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ea Arkhe," the theme for this year’s New Student Orientation, means “a new begin-
ing.” Anne Olson and Ken Satre headed the NSO events which served to welcome the incoming freshmen and transfer students. The activities were highlighted by such Greek traditions as togs, a Greek dinner, and Ole-lympics. Other activities included the “come as you are” breakfast at 5:00 a.m., a semi-formal banquet, an ice cream social after watching the film “Stand By Me,” and a barbecue before the game Saturday after-
noon.

The ever popular beanie was wel-
comed back by the upperclassmen and endured by the freshmen. However, the

beanie did prove beneficial in identify-
ing fellow freshmen.

Beyond the social events, many
questions were answered during NSO as well. Student employees met with their advisors, campus tours were given, and students validated for the fall sem-

der. Furthermore, an activities fair helped new students learn about the various opportunities and organizations found on campus.

The NSO activities provided fresh-
men and transfers with an opportunity to familiarize themselves with their new surroundings and meet new friends before their studies began.

• Heather Lapham curls her hair in prepara-
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• Rachel Ketterling attempts to look like an upperclassman when she gets caught without her beanie.

• Troy Westwood gives Troy Nicholson the eye while Joe Stickney concentrates on the television.

• Alice Kuil smiles sweetly to escape the wrath of an upper-
classman who catches her without a beanie.

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