

The Lobotomy Review:

Popularity of condoms at Guilford leads to extinction of rubber tree

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Have you ever tried to buy tires for your car? Do you have 250 extra dollars? No? Me either. And you know why? Condoms.

Guilford students' use of condoms has driven the latex market to dizzying heights that are impossible to support. Guilford's core value of free love has led to condoms becoming more popular than pants, socks, and baseball caps combined.

Look at our school newspaper for instance. The health center decided to restrict the number of condoms given out on a daily basis in order to protect the dwindling rubber tree populations of South America, and the newspaper (the student body) was up in arms immediately. There is a major inconsistency here that our campus is unwilling to address. Why aren't we willing to have unprotected sex in order to save the rubber trees?

Why should we even care about the rubber trees? What about biodiversity? None of this matters as long as we get our condoms. The advent of the "Rusty Trombone," the "Jackson Pollack," and the "Rodeo" as sexual practices have resulted

in the use of multiple condoms for every one sexual act engaged in by Guilford students. Just think about it: there are abstinent people in China that can't even use one condom and here we are using seven for every sexual escapade. The rubber-tree god will never forgive us for this.

The government on the other hand is engaging in a major cover-up of this conspiracy. They would have us believe that rubber trees are not extinct and that the latex industry is actually quite healthy. Why then, Mr. Politician, do tires for my car cost upwards of 250 dollars? Pound for pound I can buy that much crack for cheaper and crack is illegal.

I would never have discovered this problem if it weren't for Guilford College's overcrowded housing situation. Thanks to this lack of space, many Guilford students have been forced to move far away from campus. Off-campus housing has led to a huge increase in driving, thus adding wear to tires. And when tires wear, students are forced to buy new ones, which is exactly what happened to me only a month ago. No big deal right? Wrong! You see, before safe sex, tires were cheaper than a hand job

from a crack whore. But in today's economy I can't even think about new tires without turning some tricks myself.

I blame Guilford. The administration won't take a stand against condom use because they are in bed with the liberal media, and the liberal media won't take a stand because they are in bed with the Government. The Government, in turn, is in cahoots with the latex industry, and the latex industry doesn't care about saving the rubber trees as long as they can make a buck off their extinction. Here is an issue where Guilford students could make a difference. We lead the world in the consumption of condoms. If we could only stop that consumption, the rubber trees might survive.

Everyone's in bed with everyone else on this issue which might help explain why everyone thinks condoms are so important. No one is looking out for the rubber trees, and the rubber trees (if there are any left) are rooted to the ground so they can't climb in the bed. It's time for Guilford students to take a stand—to commit ourselves to unprotected sex.

"Copulate!" the government seems

to be telling us, but make sure to use a condom. Who'd have thunk that these fear tactics are supporting the systematic slaughter of rubber trees? Furthermore, educated people seem to be those most set on safe sex, but while they are promoting it, they seem to be slowly disappearing. Through a commitment to unprotected sex we could save the rubber trees; but at the same time, educated people would start reproducing and having smart babies. Folks, we could save the world if we weren't so damn scared of VD.

VD is the big bad wolf of college life, and the big bad wolf won't let you go out to play in the wild woods of unprotected intercourse. But if there is one thing that we all should have learned in kindergarten, it's that the big bad wolf doesn't exist. That's right, VD is just a figment of your imagination, an invention of the latex industry to have you buy their little rubber socks.

Don't get sucked into the hype. The liberal media wants you to believe that without condoms the world is lost. Fight back. Sow your wild oats. This is college, dammit!

Senate Corner

BY TIM SCALES | SENATE PRESIDENT

This week, Senate approved a proposal for a group of students to travel down to Georgia to participate in the annual School of the Americas vigil.

Each year, a contingent of Guilford students take part in this major demonstration against the SOA (recently renamed the Western Hemisphere Institute for Security Cooperation), a U.S. military organization that has been accused of major human rights violations. In the past, this trip has been funded by the campus chapter of Amnesty International, an international human rights organization.

However, this year, neither Amnesty International nor GANe (the Guilford Action Network, an activist organization) are clubs. No one stepped in to take over club leadership after several very involved students graduated, and thus the clubs have become defunct.

For a college at which we pride ourselves on our commitment to social activism, this is disappointing. If we are to maintain our reputation for being a school that's "hot for social conscience," we need organizations to help encourage and support student activist efforts.

That being said, there is now a void in student clubs for an organization focused specifically on student activism. If anyone is interested in re-starting one of these clubs, or founding a new club dedicated to organizing students around social causes, I encourage you to do so. Come talk to Senate, and we'll help you get that process started.

As always, I encourage you to bring to Senate any issues, concerns and suggestions you might have. We meet every Wednesday night at 7:00 p.m. in Boren Lounge.

Finally, if you are planning on submitting a proposal this semester, please turn it in to Senate by 5:00 p.m. on Nov. 15. Due to time constraints, proposals received after this date won't be reviewed until next semester. For more information, please email senate@guilford.edu.

CORRECTION

Last week's article, "Gilbert Awards honor initiative," incorrectly identified assistant professor of English Heather Hayton as "the Gilbert Award director." In actuality, the awards are administered under the direction of Irene Harrington, Director of Career and Community Learning.

The Guilfordian regrets the error.

The Guilfordian strives for accuracy in its reporting. Please report any mistakes to Editor-in-Chief Matt Haselton at mhaselto@guilford.edu

Forevergreen will be

screening "An

Inconvenient Truth," the

'hottest' movie of the summer.

There will be wholesome
discussion and exciting
refreshments afterwards. All

are welcome, so come see

Al Gore do his thing!

Thursday November
30th at 7 P.M.

Bryan Jr. Auditorium

an inconvenient truth

A GLOBAL WARNING