Baker keynote speaker at Midwest co-op conference

President Baker gave the keynote address at the 9th annual Midwest Cooperative Education Association Conference. His topic at the recently concluded meeting was "High Tech & Co-Op: Vehicles to the Future."

While in the Midwest, President Baker met with top officials at the General Motors Corporation and visited other companies with leading-edge CAD/CAM facilities.

On Oct. 25 President Baker was in Long Beach for a meeting of the CSU Board of Trustees. Action was taken on the CSU proposed 1984-85 Support Budget.

Today and Friday President Baker is in Washington, D.C. for the monthly meeting of the Board for International Food and Agricultural Development (BIFAD). He was appointed to the Board by President Reagan last summer.

'Satan' topic of Halloween Eve talk

Satan, the great adversary of man, will be the topic of a pre-Halloween talk at Cal Poly Sunday night.

Jeffrey B. Russell, professor of history at the University of California at Santa Barbara, will speak at 5 pm in University Union 220. The free, public lecture is sponsored by the English Department, the English Club and the United Ministries in Higher Education.

Russell will review the devil's place in the cosmos, explain how the concept developed and discuss the merits and demerits of belief in the devil today. He is the author of two recent books on the subject: "The Devil: Perceptions of Evil from Antiquity to Primitive Christianity" and "Satan: The Early Christian Tradition."

Russell holds degrees from UC Berkeley and Emory University in Atlanta. He has been honored with such academic appointments as Fulbright Fellow at the Universite de Liege in Belgium, Harvard Junior Fellow, Guggenheim Fellow in England, and National Endowment for the Humanities Senior Fellow.

Consultant to review preparedness plan

The Chancellor's Office will proceed with a review of the nuclear power plant emergency response portion of the university's Disaster Preparedness Plan.

In Status Report No. 3, Howard West, Disaster Preparedness Plan director, notified university officials that actions to be taken by the Chancellor's Office have been changed. Originally, the Chancellor's Office was going to engage a consultant to review disaster plans at all 19 CSU campuses. Further analysis by the Chancellor's Office staff indicated that sufficient funds would not be available for such a wide-scale review.

Since Cal Poly is the only CSU campus in the vicinity of a nuclear power plant, a decision was made to proceed with a review of the nuclear power plant emergency response portion of the Disaster Preparedness Plan.

A "Request for Proposal" has been developed and issued to a number of firms involved in disaster preparedness planning. The request details the development of the Cal Poly plan; includes copies of the concerns expressed by the Academic Senate and the Student Senate; includes copies of President Baker's April 14 memo and attachments, and copies of the first two status reports.

The request requires the successful contractor to review the Cal Poly materials and provide an overall assessment of the nuclear power plant emergency response portion of the Cal Poly Disaster Preparedness Plan.

Status Report No. 3 also included updates on a shelter analysis, an information booklet, alternative locations for the Emergency Operations Center, and the initial training program for emergency workers.

If any member of the campus community has a question concerning the Cal Poly Disaster Preparedness Plan, please send it to Cal Poly Report, Admin. 206. The Report will continue to periodically run questions and answers about various aspects of the plan.

Calendars available from Library Associates

Cal Poly Memories -- 12 months of memorable photographs from the university's past -- is the title of a 1984 calendar offered by the Library Associates. Proceeds will help the Robert E. Kennedy Library.

Calendars are $4.95 each and available in Room 204 of the Library. For those wishing to order by mail, please send a check for $5.95 ($1 for shipping) made payable to the Cal Poly Foundation. Include your name and address, and send your order to Library Associates, Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo, CA 93407.
Poly project to help local youth get through high school

Sixty junior and senior high school students from southern San Luis Obispo County and northern Santa Barbara County will have a much better chance of completing their secondary education, thanks to the efforts of the Cal Poly Upward Bound Project.

A $139,000 grant from the U.S. Department of Education will fund academic-year activities and summer study on the Cal Poly campus to help selected students learn the skills and gain the motivation necessary not only to finish high school, but also to complete a postsecondary education.

Everardo Martinez, project director and a member of Cal Poly’s Student Academic Services staff, said the students will come from Main Street Junior High School in Guadalupe, Righetti High School in Santa Maria, Arroyo Grande High School and Santa Maria High School.

“These schools were selected because of their large concentration of under-represented ethnic minorities,” Martinez said. “National figures show that 42 percent of the Hispanic students who start junior high school do not graduate from the 12th grade.”

All of the programs offered by the Cal Poly Upward Bound Project will be designed to fit the needs of students with limited proficiency in English. Tutors will help students with reading, writing, grammar, spelling, public speaking, mathematics, science and the use of the library.

Students in the Upward Bound program will be on the Cal Poly campus for six weeks next summer to learn about university life. The intensive academic orientation will include instruction by Cal Poly professors in English, mathematics and science.

Introduction of Poly Royal officers

Student officers elected to serve as the 1984 Poly Royal Executive Board are:

- Superintendent: Cliff Young, a 5th year architecture major from Saratoga.
- Vice-Superintendent: Stacey Lusky, senior home economics major from Torrance.
- Arrangements: Leslie Walker, senior English major from Los Gatos.
- Treasurer: Jon Fasola, senior accounting major from Canoga Park.
- Publicity: Rob Marohn, senior biological sciences major from Palos Verdes.
- Queens: Jennifer Morton, sophomore mechanical engineering major from San Jose.
- Special Events: Greg Helwick, junior architecture major from Danville.
- School Events: Randy Hamerly, 5th year architecture major from Kings Beach.
- Secretary: Jane Finn, senior home economics major from Concord.
- Security and Transportation: Richard Cardoza, 5th year architecture major from Barstow.
- Carnival: Ray Reed, junior agricultural business major from Woodlake.
- Historian: Sandy Nunn, senior engineering technology major from Stockton.

The officers, who serve for one year, are responsible for the annual Poly Royal, which normally attracts more than 100,000 people for the two-day April event.

Sale at Warehouse Tuesday

A sale of unclaimed Lost & Found articles and Cal Poly’s surplus property will be held at the University Warehouse:

Tuesday, Nov. 1
8:30 am to 3 pm ONLY
Sale and bids accepted (1 day only)

Wednesday, Nov. 2
Closed to compile bids

Thursday, Nov. 3
8 am to 3 pm ONLY
1st highest bidders pick up items

Friday, Nov. 4
8 am to 11:30 am ONLY
2nd highest bidders pick up items

Noon: Open auction for all unclaimed items

Available items include clothing, books, jewelry, calculators, bikes, typewriters and electronic equipment. The university reserves the right to reject any and all bids. All sales final, subject to 6 percent sales tax.

For your aching back . . .

Back problems are a cause of pain and suffering for many members of our community. In an effort to help prevent back injuries and provide professional guidance for back care, the Public Safety Department is announcing “Backtalk,” a free safety program intended for anyone with a spine.

Backtalk is an ongoing safety program offered the first and third Tuesday of every month beginning in November and held in the Health Center Conference Room from 7 to 9 pm.

Dr. Karen J. Krahl, San Luis Obispo chiropractor, will provide instruction for back care exercises, preventive techniques for a healthier life and special methods of lifting to prevent the back from being injured.

Special exercises will be demonstrated and may be practiced by participants (comfortable clothes recommended). A question-and-answer period about job-related problems will follow each session.

For further information concerning the program, please contact Donald Van Acker, environmental health and occupational safety officer, at ext. 2281.
New state law to aid Poly

Cal Poly will benefit from a new state law that gives corporations a greater tax incentive for donating new instructional equipment to universities.

Assembly Bill 430 allows a donor a deduction equal to either the cost of donated equipment plus one-half unrealized profit or twice the cost -- whichever is less. The new law, which extends AB 3194 (from 1982), requires the following:

• Equipment must be donated between July 1, 1983, and June 30, 1985.
• Equipment must be new, constructed within the past two years.
• Costs of parts from sources other than the donor company cannot exceed 50 percent of the total cost of the donated equipment.
• The recipient university must provide the company with a written statement that the equipment is "state of the art" and will be used as an "integral part of the instruction program."

The new state law follows federal legislation passed in 1981.

For additional information on the solicitation and/or receipt of equipment, please contact Carroll Price, Development Office, ext. 2696.

Jack House restoration topic of Nov. 4 program

A report on progress in the effort to restore the Jack House, a San Luis Obispo landmark, will be made Nov. 4 to The Library Associates, a community group affiliated with the Kennedy Library.

Titled "Working With the Jack House: Historic Preservation in San Luis Obispo," the free, public program will begin at 7:30 pm in the library's Special Collections Room on the fourth floor.

It will be presented by Ethel Cooley, chairwoman of the City of San Luis Obispo's Jack House Committee, and committee members Elinor Smith and Jerry Emery.

The program will include a display of photographs, letters and other Jack family documents that give a first-hand look at county history. They are part of the Jack House Collection given to the Kennedy Library last year by the city.

A reception will follow the program.

Hours for Reserve Room

The Reserve Room of the Library will remain open until 2 am Sunday through Thursday, Nov. 1 to Dec. 8. The extended hours will also be used for the last six weeks of the Winter and Spring quarters. A request by students prompted the later hours, and funds will be provided by the university. The number of students using the room during the additional hours will be monitored by the Library staff.

Applications for leave due

Faculty and librarians are reminded that Tuesday (Nov. 1) is the last day to submit applications for sabbatical leave and difference-in-pay leave to their department head. Application forms may be obtained in the Personnel Office.

The list of faculty unit employees eligible for leaves was distributed last week to the school deans by Michael Suess, interim director of personnel and employee relations.

The leave with pay timetable for 1983-84 is as follows:

- Oct. 14: Director of Personnel Relations distributed sabbatical and difference-in-pay leave eligibility lists to the school deans, Provost and Academic Senate Chairman.
- Nov. 1: Applications due to the department head.
- Nov. 10: Department head forwards recommended applications to the school dean following consultation with tenured faculty members.
- Nov. 15: School dean submits applications to elected schoolwide professional leave committee; each committee will interview applicants from Nov. 15 to Dec. 14.
- Dec. 15: Priority lists recommended by the school professional leave committees are referred back to the school deans.
- Dec. 31: School deans forward a copy of their priority lists, the professional leave committee's recommendations, the applications and a report of the procedures followed in the recommendation process to the Provost.
- Jan. 5-15: Provost consults with universitywide professional leave committee.
- Feb. 1: Provost notifies applicants.

Rabbi to speak on religious suppression

The concept of oppression of religion will be the subject of a Nov. 3 lecture at Cal Poly — third in a series dealing with "George Orwell's '1984': Fantasy or Prophecy?"

The lecture, titled "Religious Suppression and Government Religion," will be presented by Rabbi Harry Manhoff of Congregation Beth David in San Luis Obispo. It will begin at 11 am in University Union 220. The free, public program is part of the 13th annual Arts and Humanities Lecture Series.

From 1979 to 1981 Manhoff was director of education at Temple Sholom in Cedar Grove, N.J. He has led Congregation Beth David since 1981.

He is a reserve chaplain with the San Luis Obispo Police Department and a volunteer chaplain at San Luis Obispo General Hospital. In addition, he is a member of the Ministerial Association of San Luis Obispo.
Dateline

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Outdoor Workshops: Sessions offered in sailing, cross country skiing, canoeing, rock climbing, windsurfing and more. Sponsored by ASI Outings. Sign up in the Escape Route, UU 112.

Craft Sale: Last day to sign up to participate in the UU Craft Sale Dec. 1 & 2. Sponsored by ASI Outings. Faculty, staff and students invited. (!)

Poker: Deadline for Poly Poker Tournament sign-ups. UU 104, 4 p.m. (Tourney is Oct. 29 and 30, UU Plaza.) Sponsored by Recreational Sports. Faculty, staff and students invited. (!)


Hawaii/Mexico: Sign up now for trips to Hawaii or Mexico during Fall Quarter break, Dec. 10-17. Sponsored by the University Union Travel Center, ext. 1127. Faculty, staff, students and alumni invited. ($)

Saturday, October 29
Hearst Castle: Tour magnificent Hearst Castle. Sponsored by ASI Outings. Sign up at the Escape Route. Faculty, staff, alumni and students invited. ($) Women's Volleyball: San Jose State. Main Gym, 7:30 p.m. Public invited. ($) Men's Soccer: UC Riverside. Mustang Stadium, 7:30 p.m. Public invited. ($) Volleyball: Deadline for signing up for a co-ed doubles volleyball tournament to be held this weekend. UU 104, 4 p.m. Sponsored by Recreational Sports. Faculty, staff and students invited. Awaiting. ($) Film: "War Games." Chumash Auditorium, 7 and 9:30 p.m. Public invited. ($)

Thursday, November 1
German Table: Anyone interested in gathering for lunch and conversing in German is invited to join Fredericka Churchill (x2992). Sandwich Plant, noon. Faculty, staff and students invited. (!)

Backtalk: Professional guidance for back care given by Dr. Karen J. Krall, local chiropractor. Health Center Conference Room, 7-9 p.m. Sponsored by the Public Safety Department. Public invited. (!)

Speaker: Charles Bellow, a Northern California architect and a 1955 Cal Poly graduate, will discuss conducting a self-sufficient life-style creatively in a forested wilderness. Architecture & Environmental Design Gallery (Room 105), 8 p.m. Part of the School of A&ED Distinguished Speaker Series. Faculty, staff and students invited. ($)

Wednesday, November 2
Class schedule for Winter Quarter available; CAR materials distributed and advising begins in departments.

Books at High Noon: Greg Wilson (Library) will review 2010 Odyssey 2 by Arthur C. Clarke. Staff Dining Room, noon. Sponsored by the Kennedy Library. Faculty, staff and students invited. (!)

Volleyball: Deadline for signing up for