NEWS BRIEFS

- Gerald Skolnick Dies
  Gerald Skolnick, assistant professor of accounting at Baruch College for 27 years, passed away on Jan. 18. Skolnick began his teaching career at Baruch in 1964 as a lecturer, and was promoted to assistant professor in 1972. He also served as deputy chairman of the accounting department for 15 years.

  Described by his colleagues as helpful and devoted, his students often returned to him after graduation for advice. "The evidence was clear that he was committed to students," says Steven Lilen, the chairman of the accounting department. "They really respected him for that."

- DSSG Plans Trip
  Responding to the recent tuition increase, the Day Session Student Government has announced plans for a lobbying trip to Albany on the weekend of Feb. 23. In a bulletin to the Baruch community distributed during registration, DSSG President Wilson Shum said the lobbying agenda will be to "stand strong and lobby for what little we have." Information on this event is available at the DSSG in the Student Center.

- Library Extends Hours
  Library hours have been extended to 9 a.m. - 11 p.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, and 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. In addition, the library will be open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sundays. Acting President Joyce Brown says the library will be monitored during these times to determine whether a significant amount of the student population is being served.

- Murphy Secures Fall $$$
  James Murphy, director of financial aid, received permission from the administration to grant $100 scholarships to full-time undergraduate students who pay in-state tuition and have a Pell Index of 500 or less. Checks will be distributed on Feb. 11 (A-D), Feb. 13 (J-Q), and Feb. 14 (R-Z). They will be available at the career center's window on the first floor of the International Business Center (IBC) in room 203. The deadline for applications is Feb. 18. Determinations will be made by the Office of Financial Aid.

Compiled by Rafael Omeda

Baruch College, CUNY
February 6, 1991

Cuomo Proposes $500 Tuition Hike

Students Resent Spring '91 Increase, Saying It's Not Beneficial

By William Peck Jr.

Governor Mario Cuomo's new budget proposal authorizes a $500 tuition increase for the City University of New York. It also calls for a $15.4 million cut in CUNY funding.

If passed, Cuomo says the increase would raise $40 million for CUNY.

The cuts proposed by the governor could also affect TAP grants and other tuition aid normally provided by the state.

Cuomo's proposal comes on top of an increase already instituted by the board of trustees of CUNY on Dec. 6, which raised tuition by $200 annually. According to the board resolution, "It is the intent of the Board of Trustees that the $500 additional revenue shall be used to ameliorate current and future cuts in the instructional programs."

Based on information from Albany the only alternative was to raise new revenue mid-year and to change the terms of the Aid to Part-Time Students. President Joyce Brown. However, the proposal was passed with little preparation. Students were caught "in a position where they didn't know what was happening," says Brown.

Most students were also caught off guard. Maria Perez, an upper senior, found out about the increase at registration. "I was really shocked when I looked at my bill and saw that tuition went up," she says.

With the increase, tuition will rise to up to $100 per semester for full-time students, $15 per credit for part-time students. According to trustee Rev. Calvin Presley, the tuition hike will raise $25 million for the university, but a gap of $34 million will continue on Page 5.

DSSG President, Wilson Shum, president of the union and will be held during the spring. The concert will feature prominent artists such as Adina and will be held during the spring semester. The SCPB will charge $15 a person for admission, but Baruch students will receive a discount, according to Sean Seignious, president of SCPB.

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ISO Increases Student Services

By Janis Blevins
The International Student Office recently implemented additional victim, academic, and cultural services for foreign students.

The ISO will be relocating help from other offices, such as Housing, Enrollment Services, and the Career Center. New to the ISO this year is the position of director of the ISO. In the past, the ISO was operated by Goldberg with the help of college work-study students.

The coordination and sharing of reception work between the ISO and the Study Abroad Office (including the International Student Center) are among several planned projects for the newsletter and the International Student Club.

Goldberg manages multiple offices in a department that has been low-funded in the past. However, she is considering increased funding from the administration to pay for additional staff, and to purchase a small printer to process applications more efficiently.

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Theater Sets Stage
For Roman Holiday
By Robert Byrne

The cast and crew of the Speech Department's produc-
tion of "The Fantasticks" may have the opportunity to take
an expense paid trip to Italy. Eleanor Ferrar, a speech
professor and director of the production, has written the
play, and due to its popularity, the performance was
scheduled for early June, if there is to be a seminar, or
mid-August if it manages to make it for the opening of the
season. "The Fantasticks," a musical set in a small Latin
defining,

Italian town," explained Ferrar, "as you may know the
Italian government is very iffy." Another concern is that because of the
war in the Persian Gulf, some students and parents may be

apprehensive towards a plane trip to Europe, especially
Rome. The play is set to open at Baruch sometime around
March 18 and run until about

April 1. "The "Fantasticks" will be held on
February 6 and 7 in the Studio

Theater (813, 23rd St., Bldg.). For more information
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CUNY Stabs, Then Cuomo Twists The Knife

The board of trustees of the City University of New York stabbed its students in the back on Dec. 6 by passing a $300 tuition increase they knew would take deadly cuts in Baruch’s budget. We met at CUNY headquarters before 8 a.m. after giving student leaders 12 hours to organize a response to the hike.

A question that should be asked is: why would CUNY want to be against an increase that is obviously in the school’s best interest? This hike will help student leaders less than 12 hours to organize reforming student life. Even more for less.

Columbia’s increase must be stopped. We know it’s a budget crisis, but education is the single most important investment the governor can make to this state. We must act NOW!

We call on the CUNY system to mobilize Baruch student leaders against this hike. The time for passive leadership is over. We must act NOW!

BRAINSTORMING WITH BEN

Playing Litigation Lotto

By Ben Lee

It seems that the easiest way to make a buck is to win a lawsuit. Signs of this trend are seen everywhere: everywhere is now scurrying to dig up new cases to file. The world of law is saturated with lawyers willing to file a case for a fraction of the cost of health care. In the last decade, these cases have increased at an alarming rate from 47 percent of total births to 60 percent. None of these cases, however, have anything to do with child birth. This recent trend is so disturbing that the courts have created a new level of the medical profession, often governments. After many years of litigation and settlement negotiations, we have a new term—litigation. We have seen this on a national scale in the aftermath of the collapse of the tobacco industry.

We have also witnessed the growth of the medical malpractice industry. In 1980, the number of suits was 4,000. By 1990, it had grown to 20,000. Today, the number is estimated to be over 40,000. This growth has been driven by the same factors that fueled the growth of the tobacco industry: the desire for profits and the willingness of the courts to accept these suits.

The growth of the medical malpractice industry has had a profound impact on the medical community. It has led to increased costs for medical care, decreased quality of care, and increased liability for physicians. It has also led to a decrease in the number of physicians entering practice, as well as a decrease in the number of residents entering training programs.

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By Selphie Phillips

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Golden Key

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currently working and going to school full time and part time to manage a 4.0 average. Robert Baker received the Golden Key Scholarship Award for Outstanding Senior. He is a master carpenter who deferred college for three years and maintains a 3.93 average.

The inductees were then presented with certificates, by name, and a received Golden Key recognizes that you will take into the world with you.

Referring to the leadership communication and confidence building skills that Golden Key offers, Patrick's closing remarks to the audience claimed that Golden Key offers "more important tools they will take into the world with you."

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Hamlet, Starring Mel Gibson, Glenn Close, Helena Bonham Carter and Ian Holm. Directed by Franco Zeffirelli.

Choosing Mel Gibson and Glenn Close to play the lead roles has paid off for Franco Zeffirelli in his recent recreation of William Shakespeare's classic "Hamlet."
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His last recreation "Henry V" played only in selected theaters throughout the city and didn't get half the hype that "Hamlet" is receiving. It could also be because "Hamlet" is a much more popular Shakespeare play than "Henry V."
The choice of Gibson and Close was appropriate not only because of the success it is giving the film, but also that Gibson and Close give new life to the past tremendous performances as Prince Hamlet and Queen Gertrude respectively.

The film is understandable and accessible to young and old alike. Most of the language hasn't been changed from the average college textbook version. Gibson is intense and quiet with his lines and scenes across as, well, Hamlet. Gibson makes you feel for the Hamlet, you understand him and respect him and also feel sorry for him, but you love him too.

Instead of turning the 17th century play into 20th century stuff, Zeffirelli brings the 20th century viewer into the 17th century with costuming, props and sets right down to the The funniest part of the film is the interaction between Hamlet and Ophelia, daughter of Polonius and Hamlet's love interest. She is a relative newcomer to the screen and is very enjoyable even though the role of Ophelia has been played only by selected theaters throughout the country.

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The American Music Awards ceremony was held on Monday, January 28 at the Capitol Centre in Washington, D.C. and was hosted by The Tonight Show's Jay Leno.

The categories for awards reached all the top performers of American music, from Rap to Heavy Metal to Country. Each type of music had a new award for favorite new artist in that category, with the exception of pop, where only one favorite new artist was given.

The new artist award was developed to help give the performers the added exposure that they needed, but Vanilla Ice took it a little too far when he went up to receive his favorite new rap artist award and put on his underwear. Unfortunately for some, that particular incident was the highlight of the night and it wasn't a very good one either.

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To nobody's surprise, M.C. Hammer, Janet Jackson and Phil Collins were the three big winners at the American Music Awards last Monday, January 28 at the Capitol Centre. M.C. Hammer won artist of the year, Favorite Rap Award, Favorite Pop/Rock Album, and Favorite Pop/Rock Male. Janet Jackson won Favorite R&B/Funk Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Female. Phil Collins won Favorite Pop/Rock Album, Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Male. Collin's win was his fifth in a row and he was nominated for five awards overall, including Favorite Pop/Rock Album, Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Male. Janet Jackson was given four nominations, including Favorite R&B/Funk Artist and Favorite R&B/Funk Female. M.C. Hammer was nominated for five awards, including Artist of the Year, Favorite Rap Artist and Favorite Rap Album. The only one who didn't win was Janet Jackson, who was nominated for four awards, including Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album. She went on to win Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album. Out of those five, she won Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album. She noticed that the only one who didn't win was Janet Jackson, who went on to win Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album. Out of those five, she won Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album. She noticed that the only one who didn't win was Janet Jackson, who went on to win Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album. She noticed that the only one who didn't win was Janet Jackson, who went on to win Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album. She noticed that the only one who didn't win was Janet Jackson, who went on to win Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album. She noticed that the only one who didn't win was Janet Jackson, who went on to win Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album. She noticed that the only one who didn't win was Janet Jackson, who went on to win Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album. She noticed that the only one who didn't win was Janet Jackson, who went on to win Favorite Pop/Rock Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album.
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But back to the movie. The film opens differently from the book version. The book version opens with Horatio seeing the ghost of King Hamlet, whereas the film opens with original scenes of King Hamlet's funeral and the King's brother Claudius demanding that he and Queen Gertrude marry. There is also a new scene when Hamlet tells the King's brother Claudius he and Queen Gertrude are to be married. There is also an action scene when Horatio sees the ghost of King Hamlet, who has just recently died, whereas the book version is different. The book version opens with original scenes of King Hamlet's funeral and the King's brother Claudius demanding that he and Queen Gertrude are to be married. There is also a new scene when Horatio sees the ghost of King Hamlet, who has just recently died, whereas the book version is different.

But, other than those two incidents, the rest of the film is consistent with the original, and should be enjoyable to almost all viewers, since the language may be unfamiliar, or even unpronounceable. Unlike "Hamlet," the movie is suited for those familiar with the story.

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"Stability and freedom from influence will be the aim of "Euros".

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"Participating in "ball out maneuvers for financially strapped administrations" is not in the interest of the E.C. It is estimated that the Eurodollar will require at least $20 billion to $25 billion dollars annually to keep the E.C. on track.

West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt and French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing have suggested that the E.C. should consider creating a single currency in order to reduce the cost of exchange transactions and to promote economic stability. However, this idea has been met with resistance from some members of the E.C.

French President Francois Mitterrand has been a strong advocate of a single currency and has argued that it would be beneficial for the E.C. economy. In his view, a single currency would reduce the cost of exchange transactions and promote economic stability. However, this idea has been met with resistance from some members of the E.C.

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Inconsistent Statesmen

Win Four of Their Last Six Game

By Mickey Kramer

Early season inconsistencies for the Baruch Statesmen continued through January. Overall, the team's record is 11-7-2. The team has gone through four seasons in the exact Conference winning streaks being broken in two, four and two. A record of 11-7-2, ranked in the Statesmen's top five teams. The team's loss in the Men's Basketball Tournament, Baruch beat Vassar, 69-64. Williams scored 34 points. "It was a hard game. We were down 30 and out of it at the beginning of the second half, playing the men's team, but we came out of it." On January 16, Baruch beat CCNY for the first time in four years. The Statesmen won 44-36. "They were all thrilled. It was a very hard game. And it was the first conference game in which we played a good game ... and the Coach was happy," said Mike Reid.

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Welcome back to Baruch my fellow students. Welcome back to a $100 increase in tuition, welcome back to less services and less class sections.

Welcome back to a shrinking job market, a recession and a war. Welcome back to Baruch.

This is not the type of welcome I had hoped to give you this semester. I had hoped to give you more uplifting news. I wish to say that everything will be alright, that the recession and the war will be over in a few days and that we will get jobs which pay attractive salaries, as soon as we graduate. But I couldn't say this in earnest nor would you believe me; unless, of course you were Ronald Reagan. Therefore, I have no other option than to give the hard truth.

The City University budget has been cut by over $25 million by the State, with Baruch suffering from a $4 million cut. This translates into the predicament facing us for registration: fewer class sections, crowded classes and reduced graduation rates. These are the more important of several other issues facing us matters such as: the Presidential Search Committee, the construction of the new campus and the firing of adjunct professors. However, I will stick to the issue which is troubling most of us, graduation rates.

It is already known that it is difficult to graduate from Baruch in 4 years. With less class sections it will get even harder this year and by next year, with further budget cuts expected to be 3 or 4 times more severe, it will be virtually impossible.

What can we do to try to save Baruch from budget cuts and keep Baruch College #1 (yes, Bernard M. Baruch College is one if not the best CUNY school). The answer is simple: lobby for your education rights, speak out for the school.

How, when and where do we lobby for the so that we can graduate sometime in the next decade (and avoid becoming DecaSuperSeniors). The answer to these questions has a direct relationship to your level of love and respect for yourself.

Do you want more class sections not less? Do you want more services not less? Do you want things to get better not worse? Do you really care about your future? Then move to action, which of the options (see box) or combinations of options fits your schedule for action.

1. Go to Albany and lobby for Baruch in February or March.
2. Call/write your assemblyman and tell them your troubles and ask them to provide more funding for CUNY.
3. Make sure you have taken part in a mailing campaign to the state legislators.

This being said I would like to make a final comment about an issue mentioned before.

Rally against Tuition Increases.
Gov. Cuomo has Declared War
On CUNY
This is a War You Can’t Afford to Lose

The "New Education Order"
Tuition Increased Again
Delandro C. Wilson

Over the last few months there has been much discussion about a 'new world order', based on the machinations of the single greatest power in the world, the United States of America. There is a war raging in the middle east which seeks to lay the foundation for this grand scheme, but more fundamentally, it set the tone of an unequivocal message from the President of the United States: it is better to spend billions of dollars on war and economic benefit of the few, than a few million for the educational advancement of the many. This is the new order, a new education order.

Last semester tuition was an increased by $100, an annual increase of $200, and there will be further increases next semester. Governor Mario Cuomo is reported to have said the tuition at both the state universities (SUNY) and city universities (CUNY) will be increased by $200 to $500 annually. (N.Y. T. 01-27-91) These increase will force many students out of college and keep several from entering. But we see no positive action from our President, or his political hacks, because they are insulated from these tribulations; their children will not suffer or be deprived of an education.

At both the state and national level, money is being channeled away from education into other areas which cannot accrue to this nation the dividends gained from an educated and informed populace. As reported in the various business journals, the dividends are gained by the corporation manufacturing weapons, expensive drugs and so on. The percentile of people earning millions of dollars in income yearly has actually increased over the last few years yet, we are hard pressed to meet our budgetary obligations. No money can be found to support academic improvement, but billions are found to clean up the infelicities made by fraudulent and avascular Savings and Loans executives... Billions more are injected into a war, into the lucrative markets in Europe and so on, yet, we cannot meet our budgetary obligation. Is this chance or choice?

Let your vision be focused on the direction of these political 'gods' and how their actions are detrimental to you. This 'new education order' provides recruits for death. The more students who are unable to attend college, the more recruits for the armed services; the police-force of Mr. Bush's 'new world order'. Will your only salvation be to become 'one of a few good men'.

In times of reduced educational opportunities the armed services becomes an avenue for advancement, unfortunately your next advance may be your last one. The catchy advertising phrases take on a deathly insignificance during a war; you may be 'one of many dead men.' What is your choice?

Are you going to accept this fate quietly or are you angry enough to make your voice heard?