City Council takes transportation step

The first step toward the creation of a city transportation system was taken by the City Council.

In a meeting Monday night, the council listened to a presentation by Dr. Robert Kennedy, president of the college and an eight-member planning team of students. The presentation outlined a system utilizing buses as a means of public transportation.

Kennedy began by telling of his meeting with federal administrators of the Urban Mass Transportation Administration (UMTA). Kennedy said UMTA recognized the need for a public transportation system that would serve the college and community. The agency felt the usual discussions on a complete city-wide system had been taken by the City Council.

Kennedy felt that the response he received from the federal officials was optimistic, in fact that the application for federal funds be made.

The financial aspects of a public bus system were discussed by a second member of the student group, Ken Lehr. He stated that the preliminary estimate they made concerning the original investment indicated that approximately $875,000 would be needed. Of this amount, the Capital Outlay Grant would finance two thirds and the city would finance the other one third. Annual operating costs were tentatively put at $314,000. These figures reflect the cost of such things as the buses, land and buildings to house them, maintenance, and salaries for drivers and mechanics. It was these budget considerations which generated the most concern on the part of the council, and some questions were asked as to the validity of the stated figures and to just where the money was to come from. Following proposals, ranging from charging students an additional sum on the quarterly ASI fee, to raising the city gas tax, to using money that would be generated from the proposed annexation of the college to the city were made. Mayor Kenneth Schwartz suggested that these considerations be shelved until discussions on a complete city-wide system are held.

The Mayor said that the prime concern of the City Council at this point should be to decide whether or not to initiate action on a preliminary query to Washington concerning the Capital Outlay Grant. The council approved such action and set the second council meeting in March for further consideration of the matter. A more comprehensive study on the part of the council into the feasibility of a bus system will be made before that time.
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Residents of Fayetteville, N.C., climb through timber that was a home prior to the wrath of a tornado which struck Monday. Although the home was flattened the automobile was not severely damaged. The teaser claimed two lives.

Save the country...now

The Ecology Committee, the National Sierra Club and all students can do something about the problem of pollution and over population by signing petitions that will be located in the Sack Bar tomorrow and the 26th. The first two petitions ask the Forest Service to reconsider the approval given for the massive recreation complex in the Mineral King Game Refuge and to consider placing 35,000 acres of wild land including upper Lopes Canyon in the National Wilderness Preservation System. Another petition requests that the administration reconsider the decision not to rehire Mr. Ralph Vrana.

Four-star rank

UPI President Nixon Tuesday nominated Lt. General Raymond G. Davis for four-star rank and assignment as assistant commandant of the Marine Corps to succeed retired General Louis W. Walt. Davis won the medal of honor as a battalion commander in the Korean War and holds every other U.S. Medal for Valor.

Family Night, open to students, staff, and their families is on Wednesdays from 7:30 to 8:30. Dressing rooms and lifeguards are provided, according to Miss Irvin, Women's P.E. instructor.

Joseph Black, a Scottish chemist, discovered carbon dioxide.

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Irvine ties Rugby club

Despite playing their “worst” game of the season Saturday the Groggs retained their second place standing in the college division of the Southern California Rugby Union, with a 4-1-1 record.

Today the Groggs travel to Jala Vista where they will be hosted by UCSD, ranked second in California.

Saturday, host the San Fernando Valley State Rugby Club on the Men’s Soccer Field at 1 pm.

For the second week in a row, Vic Ecklund, Little All-Coast lineman, broke away for a long score to save the Groggs in the last five minutes of play. Instead of breaking the game open this time, his score enabled the Groggs to salvage a poorly-timed, 6-6, tie with the Irvine Rugby Club 6-6. Ecklund ran over two tackles, hurdled a third, and outraced another to score. Another score to save the Groggs in the last five minutes of play.

Kiger paces linksmen in conference match

Jim Kiger fired a 73-77-74 to pace the Mustang golf team to a victory over UC Santa Barbara in a non-league match last Friday at San Luis Obispo Country Club. Coach Bill Hicks termed Kiger’s round, “Great, especially the way the wind was blowing that day.” Kiger was low medalist for the day as he defeated Vern Calabides, UC Santa Barbara’s number one man, 84. Calabides had 76 and was low medalist for the Gauchos.

Greg Edwards, Mustang number three man, downed his Gaucio opponent 62. Edwards shot a 75. John Miller carded a 71 to beat his opponent 5-1. The Mustang best ball team of Greg Edwards and Greg Stafford fired a 69 to defeat Fred Flach and John Walla of UCSB. The Fresno State Bulldogs will host the Mustangs in another non-league encounter at Fort Washington Country Club in Fresno, Friday.

According to coach Hicks, “If our first four men can play like they did last Friday, we’ve got a real good chance of beating Fresno.” Kiger, Edwards, Miller, and Steve Mowery will handle the first four slots. The fifth and sixth spots will be determined from a challenge round.

The Mustang swimmers will then host UC Riverside in their first league match Monday at the SLO Country Club.

Dual meets terminate, swimmers face CCAA

The Mustang swim team was fifth at the Mustangs’ dual meet with Cal Poly Pomona and Isla Vista Saturday. Pomona won the meet, which is to be held all day Saturday, host the San Fer­

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