.M.

McKinnon Hall Strategies for Success: Returned student panel

5:30 P.M. Global Commons

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CORRECTIONS

On Page 1 of the Oct. 25 edition of The Pendulum, the teaser for the sports section said the men's soccer team has qualified for the play-offs. In fact, they still had to play a game to decide if they would make the playoffs. The Pendulum regrets the error.

GAMES

FOR RELEASE NOVEMBER 1, 2017

Los Angeles Times Daily Crossword Puzzle

Edited by Rich Norris and Joyce Lewis

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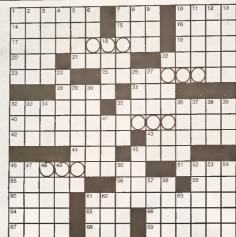
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THIS WEEK IN HISTORY - NEW MASCOT SELECTION



This week in 1999, President Lambert named a 15-member task force to rename Elon University's mascot. The committee consisted of staff, students and faculty to voice their opinons and share their ideas about moving away from the

ideas about moving away from the mascot "the Fighting Christians." The committee's first meeting was scheduled for Nov. 4, 1999. They asked for student input online

The decision to change the mascot was not popular for some at first.

Dr. Alan White, Co-director of athletics said, "There were some concerns and questions about why we are doing this."

Columnist listed under the name "A.F.C. Forever" aired grievances in the November 4, 1999 edition of the Pendulum, expressing concern about changing the face of the school.

"I am writing to express my absolute shock and dismay at the announcement to abandon the nickname and mascot of the Fighting Christians and the likely reason behind it," A.F.C. Forever wrote.

White said he hopes there will be a positive reaction when the mascot is finally changed.

"I hope there will be a cam-pus-wide celebration on that day," said White. "We would possibly give out T-shirts or new mementos with the new logo.

Elon University's to be The Fighting Christian, until

MASCOT CHANGE

mascot used President Leo Lambert decided it was time for a change.

NEWS BRIEFS

Reaccreditation advised for School of Communications

An accreditation team representing the Accrediting Council on the the Accrediting Council on the Education in Journalism and Mas Communications (ACEJMC) has recommended the School of Communications full reaccreditation,

In a 55-page report, the team praise the school for its ability to "adapt nimb to the demands of a digital, multimedia world of communication,

Prior to making their reccomendation, the team spen multiple days meeting communication students and faculty members, touring the school's facilities and visiting classes

The ACEJMC team described the School of Communications as student-centered, visionary, high tech, innovative, forward-thinking and more. They were impressed with the diverse student body and award winning faculty.

Students set grape-picking record on local farm

Elon University students Brianna Goulding and Gabriele Shaw pick 30 pounds of grapes in less than an hour during the "Big Pick" event the Guilford County Farm.

"It was actually really fun," Goulding said. "Even though it was kind of a gloomy day out, it was fun to experience it and we learned a lot."

The event was for the public to help the farm donate grapes to local fool banks, and send the grapes to make a grape festival to make wine. Everyone was invited to help pick grapes of the 300 vines and 600 acres. The two students didn't know by serving that they would be setting a record.

MBA named nation's 4th 'best administered' program

The Princeton Review ranked Elon University's Martha and Spencer Love School of Business MBA program the fourth "best administered" program.

The Princeton Review annually ranks the nations' colleges based on

school data and surveys.

Elon's business school is also included among Princeton's 267 best business and schools and the 64 best business schools in the southeast region

Sand mandala 'for peace and healing construction begins

Beginning Nov. 1, Tibetan Buddhist monks will begin constructing a sand mandala in the Numen Lumen Pavilion for the purpose of promoting healing and peace. The process will take three days to complete.

Members of the Flor University

Members of the Elon University community are encouraged to stop by and observe the mandalas stop by and observe the manualear progress beginning at 9 A.M. on Wednesday, continuing until 3 P.M. Friday, Nov. 3, at which point a closing ceremony will be held.

The monks will deconstruct the mandala during the closing ceremony and distribute the sand to the community and earth. The

to the community and earth. The deconstruction is meant to serve as a lesson in non-attachment.