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# Student cuffed for throwing snowballs

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A WSU freshman who was arrested when he admitted to throwing snowballs Wednesday night disagrees with investigating police officers; he says he was playing in the snow with friends and did not throw snowballs at a window or building.

The arresting police officer, Bryan E. Jacobson, said that Martin Weishaar was arrested for obstructing, hindering or delaying the investigation.

"He admitted to being there but he wouldn't tell me who he was with," Jacobson said. "That is delaying and hindering the investigation," he said.

According to Weishaar, officer Jacobson stopped at his desk in Holland Library and asked him if he was throwing snowballs

near Stevens Hall. When Weishaar answered yes, he said, Jacobson read him his rights and handcuffed him.

The arresting officers told a different story.

Jacobson and his partner said that a resident from Stevens Hall called because a group of men were throwing snowballs into their open window and hitting the wall inside the room.

Weishaar said he and his friends were confused at the time of the arrest because they did not know how police identified Weishaar as the person who threw the snowball at the window, which they allege never happened.

Officer Memmel said that she had taken several complaints, three days in a row, concerning individuals throwing snowballs at windows.

"The complaints were all at the same time, between 6 and 7 in the evening, near Stevens Hall" Memmel said.

Weishaar said he did not throw the snowballs at a window or building, but police officers Jacobson and Memmel disagree.

"I admitted to throwing the snowballs at my friends," he said. "I never hit a building."

The window that they were throwing snowballs in is at least 15 feet off the ground, Jacobson said. "It is hard to believe they weren't trying to throw them in the window," he said.

According to Memmel, the people involved with the incident talked with the hall director to deal with the situation before it was out-of-hand.

"They agreed to shovel snow off the sidewalks outside the hall," Memmel said.

He was released in an hour because he was cooperative and

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## A dream for Clara



STAFF PHOTO MICHAEL LEE

"The Nutcracker" ballet, performed by the Eugene Ballet Company, was featured in Beasley Coliseum Tuesday night. Fifty local children, aged 6 to 15, helped the organization dance.

# Provost candidate meets community

BY STACEY BURNS  
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Throughout her interviews with university groups Tuesday, provost candidate Gretchen Bataille emphasized the consultative and systematic approach to higher education issues she has dealt with in her experiences.

The provost of the College of Letters and Science at the University of California, Santa Barbara fielded questions from the university community ranging from increasing diversity to tenure issues.

Bataille is one of two candidates vying for the position of the university's fourth provost and academic vice president.

The second candidate, James MacMahon, the dean of the College of Sciences at Utah State University, will meet with university officials, faculty, staff, students and the general community Friday.

President Sam Smith has indicated he would like to offer the provost position before Christmas. Bataille could become the university's first female provost.

The topics most discussed in Bataille's sessions included diversity, the role of a research institution, budget concerns, quality and technology.

### Diversity

Bataille said her philosophy on diversity is

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# GLBA director candidates to visit

BY TERRA BROCK  
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Screening applicants for the director of Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Allies Program since Nov. 1, the Human Relations and Resources Division has narrowed the original pool of 55 down to two.

The two final candidates, Martin Dupis and Barbara Jones, will be coming to WSU this week for extensive interviews and tours of the campus and surrounding area.

Martin Dupis, a political science doctoral candidate at the University of Southern California in Los Angeles, is scheduled for interviews Wednesday and Thursday. Barbara Jones, executive director of the Lesbian Resource Project in Phoenix will be interviewed Thursday and Friday.

## CANDIDATE FORUM

• Presentation and open session with campus-wide GLBA Program Advisory Board and Human Relations and Resource unit staffs from 1:30-3 p.m. Wednesday; Thursday from 2-3:30 p.m., both in CUB B 1-5

Both candidates are scheduled to meet with several administrators, students, and organizations, including GLBA program staff, Interim Provost Geoff Gamble, and graduate and undergraduate student groups.

There will be a presentation and open questions session with the campus-wide GLBA Program Advisory Board and Human Relations and Resource unit staffs on Wednesday from 1:30 to 3 p.m., and on Thursday from 2 to

3:30 p.m. in CUB B1-5.

The chosen candidate will be a member of the Human Relations and Resource Division reporting directly to the vice provost for the division.

"The director will be responsible for the overall administration, direction, execution, and evaluation of the Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Allies Program and Center," according to the position summary.

Basically, the director will oversee the program and the center, said Cindy Gallagher, the search committee chair and WSU Diversity Education Program director.

She said the director's job is broader than just dealing with the student group. He or she will oversee the GLBA Center but will also

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## CORRECTION

The final exam schedule printed in The Daily Evergreen on Tuesday was incorrect. A correct version is printed on page 16.