1,500 EXPECTED FOR FFA CONVENTION, JUDGING CONTESTS

More than 1,500 members will participate in the various events of the 45th annual convention and state finals judging contests of the California Association, Future Farmers of America, from Wednesday (May 2) through Saturday (May 5) at Cal Poly.

Delegates will participate in business and educational sessions, hear from national FFA officers and officers from nearby states, listen to the remarks of leaders of allied organizations, receive awards following the annual banquet, and elect new officers for the association. Many of those participating in the convention will remain for the 16 state finals judging contests on Saturday.

Calvin Dooley of Hanford, current state president, will preside over the convention sessions, which will be held in the Cal Poly Theatre and Chumash Auditorium of the Julian A. McPhee University Union. Delegates from 270 high schools throughout the state will begin arriving at Cal Poly today (Tuesday, May 1) in preparation for the 2 p.m. opening of the convention on Wednesday.

Judging teams from the same 270 high schools will participate in the separate state judging finals on Saturday.

Both the convention and the judging contests are being hosted by Cal Poly's School of Agriculture and Natural Resources.

CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS RESULT IN STREET CLOSURES

Work on two campus construction projects that will result in closure of two campus streets began early this week, according to E. Douglas Gerard (Executive Dean). Development of a new major campus entrance from Highway 1 via radio hill and the Southern Pacific underpass will force closure of the present Highway 1 entrance road and construction of an addition to the Student Health Center will make necessary closure of Campus Way between Crandall Way and Via Carta.

Dean Gerard said the state Division of Highways has already posted appropriate signs along Highway 1 indicating that the major access to the campus from the West will be Foothill Blvd., and that all campus-bound traffic normally using Highway 1 from the west (Morro Bay-Cayucos-Cambria) should plan to use the Foothill Blvd.-California Blvd. route to enter the campus. Use of that alternate will be necessary until completion of the new entrance sometime in late-December or early-January.

The rear entrance will not actually be closed at its intersection with Highway 1 since access to the campus farm land in that area will be necessary for the on-going operations. However, two additional signs will be placed on the back entrance indicating that the road is closed at the underpass for those who may inadvertently turn onto the road from Highway 1.

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IMPROVED ACCIDENT INSURANCE NOW AVAILABLE

The Office of the Chancellor has made available to all California State University and Colleges faculty and staff members an improved insurance coverage for accidental death and dismemberment protection. It is the purpose of the Chancellor's Office to provide all eligible employees with the opportunity of participation in this plan which now incorporates new and expanded benefits for the individual employee and his family. Membership in an employee organization is not required.

All active employees between the ages of 18 and 69 appointed on a permanent basis and working at least half time, their spouses, and their unmarried dependent children (those between ages 19 and 23 must be full-time students), are eligible for coverage. The plan, designed and administered by Sanders and Associates, is underwritten by American Home Assurance Company.

Enrollment cards have been mailed to all eligible employees and should be returned to the Personnel Office by May 10 to be effective June 1, 1973. If participation is not planned, this should be indicated and the form returned. This will help assure that all employees have the opportunity to enroll. Those having questions regarding this plan are invited to telephone toll free 800-632-4725 between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on any business day up to May 10.

STREET CLOSURES . . . (Continued from Page 1)

Start of the second project, the Health Center addition, is expected late this week. The immediate impact of this project will be the closure of Campus Way between Crandall and Via Carta. Dean Gerard said this closure will be permanent since the addition to the Health Center will utilize part of the existing street.

Traffic normally entering the campus by using Crandall Way may still do so, but access by the Health Center will no longer be possible. During construction and subsequent to the completion of the new building, Campus Way will still be used as an access to the Health Center for emergency and service vehicles. Signs and barricades indicating that the road is closed to through traffic will be placed on Campus Way.

FACULTY, STAFF INVITED TO JOIN ANGLERS' CLUB

Faculty and staff are invited to join Anglers Anonymous, a new fishing club being formed on campus. Additional information can be obtained by telephoning John Gordon at (544-5395).

COPIES OF "CHANCELLOR'S COMMENTS" BEING DISTRIBUTED

Copies of the latest issue of The Chancellor Comments, a periodical newsletter issued by Chancellor of The California State University and Colleges Glenn S. Dumke, arrived on campus last week and are being distributed to members of the university faculty and staff as an attachment to this issue of Cal Poly Report. Discussed by Dr. Dumke in the issue, which is dated April 1973, are various recommendations of the Legislative Joint Committee on the Master Plan for Higher Education.
BALLET DE MEXICO PERFORMANCE WILL CONCLUDE CAMPUS FESTIVAL

A campus performance by the Ballet Aztlan de Mexico on Saturday (May 5) evening in the Men's Gymnasium will conclude Cal Poly's Cinco de Mayo festival for 1973. A dazzling spectacle of songs and dances from South of the Border, the program will begin at 8 p.m. under sponsorship of the Ethnic Programming Board of the Associated Students, Inc.

The 50-member ballet troupe works under the auspices of the Institute of Fine Arts in Mexico City and has travelled world-wide under cultural exchange agreements. It consists of 43 singers and dancers, plus 13 musicians including mariachi, marimba, and Vera Cruz bands.

La Bamba is only one of the many songs done by the ballet cast. Other favorites include Celito Lindo, Malaguena Salerosa, and Cu Cu Ru Cu Pu Paloma. The ballet presents a swift glimpse of dances and regional costumes from different states of the Mexican Republic in addition to prehispanic dances such as the huichol and the famed China Poblana.

General admission tickets for the performance are priced at $1 for children under 12, $2 for students, and $3.50 for the public. They are on sale at King and Queen Stereo and Premier Music Company in San Luis Obispo, Hancock College in Santa Maria, the Stereo West Stores in Santa Maria and San Luis Obispo, and the Information Desk in the Julian A. McPhee University Union on campus. The public is invited to attend.

Other Events Planned

Other events remaining on the schedule for the week-long Cinco de Mayo Festival, which is being sponsored by MECHA, an organization of Cal Poly students of Mexican-American descent, and the Ethnic Programming Board, include an art display in the university union, films, a dinner and fashion show, a dance, and performances by a student dance company.

A Cal Poly student Ballet Folklorico, formerly the MECHA dancers, will offer a program in Chumash Auditorium of the university union at 7 p.m. tonight (Tuesday, May 1). David Sanchez (Head, Ethnic Studies) will explain the significance of Cinco de Mayo during the program which will be open to the public. Admission will be free.

Contemporary films depicting life for the Chicano in the United States will be shown on Wednesday (May 2) and Thursday (May 3). Also planned are speakers who will elaborate on the themes of the films. The public is invited to both performances. Admission will be 50 cents for each.

Mexican fashions, Mexican food, and dancing to Mexican music will be available on Friday (May 4) in the Veterans Memorial Building in San Luis Obispo. The public is invited. Persons who wish to attend the fashion show and dinner may obtain tickets for $2. Those wishing to attend the dance, may obtain tickets for $2.50.

Tickets for the dinner and dance will be available at King and Queen Stereo in San Luis Obispo, the Information Desk in the university union on campus, and from members of MECHA.

May 14 will be the end of the seventh week of instruction for the Spring Quarter.
TICKETS STILL AVAILABLE FOR WOMEN'S CLUB LUNCHEON

Tickets for the annual May Luncheon of the Cal Poly Women's Club are still being sold, according to Mrs. Gerald Punches, who is ticket chairman for the traditional spring event. Priced at $2.25 each, they may be purchased through 5 p.m. tomorrow (Wednesday, May 2) from salesmen located throughout the San Luis Obispo area.

Theme for the luncheon, according to Mrs. J. Murray Smith and Mrs. Rod Keif, who are in charge of the event this year, is "We never promised you a rose garden, but ... ." It will take place on Saturday (May 5) beginning at 12:30 p.m. in the Dining Room of the new Vista Grande building. Only 200 tickets are available and each person attending is being asked to make a choice of a fresh fruit salad or a chef's salad.

Mrs. Punches said club members who are still selling tickets for the luncheon are Mrs. William Armentrout (543-2202), Southwood area; Mrs. William Boyce (544-0865), Country Club area; Mrs. James Culbertson (543-1581) and Mrs. Keif (544-0124), both Foothill area; and Mrs. Smith (544-0781), Cal Poly area. Tickets may also be obtained from Mrs. Punches (543-8844), Laguna Lake area.

MUSTANG BOOSTERS PLAN GOLF TOURNAMENT FOR SUNDAY

Plans for a golf tournament to be held on Sunday (May 6) on the San Luis Obispo Country Club course have been announced by the Mustang Boosters Club. The $25 entry fee for the event, a benefit for the athletic assistance fund which is administered by Cal Poly's Financial Aid Office, will cover green fees and a prime rib of beef dinner at 6 p.m. in the clubhouse at the Country Club. Play will begin at 10:30 a.m. Tee off times can be obtained by telephoning the Pro Shop at the Country Club. Additional information can be obtained by telephoning Joe Harper (Athletic Director) (546-2579).

PUBLICATION OF CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS ANNOUNCED

Publication of the proceedings of the 1972 Conference on Federal and Private Foundation Programs in Support of Higher Education has been announced by the Office of the Chancellor of The California State University and Colleges. Expected to be available soon, the 180-page volume may be purchased by writing to "Documents Division, Room 705, Office of the Chancellor, The California State University and Colleges, 5670 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, 90036." Checks or money orders covering the $6 per copy cost, plus five percent sales tax for California residents, must accompany requests.

OFF-CAMPUS POSITION VACANCIES

Information about the administrative position vacancies listed below can be obtained from the Placement Office, Adm-213, 546-2501:
California State University, Hayward -- Dean of Undergraduate Studies ($22,764 to $27,672 annually).
California State University, Long Beach -- Associate Dean (Fiscal Affairs), School of Letters and Science ($9,804 to $20,004).
"TOM PAINE" BEING READIED BY STUDENT CAST

A cast of 16 students is busily preparing for the opening performance of Tom Paine, the spring production of the Speech Communication Department at Cal Poly. The play by Paul Foster will be presented with a twist in the seating of the audience on the evenings of May 9 through May 12 (Wednesday through Saturday) in the Cal Poly Theatre. A special matinee will be presented on May 12 at 4 p.m.

The cast includes eight men and eight women representing nine different majors. Five are speech communication majors, two are English and two are education. Biochemistry, child development, agricultural business management, business administration, history, and journalism each have one representative in the cast.

Playing the lead role as Tom Paine will be Steve Patterson, an English major. The key role as Paine's reputation will be played by Glen McCullough, a senior majoring in history. Other roles will be played by Tony Santos, Pat Sibley, Win Hall, Ninou Lake, John Bankston, Nevada Barr, Pat Chew, Diana Daughters, Ann DeJohn, Jim Stowell, Alyce Dottie, Carol Frost, and Debbie Topham.

Robin Lake (Speech Communication), who is directing the campus production, said seating for each performance will be limited to 17 persons by the fact that the audience will be seated on stage with the performers. The play will be presented in-the-round with seating on a first come, first seated basis.

General admission tickets for all performances are on sale now at the Information Desk of the Julian A. McPhee University Union. Prices are $2 for adults and $1 for students.

FACULTY, STAFF INVITED TO LIST COMMUNITY SPEECH TOPICS

This issue of Cal Poly Report includes a questionnaire which may be filled out by any faculty or staff member and submitted to the Office of Information Services.

According to Lachlan P. MacDonald (Director, Information Services) the questionnaires are incorporated in a file used to reply to requests from community groups for speakers on both university-related topics and other subjects. Information Services does not operate as a bureau to arrange bookings, but does serve as a liaison agency to assist program chairmen who are seeking speakers from among faculty and staff. All arrangements are between the sponsoring group and the speaker. Information on the questionnaires submitted should be current for the Fall Quarter, 1973 during which it is planned to publish a booklet of listings received. The booklet will be distributed to community groups throughout the Central Coast. Forms should be complete and submitted by May 18, 1973.

OLSEN ELECTED TO STATE-WIDE SENATE

Barton C. Olsen (History) was elected to a three-year term on the Academic Senate of the California State University and Colleges during an election held on campus on April 17, according to J. Murray Smith (Speech Communication) Election Committee chairman for the Cal Poly Academic Senate. Dr. Olsen has been chairman of the campus senate for the past year.
A suggestion for handling recyclable materials has resulted in a $25 cash award for Patricia J. Warren, a clerical assistant working in the Reference-Periodicals Section of the University Library.

The cash award from the Merit Award Board of the State of California is in recognition of Mrs. Warren's suggestion of a procedure for recycling the hundreds of pages of obsolete publishers listings that are discarded by the Library. After saving the discarded pages for one week they are picked up by members of the campus Ecology Action Club and transported to the San Luis Obispo Recycling Center for processing.

Mrs. Warren believes the procedure she suggested could become a valuable service provided for the community at little or no cost to the university.

CANDIDATES FOR FACULTY POSITIONS BEING SOUGHT

Candidates for positions on the faculty of the university are presently being sought, according to Larry R. Voss (Director of Personnel Relations). Those interested in learning more about the position are invited to contact the appropriate dean or department head. Cal Poly is an Affirmative Action Employer. Following is a description of the available positions:

**Intermediate Vocational Instructor** ($10,056-$12,228), Soil Science Department, School of Agriculture and Natural Resources. Duties and responsibilities include teaching soil classification, land use planning, and introductory soils. The position will also include advisory activities on an individual and collective basis. Candidates should have a doctorate with work experience and interest in teaching. Minorities and women are encouraged to apply.

**Intermediate Vocational Instructor** ($10,056-$12,228), Agricultural Engineering Department, School of Agriculture and Natural Resources. Duties and responsibilities include teaching courses in power and machinery, agricultural systems analysis, and mechanized agriculture. Candidates should possess MS or Ph.D. in agricultural engineering or mechanical engineering with industrial experience desired. Minority applicants and women are encouraged to apply. Position available: September 1973.

VACANT SUPPORT STAFF POSITIONS LISTED

Vacant support staff positions have been announced by S. Milton Piuma (Staff Personnel Officer). Descriptions of the positions and other vacancies are posted outside the Personnel Office, Adm-110, 546-2236. Contact the Personnel Office to obtain an application. Cal Poly is an Affirmative Action Employer. The positions are:

**Clerical Assistant II-A** ($242.00-$244.50), Half-time position, Library, Academic Affairs Division. Duties and responsibilities include checking in and distributing departmental periodicals in Kardex and other clerical duties and assigned. Applicants must have passed the General Clerical Test, be high school graduates with one year of office experience, and be able to type 45 wpm. (Temporary help position until end of the fiscal year; commencing July 1, 1973 it will be a permanent position.)

**Clerical Assistant II-A** ($242.00-$244.50), half-time position, Library, Academic Affairs Division. Duties and responsibilities include preparing materials for binding. Applicants must have passed the General Clerical Test, be high school graduates with one year of office experience. Must be able to type 45 wpm. Position available only from May 2, 1973 thru July 31, 1973.

**Clerical Assistant III-A** ($599-$717), Purchasing Office, Business Affairs Division. Duties and responsibilities include preparing and processing of contracts and various purchasing documents, correspondence and reports. Assists campus personnel with purchasing problems; explains procedures to be followed. General knowledge of office procurement policies, methods and procedures; general understanding of university administrative practices and general knowledge of office management policies. Ability to establish and maintain cooperative and effective working relationships with faculty, students, and members of the general public; ability to carry out assignments without detailed instructions. Applicants must have passed the General Clerical Test, be high school graduates with two years of office experience, and be able to type 45 wpm.
David W. Hafemeister and Leonard W. Wall (both Physics) attended a meeting of the American Physical Society held recently in San Diego. About 1,200 papers, mostly in solid state physics, were presented during the four-day meeting, which included the first technical sessions of the society's new Division of Biological Physics.

Rex Hutton, Alfred Bachman, and Neal Townsend (all Mathematics) attended a workshop-conference held recently in Fullerton. Theme for the program, which took place at California State University, Fullerton, was "The Computer in Preservice Training of Secondary School Mathematics and Science Teachers."

Satwant S. Rihal (School of Architecture and Environmental Design) attended a structural engineering meeting which took place April 8-13 in San Francisco. Theme of the program, which was sponsored by the American Society of Civil Engineers, was "Structural Engineering in Earthquake Country." Albert W. Draves and Carl Haieh also attended part of the meeting.

Edward A. Cairns (English) presented a paper and demonstration at the National Conference on College Communication and Composition, which took place in New Orleans. His presentation concerned perception and association techniques as they relate to pre-writing. Dr. Cairns has just been appointed as a reader for the state-wide English Equivalency Test, in which all 19 of The California State University and Colleges campuses will participate. The first of its kind in California, the test may well have an important effect on essay testing throughout the United States.

George R. Mach (Mathematics) presided over the 19th Biennial Convention of Kappa Mu Epsilon mathematics honor society at Morningside College in Sioux City, Iowa, April 5-7. Dr. Mach, whose term as president of the society ended during the convention, will serve as past-president and a member of the national council for the next two years. One of 12 student papers given during the gathering was presented by J. Kenneth Haygood of Cal Poly, who along with Dr. Mach represented the Cal Poly chapter of KME.

William B. Kurtz (Natural Resources Management) is co-author of a paper titled "Missionary Influence on Maya Medical Behavior: Results of a Factor Analysis," which was presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology in Tucson, Ariz., on April 12-14. The paper dealt with an analysis of religious missionary effects on the adoption of various medical practices between 1944 and 1969 in the Tzeltal community of Yochib in southeastern Mexico.

Kenneth E. Schwartz (School of Architecture and Environmental Design) took part in an articulation conference which took place on April 5-6 at San Francisco City College.

Malcolm J. Carr (Social Sciences) addressed the Unitarian-Universalist Fellowship at Rancho El Chorro near Camp San Luis Obispo, on April 1. His remarks, titled "The Social Construction of Reality," were based on the book of the same name by Peter Berger and Thomas Luckmann.

Teymoor Gedaylo (Physics) has just been notified by University of Kansas that all requirements for his Doctor of Philosophy Degree with a major in radiation biophysics have been completed. Dr. Gedaylo has been a member of the Cal Poly faculty since 1965. Before that he was a laboratory assistant and supervisor at University of Washington.

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Fritz Bergthold and Bill Krupp (both Engineering Technology) have just completed a course on biomedical instrumentation for engineers, which took place at California State University, Los Angeles. Held on four consecutive Saturdays, it was specifically for personnel in engineering and/or biomedical occupations. Participants included registered nurses, laboratory technicians, engineers, and technologists.


Robert F. Williams (Business Administration) was a delegate for the Central and Western Regional Conference of the American Institute of Decision Science, which took place recently at California State University, San Diego.

Keith Nielsen (Speech Communication) attended the International Communication Association Convention on April 25-28 in Montreal, Canada. Dr. Nielsen presented a paper on "Scenario Role-Playing as a Means to Inter-Ethnic Communication" for an intercultural communication session and was a panel participant on the subject of therapeutic communication problems.

ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING EXECUTIVE WILL BE CAMPUS SPEAKER

F. A. McCrackin, manager of environmental planning for the Southern California Edison Company, will be the speaker for two programs to be presented on Thursday (May 3) by the Cal Poly Electric Power Institute. Both open to faculty, students, and guests, the programs will be presented at 11 a.m. in Sci-E-45 and at 7 p.m. in Sci-E-27.

Topics for the 11 a.m. talk will be "Response of a Concerned Electric Utility to Current Environmental Problems." "Environmental, Social, and Economic Problems Facing the Electric Utilities" will be the title of the 7 p.m. program.

Saul Goldberg (Electronic and Electrical Engineering), who is director of the Electric Power Institute, said the evening program is being co-sponsored with the campus branch of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers and the Environmental Engineering Department. Admission for both talks will be free.

APRIL SALARY WARRANTS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT 4 P.M. TODAY

April salary warrants for faculty and staff of the university will be available at 4 p.m. today (Tuesday, May 1), the last work day of the pay period. Warrants batched by department may be picked up at the Cashier's Office, Adm-131-C, and those picked up on an individual basis may be picked up in the Business Affairs Division Office, Adm-114, after that time.

Typewritten copy intended for the next issue of Cal Poly Report must be received prior to 12 noon Friday, May 4, in the Office of Information Services, Administration-210.
COMING EVENTS -- COMING EVENTS -- COMING EVENTS

Cinco de Mayo Observance -- Monday, April 30, 12 noon through Saturday, May 5. The week of speakers, films, cultural experiences, ballet, art displays, and a fashion show and dinner-dance are sponsored by MECHA, an organization of Cal Poly students of Mexican-American descent, and the Ethnic Program Board of the University's Associated Students, Inc. See Pony for information on individual events.

Computer Science and Statistics Colloquium -- Thursday, May 3, 11 a.m. Room 256, Computer Science Building. Lyna Wiggins will give a talk on "Using the Semantic Differential to Measure Subjective Responses to Urban Stimuli." Faculty and staff invited.

Varsity Tennis Tournament -- Thursday, through Saturday, May 3-5, all day, tennis courts adjacent to Men's Gymnasium. Round Robin tennis tournament featuring teams from the California Collegiate Athletic Association. Public invited.

Electric Power Institute Seminar -- Thursday, May 3, 11 a.m., Room E-45, Science Building. F. A. McCrackin, Manager of Environmental Planning for Southern California Edison Company, will discuss current environmental problems; sponsored by the Cal Poly Electric Power Institute. Faculty, staff, and students invited.

Interdisciplinary Symposium -- Thursday, May 3, 11 a.m., Dexter Library, Room 128. James Lau will discuss "Behavioral Scientist in Public and Private Organizations;" sponsored by Cal Poly's Political Science Department. Public invited.

Cal Poly University Club Luncheon Meeting -- Thursday, May 3, 12 noon, Staff Dining Room. Program chaired by J. Cordner Gibson on Future Farmers of America. Faculty and staff invited.

F F A Convention -- Wednesday through Friday, May 2-4, all day, campus. Forty-fifth annual convention of California Association of Future Farmers of America; hosted by Cal Poly's School of Agriculture and Natural Resources. By reservation in advance.

Varsity Baseball -- Friday, May 4, 2:30 p.m., Poly Field. Cal Poly vs. Chapman College. General admission tickets - students with ASI card, free; children, 50 cents; adults, $1.

Physics Colloquium -- Friday, May 4, 3 p.m., Science Building Room E-27. J. C. Savage from National Center for Earthquake Research in Menlo Park, California, will talk on "Mechanics of Faulting." Faculty, staff and students invited.

Cal Poly Women's Club May Luncheon -- Saturday, May 5, 12:30 p.m., Vista Grande Restaurant. Tickets are priced at $2.25 per person. For general ticket information call Mrs. Gerald Punches, 543-8844.

F F A Judging Contests -- Saturday, May 5, all day, campus. Annual state judging contests in 16 different agricultural skills for nearly 1,000 Future Farmers of America members from throughout California; hosted by Cal Poly's School of Agriculture and Natural Resources. By invitation.

Varsity Baseball -- Saturday, May 5, 5 p.m., San Luis Obispo Stadium. Cal Poly vs. Chapman College, doubleheader. General admission tickets - students with ASI card, free; children, 50 cents; adults, $1.

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COMING EVENTS . . . (Continued from Page 9)

Ballet de Mexico -- Saturday, May 5, 8 p.m., Men's Gymnasium. Ballet Aztlan de Mexico presented by the National Dance Company of Mexico; sponsored by the Ethnic Programming Board of Cal Poly's Associated Students, Inc., as part of the campus Cinco de Mayo festival. General admission tickets - children, $1; students, $2; public, $3.50.

Cal Poly Women's Club Bridge Section Meeting -- Monday, May 7, 8 p.m., Tenaya Hall Lounge. Bridge for both beginners and advanced players. Members invited.

Cal Poly Women's Club Walking Section -- Tuesday, May 8, 9 a.m., William Brother's Market on Higuera St., San Luis Obispo. Meeting for a ride to Avila for a walk along the beach. Members invited; bring a sack lunch.

Drama -- Wednesday through Saturday, May 9-12, at 8 p.m., and Saturday, May 12, at 4 p.m., Cal Poly Theatre. Tom Paine, a dramatic visualization of his life, character, and ideals will be presented by students of Cal Poly's Speech Communication Department. General admission tickets - students, $1; all others, $2.

Concert -- Wednesday, May 9, 8 p.m., Julian A. McPhee University Union, Chumash Auditorium. Donna Curry, famed lutenist and singer will perform songs of folk and art in traditional renditions; sponsored by the Fine Arts Committee of Cal Poly's Associated Students, Inc. General admission tickets - students, $1; all others, $2.

Cal Poly University Club Luncheon Meeting -- Thursday, May 10, 12 noon, Staff Dining Room. Talk on "Munich Olympics, 1972" will be presented by John Nixon of Stanford University.

Arts and Humanities -- Thursday, May 10, 11 a.m., Julian A. McPhee University Union, Room 220. Henry Wessels will discuss "Craft Design," sponsored by Cal Poly's Art Department as part of the "Arts and Humanities '72-'73" series. Public invited.

Marionette Show -- Thursday, May 10, 8 p.m., Julian A. McPhee University Union, Chumash Auditorium. John Brunner, the master puppeteer, will use marionettes to present a dramatic performance titled Canterbury and Other Tales; sponsored by the Fine Arts Committee of Cal Poly's Associated Students, Inc. General admission tickets - students, $1.50; all others, $2.

DATE FOR "SPRING FLING" ANNOUNCED

Bob Adams (Chief, Maintenance and Operations) has announced that the University Club Spring Fling will be held on Saturday, May 12, at White Oak Flat, Santa Margarita Lake. A top sirloin barbecue dinner will be served at 1 p.m. Tickets will be priced at $3.25 for University Club members and $4.25 for faculty and staff who are not members of the University Club. Adams, who is chairman for the event, said the club will reimburse drivers for the $1 park entrance fee. Tickets will go on sale soon.

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SPEAKER’S ROSTER INFORMATION
CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY
SAN LUIS OBISPO

To assist community groups which frequently seek speakers from among the University's faculty and staff, the Office of Information Services maintains a Speaker's Roster and functions as liaison agent. Area clubs, schools, professional organizations and others are given assistance in locating a speaker of their choice. The Speaker's Roster will also be published in booklet form for area distribution during the Fall Quarter, 1973, so information listed should be current as of then. Participation by faculty and staff members is voluntary and arrangements as to honorarium, mileage or other compensation will be solely between the host organization and the speaker. Cal Poly-related talks are normally given at university expense, with no honorarium expected or accepted by speakers, other than incidental meals or travel.

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TO THE PRESIDENTS, FACULTIES, ADMINISTRATIVE AND SUPPORT STAFFS, AND STUDENTS OF THE CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGES:

During the past months, the Legislative Joint Committee on the Master Plan for Higher Education in California has held a series of public meetings to discuss recommendations made in its Draft Report. Members of my staff and I have testified at three of the hearings, and the Chairman of the Joint Committee, Assemblyman John Vasconcellos, met with our Board of Trustees in March.

I would like to discuss briefly our position on a number of the committee's recommendations (in all there are more than 50). The Draft Report is intended by the Joint Committee to serve as a discussion document.

Overall, there is much in the Committee's Draft Report with which we agree. The Committee's reaffirmation of the viability, importance and success of the 1960 Master Plan's principle of differentiation of function of the various segments of higher education in California is the salient feature of the report. The Select Committee on the Master Plan for Higher Education, established by the Coordinating Council for Higher Education, came to a similar conclusion. These two reviews, involving as they have extensive dialogue among those in higher education as well as the general public, assure the people of the State that the 1960 Master Plan has served the State well.

The Committee, at the same time, found a need for a number of significant changes in the policies set forth in the 1960 Master Plan. The Committee is concerned that higher education may lose its vitality and diversity by tendency toward bureaucratic uniformity, brought on as a function of the size of systems. It is concerned that the State of California may be denied a variety of options and differing emphases in higher education programs through increased uniformity of institutions.

We believe it is possible, and indeed we are proving it in fact, that a large system of higher education can be flexible and responsive to student needs and public requirements. For example, the response of faculty and administration to my call for a New Approach to higher education two years ago, has been illustrative of the system's ability to seek out new ways of providing quality educational programs. The innovations which are now being tested through some 40 pilot programs throughout our system have attracted national attention. There are nine functioning pilot external degree programs, non-State funded, enrolling over 1,000 students. We are most encouraged by the emphasis within the Draft Report on innovation and alternative approaches within higher education. We have, I believe, made a substantial start upon those changes which the Committee is recommending.
The Committee is also proposing establishment of a California Cooperative University which would become a fourth segment of California public postsecondary education. This segment, as proposed, would not have any campuses, but would award credits and degrees and develop new programs including individualized and independent study. We oppose this recommendation, and have asked the Committee to assure itself that this new segment is indeed needed. We believe the three existing public segments — The California State University and Colleges, the University of California and the California Community Colleges — can meet the needs proposed for the Cooperative University. For example, the Board of Trustees at its March meeting endorsed the development of a Consortium of The California State University and Colleges which I believe has the potential to meet the objectives proposed for the Cooperative University. The CSUC Consortium will permit the mobilization of faculty and resources to meet statewide and regional educational needs of individuals which are not now being met by any segment.

We have asked the Committee to hold in abeyance the establishment of a California Cooperative University until our non-traditional and external programs are more fully developed, and most importantly, until it becomes more clear what the true extent of demand is for the kind of programs which are best offered through different modes of organization.

While we share the Committee’s concern about the need for expansion of cooperation among the segments, we pointed out that the Draft Report appeared to neglect many of the positive things that are being accomplished. For example, our efforts in recent years working with the California Community Colleges in assuring smooth transfer of students, as well as the articulation of academic programs, has been most significant. The transfer of students from the community colleges has been facilitated by a Trustee policy on the acceptance of units applicable to general education/breadth requirements based upon community college certification, and by articulation agreements in specific major fields such as business, criminal justice, administration, early childhood education, engineering, and social work education. We currently are working with the community colleges on a similar articulation agreement in English.

The Committee recommends that cooperation between institutions be fostered through a series of regional councils. We do not feel such councils are necessary. The California State University and Colleges currently are involved in some 50 cooperative programs. We have, for example, implemented a cooperative program in foreign languages between five of our campuses and UCLA, for the mutual benefit of our students. The facilities of the Scripps Institution of Oceanography are being used by faculty and students at CSU, San Diego. There are many other examples.

We have expressed our concern that the proposed regional councils not become administrative agencies. We already have local advisory boards at each campus. It is our position that we do not need another set of recommending and reviewing bodies.

A complete listing of the Joint Committee’s 56 recommendations, along with recommended staff positions, is included as Agenda Item 6 at the Trustees’ Committee on Educational Policy which meets April 24, 1973, at the system’s Kellogg West facility at California State Polytechnic University, Pomona.

The Joint Committee’s activities represent, in my mind, a most significant example of legislative and public cooperation. The Draft Report gives me personal satisfaction in that, as a member of the original Master Plan team some years ago, it assures me that the work we did and the principles we established were basically sound.

Sincerely,

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