Good Evening and welcome to the last C-of-C scene of the Spring semester.

Thank you for joining us, I’m Eric Nyquist, and here’s what’s making news on campus.

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Textbook Buyback (P.O.S)
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Anchor Lead

With classes almost at an end, most student’s largest concern about Summer is finding a part-time job to earn some cash. However, there is hope for some who are not yet looking forward to finding a job and need money fast, the annual textbook buybacks. I hung around one buyback stand to see just how much cash students were raking in.

With multiple stands set up around campus, nearly all of the student body is taking advantage of this situation. However, a lot of books are only being bought back for a fraction of what they were originally paid for. Here’s how much some students made and how some of them felt about it.

(Tape)

In: Uh, about 70…

Out:…of that back.

Time: 20

This just goes to show students that you can make some money selling off your books, but don’t expect to break the bank.

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Another thing that is giving some students a headache besides being strapped for cash is a looming threat of a lawsuit that can be filed against the college’s television station. C-T-V was threatened by Kristen Williams, owner of the fashion boutique K. Morgan, after a video was posted on YouTube showing the designer falling through a hole in the runway during the Charleston Fashion week.

According to the law firm representing Williams, the video is in question because it is damaging and embarrassing and was made globally available by a student from C-T-V.

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In other news, the Sigma Delta Tau sorority has helped to stop child abuse in a new way earlier this month, through a basketball tournament. Sigma Delta Tau held their first annual three-on-three charity basketball tournament, otherwise known as the Sig Delt Slam, early this April to great success. I sat down with Sorority members Hannah Taub and Jennifer Groverman to learn more about the event. (20)

Dribbling away child abuse was the motto of the event and it couldn’t be any more accurate. According to Jennifer Groverman, a member of the sorority who worked at the event, she was surprised to see such a success from it.

SOT: Jennifer Groverman Time:06
In: We raised over…
Out: …our first time around

The event was held in the John Kresse arena and a total of 16 teams played. All challengers who were interested to show off some of their basketball skills were welcome to play and according to Sorority member Hannah Taub, the event attracted a great crowd.

SOT: Hannah Taub Time:09
In: We had um..
Out:…pretty good crowd

It wouldn’t be a descent sports tournament without prizes and according to Groverman, there were prizes a plenty.

SOT: Jennifer Groverman Time:12
In: We raffled off
Out:….American Express gift cards
Due to it’s success, the Sigma Delta Tau Sorority is thinking about doing this event again next year, so all those wanna-be Michael Jordans out there better start dusting off their basketball shoes.
When students aren’t playing basketball for charity, they are usually studying for their upcoming exams. The one place that they can turn to that is always a peaceful and quiet area to study is the Addlestone Library. However students were surprised to be hearing this loud noise when they were entering the front entrance of the library.

**Nat Sound Full: 5 seconds (construction equipment)**

For those of you that can’t make it out, this is the sound of the construction equipment working on the stairs in front of the library and has been going on all during exam week.

However, according to library front desk attendants, they haven’t received many complaints about the noise since the construction is outside of the building but they say that if anyone has any complaints, they still have earplugs to hand out for the students.

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Brown Regains Position (Reader)  
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It looks like something that students won’t hear any more noise about is the controversy over Seaton Brown’s S-G-A presidency. The Honor Board overturned the Election Commission’s decision to take the presidency away from Brown earlier this month due to inconsistencies cited by the election commission about the acceptance of certain documents past deadlines. 

Along with Brown, six other S-G-A senators that were disqualified by the Election Commission were also re-enstated. 

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And now its time for the College of Charleston Cougar Sports Report. Making headlines this weekend is the Cougars baseball team and their three triumphant victories over the Citadel Bulldogs.

The Cougars beat the Bulldogs 12-to-2 Friday night, 4-to-1 on Saturday night, and made an impressive winning comeback to piledrive the Bulldogs with a winning score of 9-to-6 on Sunday. Highlights of the Sunday game include the Cougars breaking the school record of scoring four home runs in the seventh inning and Michael Harrington setting a school record of 17 homers in a season.

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It looks like Archaeologists in South Africa have something to celebrate. Earlier this month a five-hundred year old shipwreck containing rare artifacts was found off the coast.

According to MSNBC.com the ship was filled with tons of copper ingots, gold coins, and elephant tusks.
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That wraps up this week's C-of-C Scene and is the last program of this semester.

Have an awesome and safe summer! For C-of-C Scene, I'm Eric Nyquist.

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