

Phil says: **An Early Spring**

# Punxsutawney Phil 2007

A Meteorology Tradition at Buffalo State College



Students from BSC

On February 1<sup>st</sup> students from Buffalo State College once again traveled to Punxsutawney, PA to witness the prognostication given by Punxsutawney Phil, the most famous weather forecaster of all time. Will there be six weeks of more winter or an early spring?

Students enjoyed the festivities in town, including watching the movie, "Groundhog Day". Over 20,000 people gathered on Gobblers Knob in temperatures that dipped to 14°F. After an early morning fireworks display, Phil was taken out of his stump and he did not see his shadow – **an early spring!**



Keeping Warm

Wishful Thinking



20,000 People in Front of the Stage



Morning Fireworks



Phil awakens!



Reading the Prognostication.



Is this Phil?



An Early Spring – while most groundhogs agreed, Dunkirk Dave called for six more weeks of winter.