Night life off-campus

Where to go for fun outside the gates

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Where does the time go? Between academics, sports, work, trying to make meals, and of course the much needed, but realistically never gotten, sleep, the lives of Holy Cross students are filled with important questions remain: Where do they stress the end and the fun begin? And, what exactly do they stress the end and the fun begin? Freshman Brian Stefans had one very bold answer, "Just go and get bored. It doesn't matter if you're going to an off campus party or to a bar. Just get bored."

Freshman Christina Mucci commented, "A weekend favorite of mine is going for off campus parties to Oyden or Boyd Street. Boyd is the best though because it has the nicest apartments." Christina then quickly added, "I like to dance and sing when I am drunk, and when people fall it's so funny." Ali Blum, another freshman, said, "Off campus parties are fun but the one problem with them is the Domino's we always order late Thursday night!" Jeannine Laux, another HC freshman, said, "Late night, my friends, and I like to head over to campus. Our favorite spot is Cambridge but it is too packed, Crompton is always a good spot. And pre-gaming is a must because the lines for the kegs are usually too long!"

More Sean Regan had a slightly different outlook on Cambridge, "Off campus parties can be fun, if you go to a place that fits you. I mean, personally, a ticket for either band, purchased over the phone or by show up and say hi to the door man is the ticket price. But, as Bob Dylan said, "The times, they are a-changing..." and the number of fans searching for a ticket outside the shows is grows every day. (Dylan, incidentally, is also coming to the Northeast this fall- Portland, ME, the day after Thanksgiving). Thus, it would be a wise choice to act now, rather than waiting the last show. The place to go on Thursday night!" Freshman McKeely commented, "The honey's at the Plantation on Thursday nights and at Scarlet O'Hara on Friday nights. I am not going to go with chill with Vinny Bagdadoulus and Lightstickers at Cambridge when my friends at 611 are having a party."

Off campus housing is filled with Holy Cross students. The cause? The question on everybody's mind is, "Where do we go from here?" Throughout the Nineties, most people thought that Oyden's and Boyd Street was the "the lazy man's meal." Now that Cup O'Soup has taken over, one can only speculate as to what steps the makers of Reman will take to make even better effects for the future.

A "Ramen pill is what we need," said Jon Barone as he struggled to boil water for his Cup O'Soup. "I'm sick of having to boil water for a spoon."

"Personally, I would prefer to take my Oodles intravenously," piped in his roommate Pat Russell.

Is this a sign that the fast-paced, "McDonaldized" way of life has taken over? Whatever happened to the days when mak-