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Winter wonderland offers students break from heat

By Ariel Serafin
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Although a warm Tucson breeze blew through the trees Saturday afternoon, residents of the Manzanita-Mohave Residence Hall, 1000 N. Park Ave., experienced a tiny winter wonderland in their own front yard for a few hours.

Despite the fact the midday skies were not as sunny as expected, the frost-covered grass in front of the residence hall looked strangely out of place on the cactus-embellished UA campus.

A donation of shaved ice from Polar Ice, 7333 E. Rosewood St., allowed students to make snow angels, toss snowballs and take a glimpse of a lawn coated in white; a rare sight around the UA.

Brittany Barreth, a Polar Ice employee, said the rink usually has snow to spare and they are willing to donate it to anyone who can come and pick it up.

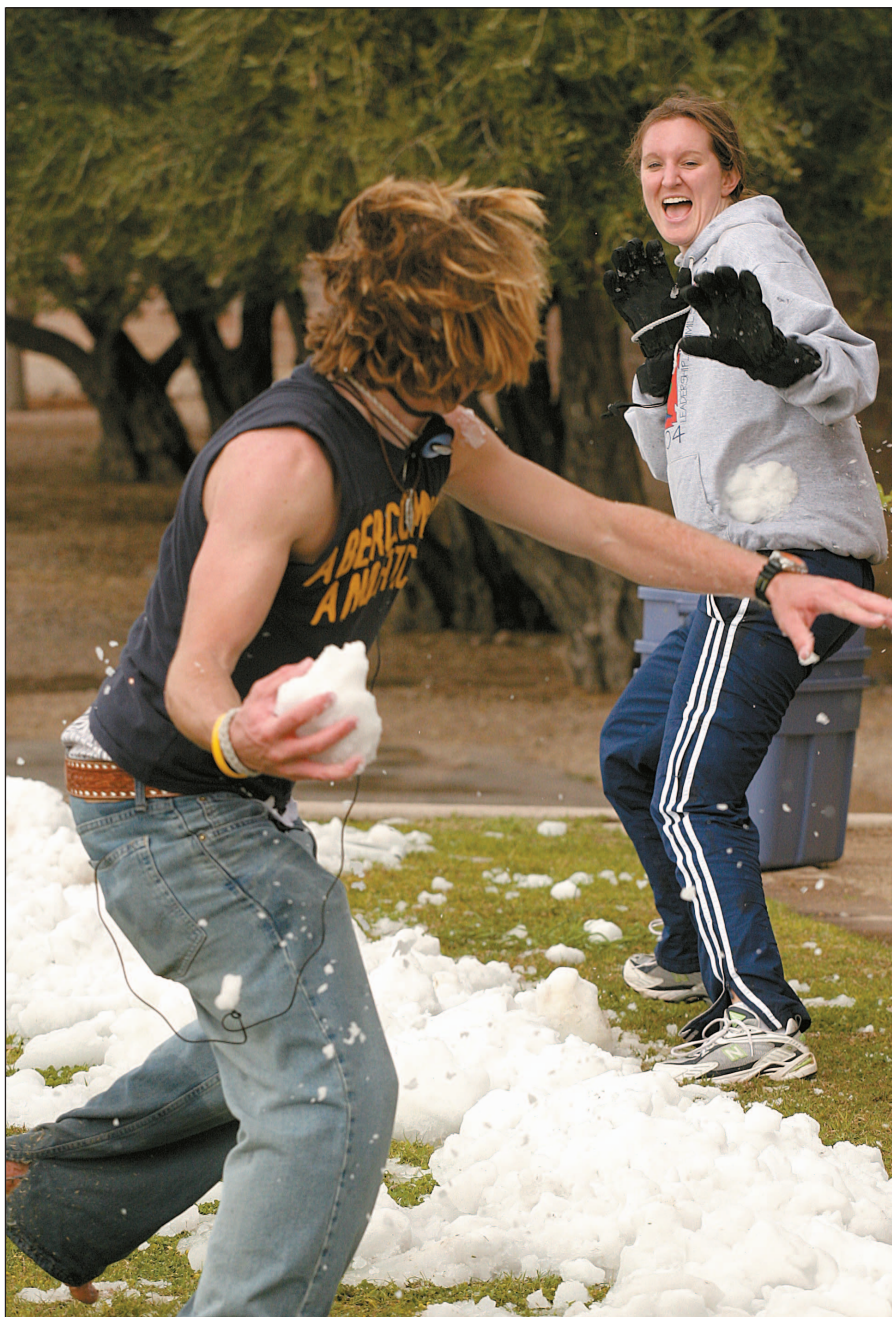
"Anyone who wants to can call. There's no reason for us to be stingy and keep it," Barreth said.

Starbucks and Krispy Kreme also offered donations and discounts on their coffee and donuts. A table full of their products was set up inside the building for residents to enjoy while they warmed up.

Ian Delaney, an acting junior, said he thought with tropical departures and spring break beaches just around the corner, early March was an opportune time of year for the festivity to take place.

"This is a fun hall program we thought would be good before

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Architecture freshman and resident of Manzanita-Mohave Residence Hall Harry Mossbrook pelts hall director Laura Tripp with an artificial snowball on Manzi-Mo's lawn Saturday afternoon. Polar Ice donated the snow to the Residence Hall Association for the unusual weekend event.

Some still upset over Moore visit

By Aubrey McDonnell
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The presidential election is over and Michael Moore's crusade to get citizens to vote for a liberal candidate failed, but even with George W. Bush in office some alumni are still upset about Moore's October visit to the UA.

Some students working for the Telephone Outreach Program, associated with the UA Foundation, have experienced negative feedback from some alumni because of Moore's appearance.

Molly Leimontas, a student employee of the Telephone Outreach Program, said when she asked an alumnus to donate money Sunday, he refused because of Moore's visit.

"He was mad that the university paid to have Michael Moore speak here," said Leimontas, a psychology sophomore. "He said he wouldn't

**Michael Moore**

donate any money until the university paid for a conservative talk show host to come to campus." But university funding did not sponsor Moore. The Associated Students of the University of

Arizona paid for Moore's visit solely with funds generated from ticket sales to the event, said Fernando Ascencio, ASUA Speakers Board director.

"Some people might have been

under the impression that donor dollars went to Moore," said Rodney Campbell, communications director of the UA Foundation. "That's simply not the case, there are much more pressing needs than bringing a speaker to campus."

Campbell said donors who are worried about how future political visits are funded can rest assured their donation dollars will have no part in it.

"Donor money is not directed toward that," Campbell said. "ASUA was in charge of that."

Donna Morton, the annual fund manager for the UA Foundation, said it is normal for alumni to have reasons not to donate money and many of those

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Groups, officials endorse candidates

By Jennifer Amsler
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Both ASUA presidential candidates received endorsements from former candidates and campus organizations, in hopes to help spread the word and swing the election toward their candidate of choice.

All three Associated Students of the University of Arizona presidential candidates who did not advance to the general elections decided to endorse Cade Bernsen. Bernsen also received an endorsement from Sigma Alpha Epsilon and from Phi Alpha Delta, a pre-law fraternity.

Jacob Reuben has received endorsements from the UA Panhellenic Council, the Undergraduate Eller Student Council, presidents of different campus groups and honoraries, and some ASUA officials.

Nathan Bell, who came in a close third in the primary election, said Bernsen's lack of ASUA experience is not a factor in this race.

"The president's chief job is to lobby to legislature," said Bell, a current ASUA senator. "He has plenty of experience with legislature and government in general."

Bell, a computer science senior, said throughout the campaign and before the primary election, Bernsen was his choice for president if he did not win.

"Cade's a very inspirational guy," Bell said. "He managed to move me a couple of times during the election and I thought, 'Damn, that was a good speech.'"

Bell said Bernsen's "fire" would make him an exceptional president.

Michael Franklin, a former presidential candidate who received 18.6 percent of the student vote, said Bernsen will fight for the students so they have a voice.

"I see his passion for the position and how much he really wants it," said Franklin, a secondary education junior. "I feel like he's a fighter."

Franklin said he is encouraging students to vote tomorrow and Wednesday.

Jacob Hill, a former presidential candidate, said both candidates are good guys and choosing between them was a tough decision.

"I had to pick one or the other," said Hill, a nutritional science junior. "I got to know Cade, and I like what he stands for."

Hill said he took a few days to unwind from his campaign, but will begin helping Bernsen today by passing out fliers and encouraging others to vote.

Hill said although he only received 3.6 percent of the vote, he will encourage those who voted for him to support Bernsen in the general election. Bernsen has also recieved the endorsement from Pi Kappa Phi and Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternities, said Jake Henderson, president of Pi Kapp.

Presidential candidate Jacob Reuben, who swept

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**Jacob Reuben****Cade Bernsen**