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Movie: Bandfast, PAC Cohan Center, 8 p.m.

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Monday, November 20

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Wednesday, November 22

Academic Holiday: Thanksgiving holiday for academic-year employees. Through Nov. 23.

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Thursday, November 23


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Seating will be on a first-come basis.

A New Panelist to join national election forum

Stanford University professor of education and well-known art and educational policy expert Elliott Eisen will be the featured speaker at the Fall 2000 Educational Policy Symposium on Nov. 14.

His talk, "Can Current Reform Efforts Give Us Schools That Educate?" will be at 4:30 p.m. in Chumash Auditorium.

Eisen believes that art might offer teachers both a useful guide and a critical tool. He will be joined by Carol Barness, advancement director for the University Center for Teacher Education.

Eisen has taught at Stanford University since 1965. He has written more than 300 articles and chapters and 15 books.

Cal Poly's third Educational Policy Symposium is designed for all public school teachers and administrators as well as Cal Poly students interested in educational policy issues.

Eisen will focus his talk on the recent state of standards issues by the State of California as well as the efficacy of testing to standards in the schools. This presentation should be of special interest to teachers and administrators at all levels of education, said the schools.

The Educational Policy Symposiums are sponsored by the University Center for Teacher Education and the Political Science Department.

For more information call Barnes at ext. 6-5934.
'Supporting Intellectual Life' topic of Lyceum lecture

Philip Agre, associate professor of information studies at UCLA, will present "Supporting the Intellectual Life of a Democratic Society" as part of the Lyceum lecture series on Nov. 15 at 7 p.m. in Philips Hall in the Performing Arts Center.

Agre's current research and the focus of his talk explore the impact of emerging information technologies on privacy policy, the "networked university," and individual autonomy.

"He is especially interested in the distinctions between knowledge and information," said Harry Honfraybrand, dean of the College of Liberal Arts, "and he has proposed numerous strategies for resisting the mass standardization that too easily flows from mass media, digital and otherwise."


The presentation is sponsored by the College of Liberal Arts, the Kennedy Library and the Information Technology Services office. For more information, call the college office at ext. 6-2706.

Upcoming holidays mean CPR deadlines to change

Please note the Cal Poly Report is changing the deadline for two upcoming issues because the campus will be closed for Veterans' Day, Nov. 10, and for the Thanksgiving holiday, Nov. 23-24.

Items are due to Public Affairs by 10 a.m. Tuesday (Nov. 7) for the Nov. 15 issue and by 10 a.m. Nov. 20 for the Nov. 29 issue.

Please also note that the Dec. 6 edition is the final one for fall quarter. The Cal Poly Report is not published during quarter break. Winter quarter publication will resume Jan. 10.

Items can be e-mailed to polynews@polymail, faxed to ext. 6-6533, or mailed to Public Affairs, Heron Hall.

For more information call ext. 6-1511.

 Kenned y Library to celebrate GIS Day

The campus community is invited to the library's front lobby for GIS Day on Nov. 15. English Professor Steven Marx and Social Sciences Assistant Professor Max Moritz will give a presentation, "Mapping Cal Poly Land: A Sense of Place," noon-1 p.m. in Room 111-H in the library. The presentation is sponsored by the Faculty Development office.

GIS is a powerful problem-solving and decision-making tool. Digital maps and statistical databases can be combined, manipulated, analyzed and presented visually. Several events are scheduled.

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Football: Northern Iowa, Mustang Stadium, 1 p.m. ($)
Musical: Cal Poly Choirs Fall Concert with Poly Phonics and Cal Poly Vocal Jazz, First Baptist Church, San Luis Obispo, 8 p.m. ($)

Sunday, November 5

Comedy: Gay and Lesbian Comedy Night with Key Clinton, PAC Cohan Center, 8 p.m. ($)

Wednesday, November 8

Panel Discussion: Distinguished Teachers Mike Greger (Global Studies and Law Area), Brent Hallock (Soil Science), and Chris Stley (Computer Science) talk on motivation, Veranda Cafe, noon.

Speaker-Panel Discussion: Maziar Forouch (Ethnic Studies), "Middle East Crises," PAC Philips Hall, 7 p.m.

Thursday, November 9

Play: Theatre and Dance Department's "A Midsummer Night's Dream." (Nov. 9-11 and 16-18) Theatre, 8 p.m. ($)

Friday, November 10

Holidays: Veterans' Day campus closed.
Volleyball: CSU Fullerton, Mott Gym, 7 p.m. ($)
Writer-Speak: Port Rodney Jones, PAC Philips Hall, 7 p.m.
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Saturday, November 11

Volleyball: UC Irvine, Mott Gym, 7 p.m. ($)
Play: Theatre and Dance Department's "A Midsummer Night's Dream." (Nov. 9-11 and 16-18) Theatre, 8 p.m. ($)

Monday, November 13

Books at High Noon: Richard Dickey (Electrical Engineering, retired), "Voodoo Science" by Robert Park, Veranda Cafe, 12:10 p.m.
Music: Benno Schollum vocal recital, Cohan Center, Pavilion, 8 p.m. ($)

Tuesday, November 14

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Paper copies of all interim and final Campus Administrative Policies will be provided on request by the Kennedy Library Reserve Desk.

During November, the following policies have been posted. See http://policy.calpoly.edu/capdraftdraftTOC.htm.

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**Mattea tickets on sale**

Kathy Mattea

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Tickets to this Cal Poly Arts Center Stage event are $20 to $32.

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Students in a Small Group Communication class are sponsoring “Coats ‘n Cans,” a Nov. 2-12 clothing and food drive for the homeless.

“This holiday season, there are many people who will be on the streets, cold and hungry,” said student and event organizer Laura Hartman. “This is a socially significant project for our class. The goal is to collect warm clothing, non-perishable food and canned goods to donate to the Salvation Army.”

Donations can be dropped off in marked bins at the Albertson’s stores on Foothill Boulevard and Madonna Road, Vons on Bread Street, and the Campus Market. For more information, call Hartman at 786-4232.

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