

# Campus Y to sponsor debate on Iraq in April

Leaders looking to foster dialogue

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With each passing day seemingly drawing the United States closer to armed conflict with Iraq, the Campus Y is planning a large, unbiased campus debate in early April about the crisis.

UNC's campus recently has been marked by many demonstrations and protests against the war but little informed debate, said Virginia Carson, director of the Campus Y.

"The quality of dialogue on the war is not very good," Carson said. "You tend to get the extreme positions and lack of a constructive dialogue about the real issues."

The Campus Y officially opposes war without the support of the United Nations, but the debate will not be focused on advocating any particular stance, said David Angeles, co-president of the Campus Y.

"(The Campus Y) is making sure there's a good debate," he said. "Students need to know both sides — the pros and cons of war. And they need to know the responsibility

America has in going to war." The possibility that war will break out soon has increased the need for well-reasoned and informed dialogue on campus, Carson said. "Everybody's sort of apprehensive that we're going to be dropping bombs in the next few days," she said.

Even if President Bush declares war in the next few days, the issues examined by the Campus Y will not disappear, Carson said.

She said the debate's format will be flexible enough to address whatever issues come to the forefront of the Iraq conflict.

The debate is still in the early planning stages, but the idea is supported by many UNC officials, including Chancellor James Moeser. The event probably will occur April 2 during the Campus Y's Human Rights Week.

Speakers have not been chosen yet, but organizers want the Dialectic and Philanthropic Societies, student-run debating organizations, to moderate the event. "Debating is what they do,"

Angeles said. "They will put both sides of the issue out there. We want to make sure this is legitimate."

The Dialectic and Philanthropic Societies are excited to participate in an event so crucial to today's political situations, said Geoff Wessel, president pro tem of the organizations' Joint Senate.

"This is the sort of thing that really needs to be done," he said. "Not just a debate, but information in general about Iraq. It's something everyone in a democratic system should know about before we go around killing people."

The event has been difficult to plan because the situation with Iraq is dynamic, volatile and difficult to predict, but the event will be held regardless of the developments that arise, Carson said.

She said, "There's a legitimate issue both in war and peace as to the U.N. and (America's) relationship with it."

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# Speech marks declaration of war

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Experts say that Saddam Hussein likely will not comply with President Bush's ultimatum and that military operations will commence in the next seven to 10 days.

Bush addressed the nation Monday night on broadcast television, announcing a 48-hour deadline for Hussein and his sons to leave Iraq.

Bush said that once time is up, military action will begin to disarm Iraq and remove Hussein from power.

Bush has outlined an ultimatum that is a declaration of war in all but name, said Tim McKeown, UNC professor of political science.

"There is no doubt about the purpose of this speech," he said.

McKeown said there is little doubt a war is imminent.

"The forces are there," he said. "They're prepared to do this."

Mark Crescenzi, also a professor of political science, said he will be surprised if Hussein complies with the ultimatum.

"We'll see the deadline come

and go without any regime change," he said.

Bush doesn't expect Hussein to "save himself" by complying with the ultimatum, said Richard Kohn, director of UNC's curriculum on peace, war and defense.

"I consider this his 'war speech,'" he said.

For the first time, Bush emphasized in his speech rebuilding a postwar Iraq rather than disarming the nation, Kohn said.

"(Bush's) speech was designed to prepare the American people for the war he intends to undertake," he said.

During his speech, Bush addressed the Iraqi people and tried to induce the military not to fight, use weapons of mass destruction or commit war crimes.

"Bush is correct to assume diplomacy has failed and is now focusing on a timetable and method for military action," Kohn said.

He said he doesn't think Bush will address the United States on television again unless it is to inform the public that a military

campaign has begun against Iraq. "This is his last justification for action," he said.

Crescenzi said he anticipates that Bush will not declare military action on Iraq immediately after the 48 hours have expired.

If Hussein does not meet Bush's terms, the United States will attack in the next seven to 10 days, Crescenzi said.

"We will attack when the conditions are right — the logistics," he said. "It will be night, and the weather has to be good."

Kohn said Bush also will try to wait until specialized troops are ready for combat and journalists and weapons inspectors have cleared out of Iraq.

Crescenzi said the U.N. Security Council could try to pass a resolution to prevent U.S. military action in the next few days. But he added that the United States and Great Britain would veto it. A U.N. resolution fails if it is vetoed by one permanent member of the council.

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## THE Daily Crossword

By Gerald R. Ferguson

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<b>ACROSS</b>	1 Otherwise	2 Scads	3 Lunar aspect	4 Cow's mate	5 Teasdale or Gilbert	6 Make lawn repairs	7 Morose	8 Take a dip	9 Cake cover	10 Gift	11 Owns	12 Maker's sticker	13 City near Rochester	14 Port on the Black Sea	15 Like a hermit	16 Walk heavily	17 Anthropology subject	18 Gift	19 Mother of Seth	20 Images in rev.	21 Grips	22 Decorative tree	23 Most avid	24 Consumers	25 "We the World"	26 Gift	27 Keenly per-													
	ceptive	St. Paul's architect	Birch or beech	Mexicali mister	Enticement	False witness	Idyllic gardens	San Antonio player	Abominable snowman	Republican symbol	Birthplace of St. Francis	Statutes	Window on a corbel	MacDill AFB city	Valued (at)	Be an audience loudmouth	City on the Irish River	Europe neighbor	Tune	Outskirts	Falls back	Remarkable thing	Disparaging	Remarkable thing	Dwelling	Farmer's	remark													
<b>DOWN</b>	1 Falls back	2 Remarkable thing	3 Disparaging	4 Republican symbol	5 Birthplace of St. Francis	6 Statutes	7 Window on a corbel	8 MacDill AFB city	9 Valued (at)	10 Be an audience loudmouth	11 Europe neighbor	12 Tune	13 Outskirts	14 Separate threads	15 Dwelling	16 Farmer's	17 Machine	18 ___ and kicking	19 Lugged	20 Church part	21 Funt's request	22 ___ of two Jima	23 Feeling of dread	24 Ship's record	25 City on the Irish River	26 Concluded	27 In that place	28 With frankness	29 Push or belly follower	30 Theater employees	31 Breadwinner	32 Singer Lou	33 Maple product	34 Foundation	35 Frosted	36 Cryptic character	37 South American country	38 Sandusky's lake	39 Comparable to a pin	40 Garr of "Tootsie"

## Attention May Graduates

Commencement Information Day  
Wednesday, March 19

Stop by between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.  
Multi-Purpose Room - Room 1505  
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### Intramural Sports

**INNERTUBE H2O BASKETBALL**  
• 7 Players  
• M, W, & Co-Rec  
Sign up: Mar. 3-Mar. 18

**ULTIMATE DISC TOURNAMENT**  
• One-day event: Sat., April 5  
• 7 Players  
• M, W, & Co-Rec  
Sign up: March 24-April 1

**SAND VOLLEYBALL 4's**  
• One-day event: Sun., April 6  
• 4 Players  
• M, W, & Co-Rec  
Sign up: March 24-April 1

Sign-up for ALL Sports & Events in 203 Woolen Gym. Call 843-PLAY for more information.

### Sport Club Spotlight

Modernextension's Spring Dance Concert will be held on Saturday, March 29th, and Sunday, March 30th, at 8 p.m. in the lower Women's Gym. Modernextension is a modern dance company on campus that has been providing UNC with professional level performances since 1988. This spring the concert will feature nine dances, eight student-choreographed and one choreographed by faculty sponsor Marian Turner Hopkins. The works vary in terms of style and music, featuring both contemplative, contained movement and fast, athletic movement. Tickets are \$6 for students, \$8 general admission, and will be on sale in the pit during the week of March 24th-28th. Please join us for an evening of beautiful dancing! For more information please contact Julia at [juliahh@email.unc.edu](mailto:juliahh@email.unc.edu)

### Sport Clubs

**Sport Club Action:**

**Saturday March 22**  
Women's Rugby vs. NC St. 1pm Hooker Fields  
Baseball vs. Wake Forest 11am Henry Anderson III Park

**Sunday March 23**  
Baseball vs. Wake Forest 11am Henry Anderson III Park

**Monday March 24**  
Roller Hockey 8pm Sportsplex  
Come out and show your support for UNC Sport Clubs!

### Student Recreation Center

#### TARGET FITNESS CHALLENGE

Saturday, March 29th, 10am at the SRC

**Overview:**  
Two divisions (men's & women's) and each team will consist of two people. Individual event winners will receive a t-shirt. Top combined team score entered to win a trip to National Competition at DISNEY'S WIDE WORLD OF SPORTS COMPLEX IN ORLANDO, FLORIDA!!

**Events:**  
ENDURANCE CHALLENGE (2 mile team relay)  
TUG OF WAR  
OBSTACLE COURSE (speed, agility, quickness)

**STUDENT RECREATION EMPLOYEE HIRING 2003**  
Employee Interest Meeting, March 24 & 25, 4PM, Fetzer 105  
Applications due March 28, 5PM

For more info, call 962-3301 or email [Imanglli@email.unc.edu](mailto:Imanglli@email.unc.edu). Register at the SRC Front Desk.

### Carolina Adventures

**Rock Climbing III - Linville Gorge**  
Date: April 17-20

**Description:**  
Whether you're a beginner wanting a taste of outdoor climbing or a veteran wanting to advance your skills, this weekend will provide plenty of opportunities for challenge! Linville Gorge "the Grand Canyon of the East" will provide a dramatic setting for an exciting weekend of top-rope climbing! Participants will learn the basics of setting up a safe belay system including anchors, how to place natural protection and rappelling. The varied routes of the "Chimneys" area allow you to practice on routes from 5.5 - 5.11.

**Pre-Trip Meeting:** 4/15, 7 P.M. OEC  
**Student/Staff:** \$120/160  
**Spaces Left:** 7

More info, go to: [www.campusrec.unc.edu/OEC/trips.html](http://www.campusrec.unc.edu/OEC/trips.html) or email: [dyeagan@email.unc.edu](mailto:dyeagan@email.unc.edu)

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Union multipurpose room

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