

BUNGEE

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intersection of Rainbow and Blue Diamond roads.

Till has "bungee-d" over 300 times. "It's the biggest rush in the world," he said.

Till insists that bungee jumping is safe. "No one has ever died... at least not in the United States," he said.

Till stressed that since its inception as a sport five years ago, four deaths have occurred but never due to equipment failure or malfunctions, and never in the United States. Till said safety is his number one concern.

He emphasized the fact that the company would not be allowed to be licensed or permitted if Clark County officials were not satisfied with the safety aspect of Bungee USA. Although final approval is still pending, Till expects to open as scheduled.

Hours will be Saturdays and Sundays from 7am till dark. Friday

will have a first time ever occurrence in bungee jumping by operating at night. Spotlights and floodlights will be used for added effect. KOMP radio will be on hand to help promote the event.

Live video recordings of each jump are available. Bungee jumping is also available without the video, for a reduced price. T-shirts and hats will be sold on the premises, and group and student discounts are available. Reservations are required, but walk-ups are permitted. For reservations or information now, call 818-763-JUMP or wait till the new 800 number becomes available in the 800 Directory.

Till expects the addition of Bungee USA to be "a great addition to what Las Vegas already has to offer." He invites everyone and anyone to "experience the once and a lifetime thrill of Bungee USA."

Eye color helps determine personality

by Lesli Moser

that eye color is related to personality.

Since eyes may be one of the first things noticed about a person, psychologists have considered eye color as an indication to how people react emotionally.

Dr. Peggy Turnbough, assistant professor of psychology at UNLV said, "People see the eyes illicit more nurturing behavior, using them to seem more vulnerable. Most people, in conversation, look directly at the eyes for hidden messages. Women use eyeliner and other methods to magnify their eyes. Photographers want the pupils expanded in pictures to give them warmth."

Turnbough continued, "In later years, the eyes lose pigmentation and the color fades." Eye pigmentation is also influenced by sex hormones, which with age, decrease, causing the eye color to dull.

Studies have also shown

One study done by Dr. Morgan Worthy, at Georgia State University, found that a difference in how one responds to sports, emotion and influence on others is affected by eye color. Another study showed that dark-eyed athletes performed better in sports that required speed and reactive skills, while light-eyed athletes responded better where they could perform at their own pace.

Dark-eyed people may tend to have a higher pain tolerance and respond more to color. Reports have shown that dark-eyed ethnic groups may have an inclination to stand closer in casual conversation than other light-eyed groups. Light-eyed people, on the other hand, respond to form and may be more inhibited. However, social conditioning shapes a personality more than genes as we get older.

Colored contacts gain student approval

Changing eye color seems to be a catchy trend these days. Going from green to blue or from brown to violet is as easy as a simple visit to the optometrist.

"Changing one's eye color from brown to light blue is easy," said Linda Blair, an assistant at the office of Robert Johnson, O.D. "The contact lens is actually a photograph of the iris. This enables the wearer an authentic color. The darker the eye's iris, the more intense the color." She stresses a consultation appointment for colored contacts allows the client to see all of the possibilities. "We have a big array of colors to enhance or

change the appearance of the eye," she said. "There has been an increase in student interest from a fashion perspective. Students are wearing them like they would earrings and changing them just as frequently."

The cost of colored contacts range from \$200 to \$300 including the eye examination. Most of the time, students can walk out with their new "eyes" the same day.

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