Winter Weekend
Thursday, February 14 through Sunday, February 17, 2002.

This year, the slogan for Winter Weekend was “Take the bite out of winter: cold days, hot nights.” The weekend started off on Thursday night with comedian Bill Bellamy entertaining the College community in Knight Auditorium. The mood shifted slightly on Friday evening with the “Snow Ball” semi-formal dance in the PepsiCo Pavilion. Students dressed up for the occasion and danced the night away. The fun continued on Saturday with an Ice Skating party from 11pm until 1am at the Babson Skating Center. Many students of all skating abilities attended this DJed event. In addition, if students wanted to attend, but did not own their own pair of skates, there were plenty of rental skates available free of charge. Unfortunately, Winter Weekend had to come to a close Sunday evening. The last event of this fun weekend was a showing of the movie “The Royal Tenenbaums” in the Sorenson Center.

(Below): Comedian Bill Bellamy in an interview with members of the Babson Free Press.

(Far Below): Junior Andrew Boysen poses for the camera before heading out onto the ice for some skating fun.

Top Left: Babson students join hands and skate across the ice.
Left: A group of students take a break from skating and hang out on the ice.

Some pictures on this page, courtesy of the Babson Free Press.
Below: Laura DeVeau, Associate Director of Campus Life smiles before putting on her skates.

Below: Senior Spiro Ganas and Freshman Iraklis Grous have fun skating Saturday night.

Left: Babson students on the ice at the Babson Skating Center.

Left: Babson students get ready to go skating.

Some pictures on this page, courtesy of the Babson Free Press.
On Tuesday, April 9, 2002 Babson College students, faculty and staff attended Founder's Day. Founder's Day is Babson's annual celebration of entrepreneurship where the newest members of the Academy of Distinguished Entrepreneurs are honored. This year, Babson College honored two distinguished entrepreneurs. The entrepreneurs honored during the festivities were Steven B. Dodge, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of American Tower Corporation and Leonard Riggio, Founder and Chairman of Barnes and Noble, Inc.

This year's program began at 10:30 with the Student Business Fair in Olin Hall. At the Fair, both undergraduate and graduate student-created businesses were featured. The program was moved to Knight Auditorium in the afternoon where there was the presentation of student awards and the induction and comments by the distinguished entrepreneurs. The afternoon session was followed by discussion sessions in Olin Hall with the distinguished entrepreneurs. The program concluded in the evening at the Boston Marriot where there were presentations of the entrepreneurs to President Barefoot.

(Above): Freshman Iraklis Grous represents his business, SIRIUS Trekking, during the Student Business Fair in Olin Hall.

(Above): A speaker at the afternoon program in Knight Auditorium presents a business plan competition award.

(Above): Leonard Riggio speaks to members of the Babson community during the afternoon program.

(Above): Sophomore Richard Futrell speaks with a member of the Babson community about his business, Futrell Promotions.

(Below): Leonard Riggio, Founder and Chairman of Barnes and Noble, Inc. addresses the crowd during the afternoon program in Knight Auditorium.
(Below): A Babson student accepts his award for participating in the business plan competition.

(Left): Steven Dodge, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of American Tower Corporation, speaks at Founder's Day.

(Above): President Barefoot addresses the crowd in Knight Auditorium on Founder's Day.
Spring Weekend

Thursday, April 25 through Sunday, April 28, 2002

Spring Weekend is considered by many as the last chance a Babson student gets to have fun with friends before finals begin. This year Spring Weekend consisted of a lot of fun outdoor activities. On Thursday, April 25, Babson students headed to the fields to cheer on the Women’s Lacrosse team and the Baseball team. The fun continued on Friday and Saturday with the Men’s Lacrosse team and Baseball team hosting games on Saturday.

Another major event of Spring Weekend was on Saturday when there was the Powder Puff and Ultimate Frisbee. BCR was on the fields DJing these popular events. Nearly the entire student population went out to cheer on their friends and participate in the fun. Later, on Saturday, the celebration moved to the front of Coleman where a large group of students gathered for a barbecue and some live music.

(Above): Babson students participate in the Powder Puff.

(Below): Junior Jeffery Greenberg from BCR DJs during Spring Weekend, live from the upper athletic fields.

(For Above): Babson students participating in a game of Ultimate Frisbee fight for possession of the frisbee.

(Directly Above): One of the many games in the Powder Puff that was played on the turf field.
(Below): Students playing Ultimate Frisbee on the upper athletic fields.

(Below): Babson students cheering on their friends.

(Left): Students gather on the fields to participate in the games and cheer on their friends.

(Above): A group of Babson girls discuss their strategy in one of the Powder Puff games.

This year's Beaver Bowl took place in Roger's Pub on a Monday night. It was an excellent way to boost school spirit as many students gathered for the evening's activities. In fact, this year's Beaver Bowl was one of the most successful competitions in recent years. This year, the SGA Senate ran the Beaver Bowl Competition. It was hosted by BCR's Seth and Jeff. The questions used in the competition were supplied by SGA Senate members, Jay Strong and Melony Isaac.

Students formed teams to answer the various Babson trivia questions to win a variety of prizes. For example, one of the questions asked during the competition was, What is the most popular food at Trim? Answer: Bananas. Prizes for correct answers included cash, stuffed animals, stay at the CEE, digital cameras, and gift certificates.

This year's Beaver Bowl proved to be a fun experience for all involved.
(Below) Sophomore Christy Walsh raises her hand to answer a question during the Bowl.

(Right) Senior Heather Webster and her teammate smile for the camera.

(Above) Justin Drysdale and Eli Loper take a break from competition.

(Above) Babson Improv performs during intermission of the Beaver Bowl.

(Below) A Babson Student wins a prize from hosts, Jeff Greenberg and Seth Ginsberg.