CSU trustees support Prop. 143 in Nov.

The CSU board of trustees has unanimously endorsed Proposition 143 on the Nov. 6 ballot. It is a $450 million general obligation bond measure that will provide funds for capital outlay projects at the CSU, UC, and community college campuses.

Cal Poly has six projects worth $10.3 million on the ballot. They include $6.7 million to build Dairy Science II; $2.6 million to build the Poultry Science Unit; $349,000 for working drawings for the new Performing Arts Center; $300,000 for preliminary plans to renovate the campus heating system; $161,000 for equipment for Dairy Science I, and $93,000 for preliminary plans and working drawings for site development on California Blvd.

Affirmative Action candidate on campus

The first candidate for the director of affirmative action position is scheduled to meet with campus officials next week.

Dr. Marlon Boenheim, assistant to executive vice chancellor, director of affirmative action and professor of higher education at the University of Mississippi, will be on campus Oct. 1-2.

An informal reception will be held Monday, Oct. 1, from 2-3 pm in Faculty/Staff Dining Room-B. All faculty, staff and students are encouraged to attend.

Other candidates who are scheduled for interviews include: Dr. Sandra Holbrook, director of equal opportunity and academic personnel services, North Dakota State University (Oct. 15-16); Anna J. McDonald, personnel management specialist, ABD, Cal State University, Fresno (Oct. 18-19); Dr. Karen A. Alvarado, director of affirmative action, City of Portland (Oct. 23-24); Jorge C. Aguiniga, JD, lecturer, political science department and student academic services advisor for the School of Liberal Arts, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo (Oct. 25-26); and Antonio Garcia, regional director, Mathematics, Engineering, Science Achievement (MESA), UC Berkeley (Oct. 31-Nov. 1).

Larry Wolf feted

A reception will be held to honor Larry Wolf, director of financial aid, who is retiring at the end of the month. The reception will be held today (Sept. 27) from 2-4 pm in the UU Galerie. Wolf came to Cal Poly in 1970 as the first director of financial aid.

Guy H. Thomas Jr.

Guy H. Thomas Jr., 63, a member of the graphic communication department faculty since 1968, died Sept 14 in San Luis Obispo. A 1953 Cal Poly printing graduate, he earned his master’s degree in education in 1971. He served as department head from 1970-72, and from 1980-83. In 1989 he was selected as the honored alumnus from the School of Professional Studies and Education.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, his mother, and two brothers. Contributions may be made to the Guy H. Thomas Jr. Memorial Scholarship Fund, c/o University Development Services, Heron Hall.

Open enrollments set for Oct. 1 to Oct. 31

The annual open enrollment periods for the CSU dental insurance and Dependent Care Reimbursement programs are being held from Oct. 1 to Oct. 31. All open enrollment actions will be effective Jan. 1, 1991.

For dental insurance, eligible employees may change plans, enroll in a plan if not currently enrolled, or add eligible family members. Dental care coverage for all state employees currently enrolled will automatically continue if no change is desired.

There are no changes in dental plan benefits for 1991. Although premiums will be increased for 1991, the state will continue to pay the entire monthly premium, ranging from $9.37 to $92.51, for employees and their eligible dependents. Employees appointed to a half-time or more position (40% time base or more for lecturers and coaches) greater than six months in duration are eligible to enroll in a dental plan.

October is also the month for employees to elect participation in the Dependent Care Reimbursement Program for the 1991 tax year. This program allows employees to pay for necessary dependent care for adults or children through pre-tax payroll deductions. These deductions are exempt from federal and state income taxes and from Social Security taxes.

Open enrollment literature will be distributed during the first week of October. Included will be a dental plan benefits comparison chart and a description of enrollment procedures. A Dependent Care Reimbursement Program booklet is available upon request from the Personnel Office. Forms (Cont. on Page 3)
Books at High Noon to begin on Oct. 3

Books at High Noon will begin its fall book review series on Wednesday, Oct. 3, with Lark Carter (dean, School of Agriculture) reviewing “State of the World, 1990” by Lester Brown and Worldwatch Institute. This book addresses environmental issues on a global scale, identifying crucial problems and proposing some remedies.

Books at High Noon is an outreach program of the Kennedy Library and is conducted in cooperation with the university faculty and staff. The programs are held on Wednesdays in the Faculty/Staff Dining Room and begin about 12:15 pm. All faculty, staff and students are invited to attend.

On Oct. 10, Harry Sharp (interim associate dean, School of Liberal Arts) will review “Seeing Voices: A Journey Into the World of the Deaf” by Oliver Sacks, a book that explores the nature of nonverbal communication, the tragic consequences of preventing deaf children from learning signing, and the culture of the deaf community in America.

On Oct. 17, Richard Zweifel (associate dean, School of Architecture and Environmental Design) reviews “The Bonfire of the Vanities” by Tom Wolfe. This dark comedy of American realism is set in New York City in the late 1980s and chronicles a young investment banker’s involvement with politicians, police, prosecutors, clergy and hustlers.

Oct. 24 will bring David Walch (dean of Library Services), who will review “Information Anxiety” by Richard Wurmman. This book addresses the increasingly difficult problem of information overload and how to sort it out, as well as access, what is useful.

On Oct. 31, Mary Kay Harrington (coordinator, Writing Skills) will review, “Coyotes: A Journey Through the Secret World of America’s Illegal Aliens” by Ted Conover. This is a non-fiction account chronicling the human stories of undocumented Mexican workers and their use by U.S. Agriculture.

The last offering of the quarter, on Nov. 7, will be Walter Perlick (interim dean, School of Business) reviewing “What is Total Quality Control? The Japanese Way” by Kaoru ishikawa, a book that discusses the principles underlying the production efficiencies adopted in Japan which are responsible for Japan’s pre-eminence in manufacturing today.

ISO and The Bobs coming to Cal Poly

Imaginative, effervescent, and brilliant are terms used to describe ISO and The Bobs, two groups that will open the Cal Poly Arts CenterStage series on Tuesday, Oct. 2, at 8 pm in the Theatre.

Dancing, gymnastics, a cappella bopping and rocking will be presented by this octet of young artists. ISO consists of four individuals who were formerly with the MOMIX modern dance company. (ISO stands for “I’m so optimistic” as well as the Greek prefix that means balance.)

The Bobs (an acronym for Best of the Breed), have been San Francisco Bay Area favorites for years.

Elastic ropes, pulleys, venetian blinds, auto headlamps, Dr. Frankenstein’s lab, shadow graphs, and flashy (sometimes funny) costumes and dancing togs all contribute to ISO’s captivating choreography.

Matching ISO’s visual magnetism are The Bobs’ audio delights. They sing and romp through all manner of special material, often in conjunction with members of ISO.

Tickets are $16 and $14 for adults and $14 and $12 for students and seniors. All seats are reserved. Reservations can be made by calling the Theatre Ticket Office, ext. 1421, between 10 am and 4 pm on weekdays. The ticket office will be open 10 am to 8 pm on performance day.

Field Day, Bull Sale scheduled Oct. 1, 2

Two significant events for those in the beef cattle business in California have been announced by the animal sciences and industry department.

The Cal Poly Field Day, scheduled for Monday, Oct. 1, will take place at the Embassy Suites Hotel in San Luis Obispo, and the 34th annual Cal Poly Test Bull Sale, on Tuesday, Oct. 2, will be held in the Livestock Pavilion at the Beef Unit just north of the main campus. Registration for the field day will begin at 8 am.

Arts and Humanities lectures announced

“Native Americans: Tradition and Culture in the Last Decade of the 20th Century” will be the theme of the 1990-91 Arts and Humanities Lecture Series. The program, in its 20th year, is sponsored by the School of Liberal Arts.

“This year’s series will explore Native American history and traditions in relation to contemporary developments in Native American experience, culture, art, and politics,” says Dr. Angela M. Estes, coordinator of the series and a member of the English faculty.

Floyd Westerman, a Lakota Sioux musician, will open the lecture series on Thursday, Oct. 4, at 11 am in UU 220.

Other programs for the fall quarter include:

James Luna, Native American performance artist, Oct. 11;
Wendy Rose, American Indian poet, Nov. 8; and
Richard Glazer-Damay, Native American artist, on a date to be announced.
Flores named advisor to Costa Rica college

Dr. Robert Flores of the agricultural education faculty has been named the university's chief advisor to the newly opened Agricultural College of the Humid Tropic Regions in Costa Rica.

Flores was appointed by Dean of Agriculture Lark P. Carter with the concurrence of the U.S. Agency for International Development and the new college.

He succeeds Dr. Larry R. Rathbun, who completed a two-year assignment in August and has returned to his campus duties as associate dean for administration in the School of Agriculture.

Flores will be the on-site administrator of Cal Poly's ongoing contract as the lead institution in the creation and development of the college. He will begin his new duties Oct. 1.

The Agricultural College of the Humid Tropic Regions began its first term of instruction in March with 60 students from eight Latin American nations.

The Agricultural College of the Humid Tropic Regions is an independent, private, institution offering courses leading to the Bachelor of Science degree in agriculture.

Cal Poly's involvement with the effort to boost the impact of agriculture on the economies of countries in the Central American and Caribbean region dates from 1985 when it received a 10-year contract as the lead support university for development of the college.

Shankel will be honored at an induction program on Friday, Oct. 12, at the Embassy Suites Hotel in San Luis Obispo. They will also be recognized at halftime of the Cal Poly vs. Cal State Sacramento football game the following evening.

The Friday program will open with a reception at 6 pm, and a banquet and induction ceremony will follow at 7:30. Both will take place in the hotel's San Luis Obispo Ballroom.

Cost of the "black-tie-optional" event is $35 per person for the dinner and reception.

A limited number of reservations are available at $125, which includes a contribution to the Hall of Fame Scholarship Fund and two reserved places for the dinner and reception.

Checks used in payment for the evening's activities should be made payable to "Cal Poly Hall of Fame" and sent to the Athletic Development Office, Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo, CA 93407. Because seating for the banquet and ceremony will be limited, payments must be received by Friday, Oct. 5.

Telephone reservations and additional information about the Friday evening activities can be obtained by dialing ext. 2255.

Richard T. Brockway

Richard T. (Tom) Brockway, 68, a member of the Cal Poly President's Round Table, died Sept. 11 in Arroyo Grande. He worked for the Lockheed Corporation for 37 years and was part of the company's founding group at Vandenberg Air Force Base. He retired in 1988.

Open enrollment

to initiate a dental insurance open enrollment action or to elect participation in the Dependent Care Reimbursement Program must be submitted to the Personnel Office by Oct. 31. Questions regarding these programs may be directed to the Personnel Office, ext. 2236.

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

Performance: The Seattle Mime Theatre will perform. Theatre, 7 pm. ($) 

Soccer: Cal Poly Pomona, Stadium, 7 pm. ($) 

Volleyball: Cal State Fullerton, Mott Gym, 7:30 pm. ($) 

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

Reception: Artists' reception for The Platypus Group. UU Galerie, 5 pm.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 1

Film: "Stars," Chumash, 7:30 pm. ($) 

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2

Dance Concert: ISO and the Bobs will perform as part of the Center-Stage series. Theatre, 8 pm. ($) 

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3

Books at High Noon: Lark Carter (School of Agriculture) will review "State of the World, 1990" by Lester Brown and Worldwatch Institute. Staff Dining Room, noon.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4

Speaker: Floyd Westerman (Lakota Sioux musician) will speak as part of the Arts and Humanities Lecture Series. UU 220, 11 am.

Reception/Exhibit: An artist's reception for John David Ratajkowski will be held at 7 pm. The exhibit of paintings of Poland will continue through Nov. 1. Dexter Art Gallery.

Volleyball: Cal State Fullerton, Mott Gym, 7:30 pm. ($) 

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6

Performance: El Teatro de la Esperanza will perform "Real Girls Have Curves." Theatre, 8 pm. ($) 

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8

Film: "Young Aphrodites," Chumash, 7:30 pm. ($) 

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10

Books at High Noon: Harry Sharp (Liberal Arts) will review "Seeing Voices: A Journey Into the World of the Deaf" by Oliver Sacks. Staff Dining Room, noon.

Poly Voices: Gloria Velasquez Trevino (foreign languages and literatures) and Willi Coleman (counseling and testing) will present readings in the Sandwich Plant. 7 pm.

Performance: DanceBrazil will perform in the Theatre, 8 pm. ($)
Position Vacancies

Vacant staff positions at Cal Poly and the Cal Poly Foundation are announced in this column and are posted outside the respective offices. Contact those offices (State: Adm. 110, 805-756-2236 — Foundation Administration Building, 805-756-1121) for applications and additional position details. Both Cal Poly and the Foundation are subject to all laws governing affirmative action and equal employment opportunity. Cal Poly hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. All eligible and interested persons are encouraged to apply. Applications must be received by 5 pm or postmarked by the closing date. State

CLOSING DATE: Oct. 10, 1990
Clerical Assistant I-A, $1498-$1764/month; temp. (11/13/90-12/15/90), ESS/admissions.
Clerical Assistant I, $749-$882/month, half-time, temp. through 6-30-91, Student Life & Activities.
Custodian, $624.40-$736.80/month; 4/10-time, Fri. 3 am-7 am, Sat.-Sun. 4 am-12:30 pm; plant operations.
Instructional Support Technician I, $577.50-$694/month; quarter-time, soil science.
Lead Custodian, open to employees of units 2, 5, 7, 9 only, $1681-$1987/month; temp. thru April 30, 1991 with possibility of permanency; 9:30 pm-6 am shift, plant operations.
CLOSING DATE: Oct. 17, 1990
Emergency Clerical Pool, personnel & employee relations. Applications now being accepted by personnel for temporary clerical pool. Assignments on an as needed basis by depts. on campus needing temporary assistance for up to 60 days; assignments vary in timebase, salary, length of appointment.

Foundation
CLOSING DATE: Oct. 4, 1990
Assistant Cook, $6.59/hour starting with increases to $8.01/hour based on merit, full-time, 10-month position with summer off, campus dining.
Clerical Assistant II-A, $1611-$1900/month, foundation.
CLOSING DATE: Oct. 15, 1990
Personnel Manager, $3331-$4164/month, Foundation Personnel
CLOSING DATE: Oct. 19, 1990
Cash Operations Manager, $2520-$3150/month with starting salary dependent upon selected candidate’s qualifications, food service.

Candidates for positions on the faculty of the university are presently being sought, according to Jan Pieper, director of personnel and employee relations. Those interested in learning more about the positions are invited to contact the appropriate dean or department head. Salaries for faculty commensurate with qualifications and experience (and time base where applicable), unless otherwise stated. This university is subject to all laws governing Affirmative Action and equal employment opportunity including but not limited to Executive Order 11246 and Title IX of the Education Amendments Act and the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Cal Poly hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. All eligible and interested persons are encouraged to apply.

CLOSING DATE: Nov. 23, 1990
Assistant/Associate Prof. (tenure-track), philosophy. AY 1991-92. Area of specialization: open. Areas of competence: history of philosophy, critical thinking. Duties include teaching 3 courses per quarter of either the introductory course or the critical thinking course and 1 upper division course. Usual non-teaching duties. Summer work may be available every other summer quarter. Ph.D. in philosophy is required prior to the time of appointment. All applicants must document excellence in teaching.

CLOSING DATE: Nov. 26, 1990
Assistant Professors, psychology & human development. Four entry level positions beginning fall 1991. For description of each position, please contact the department. Doctoral degree in psychology or related discipline or a doctoral degree in early childhood education, human development or related discipline (depending upon position) from an accredited college or university required.

CLOSING DATE: Nov. 30, 1990
Lecturers, political science. One-year position(s) beginning fall 1991. Teach American or Third World politics. Ph.D. preferred; M.A., teaching experience required.

CLOSING DATE: Dec. 1, 1990
Tenure-Track Positions, mathematics. Positions for 1991-92 AY. Assistant professor preferred; teaching load is 12 units per quarter plus 3 units of instructionally related responsibilities. A doctorate in mathematics is required. A strong commitment to both teaching and research is expected.

CLOSING DATE: Dec. 3, 1990
Assistant Professor, tenure-track, theatre and dance. Tenure-track beginning Sept. 1991. Scene/costume/lighting design teacher/designer to teach stagecraft, design, intro to theater; design 3 mainstage shows; supervise technician and student assistants; assume leadership in design/technical area. MFA in theater design and successful teaching required; interest in Macintosh IIXc-based design system with laser printer, scanner, plotter helpful.

CLOSING DATE: Dec. 31, 1990
Chairman, industrial engineering. AY position carrying responsibilities for program administration, faculty and program leadership, and some teaching in a field of interest. Applicants must possess an earned doctorate and be professionally qualified as an industrial engineer by virtue of education and experience. Applicants must demonstrate an outstanding record of leadership, applied research, and preferably administrative ability.

CLOSING DATE: Jan. 31, 1991
Assistant or Associate Professor, physics. Position for 1991-92 AY. Primary duties and responsibilities are to teach undergraduate physics courses. Successful applicant will also be expected to involve undergraduates in senior projects. Ph.D. required. Preference will be given to recent Ph.D.'s with evidence of (or potential for) excellence in teaching. Candidates in the area of experimental physics are especially encouraged.

CLOSING DATE: March 6, 1991
Lecturer (non-tenure-track with possible renewal), speech communication. Position available for 1991-92 AY. Duties incl. teaching critical thinking, fundamentals of speech, and public speaking; serve as associate director of forensics. Master's degree, teaching experience in speech communication, and substantial experience in coaching novice and advanced students in debate and individual events required.

CLOSING DATE: March 6, 1991
Lecturer, (non-tenure-track with possible renewal), speech communication. Position available for 1991-92 AY. Duties include teaching critical thinking, fundamentals of speech, and public speaking. Master's degree and teaching experience in speech communication required.