## Applications available for editor selection committee

STAFF REPORT

The Daily Tar Heel is now accepting applications for its edi-tor selection committee.

All students are eligible, except for those on the DTH staff.

Applications are available in the DTH office, located in the Student Union

Participants are required to attend a mandatory meeting March 18 that will last from 5 to 6 p.m

They are also required to attend a mandatory session on March 20

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money to retain and recruit some faculty members, we end up screw-ing everyone who stays here," he said.

Thompson also cited the increasing cost of health benefits as a factor contributing to discon-tent among the faculty who departed last year. Despite salary woes, faculty in

the English department are proud of the University and enjoy work-ing here, Thompson said.

In the Department of Biochemistry and Biophysics, faculty morale often is influenced by access to high-end equipment necessary to conduct research. In one case, the department was able to retain a faculty member by acquiring a \$1.5 million micro-

"Morale, overall, is very good, but salary is an issue," said depart-ment Chairman David Lee.

Morale in Lee's department has increased with the construction of new science facilities and the addition of several endowed professor-

ships. Many faculty and administrators acknowledge that UNC is one of many public universities suffering from tight state budgets.

from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The editor will be selected at

that meeting. The committee will interview all candidates. A decision will then be made by a consensus of committee members.

Those selected for the commit-tee will be notified by March 4. For more information, please contact DTH Editor Elyse Ashburn eashburn@email.unc.edu.

Ashburn can also be reached at 962-0750.

# POWWOW

merit from NCSSM

In this way, Akwe:kon uses the powwow to recruit American Indian students while educating people about American Indian tra-ditions and beliefs and attempting to demystify stereotypes, Liles said. But the event is also about fun.

"I love dancing," said Eric Walker, a dancer from the Haliwa-Saponi tribe in Hollister. Walker, who works in construc-

tion and landscaping, takes his dancing seriously. Besides practic-ing for three to four hours every day, he spends time on the road,

traveling to powwows. Participants described pow-wows as dances and social events in one. "You meet up with people you haven't seen in a while," said dancer Toni Barkasy from Eden. Most dancers arrived bedecked

### CANDIDATES

basis, I would miss about 50 people trying to get in touch with me," she said. "Plus, I don't think I could stand up for 24 hours." For Calabria, class has taken a back seat at times to BOE proceed-

ings. He and campaign manager Tre Jones both missed a philosophy exam Thursday and are waiting to

hear back from their professor. Calabria also had an exam moved until after the conclusion of

again because of the allegations. "It definitely makes you have to work a lot harder to manage any-

in elaborate traditional American Indian clothes, maintaining the tradition of wearing handmade garments. "It's one of our prides," said Barkasy, who wore a leather tunic she had sewn.

involved in many dances, partici-pants often learn them by watch-ing older dancers or videos from other powwows.

wows than just knowing the right steps. Dancers mentioned various forms of powwow etiquette, such as entering the dancing circle from the east gate and making a full cir-cle around the floor before exiting where they came in.

said they were caught completely off guard by the events that fol-lowed the runoff election.

"I feel like I'm kind of in a different place than I have ever been in my whole life," West said Friday. 'But I'm trying to think about the race as little as possible right now." Calabria noted campaigning was physically taxing, and recu-

peration time is essential. 'Campaigning like we have on campus is something that can not be maintained very long just ause it's full exertion."

But Calabria said the ordeal has been more difficult than the three weeks prior to the runoff election because he is not in control. "During the campaign everything is a mile a minute," he said. "Now everything is slower, but at the same time we're all very anxious."

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the planning stage until more funding is found. "Chapel Hill helped fund Phase 1 with the promise that Phase 2

would happen," he said. Again, indecision prevails in whether or not the time is right to ask for money from the state.

"The question is, 'Should we go to the General Assembly with this now?" Mayor Kevin Foy said. "I

say yes, but others wonder if the timing is right. "Hopefully, when we do, it will

be a Triangle-wide effort." Another recurring theme in the meeting was the need for more local option taxes to aid communi-

ties in raising money for things such as the TTA project. The council would like the

authority to impose small taxes on items such as gas and real estate

ence, saying that her group's peace-ful purposes made it unnecessary and disappointing. "Seeing police line up in front of us with billy clubs and guns ... was what was user unsertime to me

what was very upsetting to me, more than anything else," she said.

Despite this discontent, the assembly sparked few criminal

Capt. D.R. Lane, a district com-

mander for the Raleigh Police

Department, said five people were

arrested Sunday in connection with the event on "disorderly con-

duct-type charges." Lane added that he was not sur-

prised at the number of people who attended the event and that

the increased number of officers

incident

transfers. They also are consider-ing the viability of a local sales tax or fees for vehicle registration.

Sen. Ellie Kinnaird, D-Orange said that she thinks a statewide gas tax would not be well received but that one might work in Chapel Hill

Aside from the town's need for funding, the desire for other tax options stems from concern about the increase of property taxes in

Orange County. Strom said the only recourse for funding right now is to increase property taxes, putting a strain on longtime and needy residents.

Council members plan to meet with the area's state legislators sev-eral more times to finalize their requests before the General Assembly opens session May 10.

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personnel on hand," he said. "We did try to provide adequate staffing to make sure all citizens were afforded the ability to use their constitutional rights."

As the rally ended, so did the shouts of protesters, most of whom reserved their enmity for the National Socialist Movement members who left the Capitol on a bus provided for their safety. Matt Joyner, a Raleigh resident

and former N.C. State University student, surveyed the scene from behind his glittered face and rainbow clown wig and said he was disappointed in the extremes of both left and right.

"All the people here who say they're for free speech would chant, 'Shut the Nazis up," he said. "Td rather chant, 'Hear what they have to say."

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poetry collection Magdalena

"If others start looking for you, you also begin to feel liked and

### respected." JUDITH WEGNER, FACULTY COUNCIL Provost Robert Shelton released suggestions for increasing faculorale in October. In addition

to the improvements Lee noted, Shelton suggested more research support and improvements in base salary and benefits.

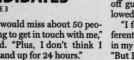
Some decisions to leave UNC involve factors outside the control of the University.

However, many common com-plaints among faculty members could be affected positively by increased funding from the state,

At the Faculty Council's Feb. 13 meeting, the council's executive board announced its intention to conduct a survey studying the cause of faculty departures

"We need to document what the roblems are and try to influence legislation," Wegner said.

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thing," he said. "But campaigns make you realize how much free time you had when you weren't campaigning." The candidates and their cam-

paign managers prepared for months before the election but

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As for the complicated steps

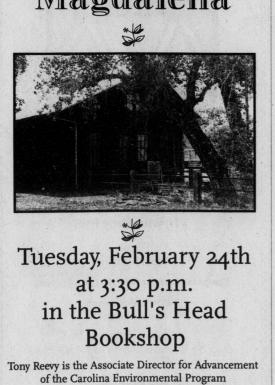
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Regardless of other rules, Barkasy said there is one element

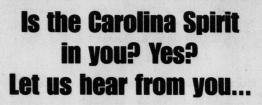
of protocol never to forget. "Don't touch the drums."

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### Apply to serve as 2004 Homecoming Chair

**Application Deadline:** 3 p.m., Wednesday, February 25

Applications are available at the CAA office, Student Union Room 3508-F, or at the front desk of the George Watts Hill Alumni Center.



