SAC approves parking proposal

by JOSEPH NORRIS
Daily Staff Writer

The proposal to restrict parking in the Grand Avenue lot facing Sierra Madre and Yosemite dormitories was narrowly approved, 12 to 11 by the Student Affairs Council (SAC) Wednesday night.

The measure will now go before the university administration for consideration. Their approval would restrict parking in half of lot S-6 closest to the dorms from 3 a.m. to 5 a.m. Monday through Friday and would become effective next fall.

There are 4,963 parking spaces on campus, 361 of which would be affected by the proposal.

Spirited debate on the issue was spearheaded by ASI Vice President Ray Davis, who authored the proposal, and Lynne Hinkelman, Interhall Council representative to SAC, who was its main opponent.

Davis said 93 per cent of the on-campus parking space is filled most of the day, making it a next-to-impossible situation for commuters to find parking spaces.

Hinkelman asked that the measure be defeated on the grounds that it is discriminatory to dorm residents.

"Many dormitory residents have told me they are very upset," Hinkelman said, "and I feel the proposal unfairly penalizes them."

Chris Have, Engineering and Technology SAC representative admitted the proposal would be inconvenient for dorm residents, but also maintained that it would be more feasible for them to move their vehicles than to have commuters parked so far way from the academic core.

According to Joe Calabriog, Architecture and Environmental Design representative, all students seek out what they believe are the best spaces. Everyone, he said, has the same problem. Councilman Dennis Leonard of Agriculture and Natural Resources said the problem stemmed from low vehicle turnover. A constant flow of cars in the lot would, he claimed, alleviate the situation.

John Chauk, representative from Architecture and Environmental Design, said the real problem could be found in student attitudes.

"Additional parking space is not the answer," Chauk said, "and we should make parking on campus as inconvenient as possible. This way, students living within the immediate vicinity would be encouraged to find alternative modes of transportation."

According to David McNaughton, Yosemite Hall resident, students living on campus have the right to park anywhere and at anytime they please.

Tenaya Hall resident Rich Padfield was also against the proposal.

"I paid my $10 parking fee and therefore have the right to park a reasonable distance from where I live," Padfield protested.

Other SAC action included Dennis Leonard of Agriculture and Natural Resources asked that the discussion on the issue of direct-line registration be postponed temporarily, because sufficient progress was being made by the university administration.

Leonard also said finding the space for additional computers and sufficient funds are the two biggest obstacles facing computer registration. He said he hoped the council would look into other possible solutions, such as mail registration.

Kathy Webber of Housing Development and Engineering asked that the council look into the problem of students camping out in their vehicles in parking lots near the agricultural units. SAC agreed to discuss the matter at next week's meeting.
Keep in touch Bob

When I graduate and look back over my college career, I will do no have fond memories of the three years I did as a college student. The one time I got drunk in the dorms visiting my closest friends in town, I found out that my roommate had been living off "my school" to visiting friends and getting in a lot of trouble at registration.

But one of the things that always stick out in my mind is the time that I actually caught a glimpse of President Robert Kennedy several months ago.

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Men and women: learn literature and remodel houses

English 198: Self-Reliance in a Technological Society.

In addition to reading and discussing concepts of self-reliance as reflected in literature, students will become members of a corporation they will get a bank loan, take a course in carpentry, and legally register the corporation set up just for this class. As a result of this academic pressure to become experts in their field, students have increasingly little trust in their own abilities to do things outside of their area of specialization. The engineering student takes only the required English course, complaining about the cost of haircuts, but never think of doing their own cooking. They write term papers. And they recorded their reactions to the open house. But this is not all there is to being a university student. Hemingway has it right: there is much more.

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Mid-way through the annual one-day Cal Poly blood drive yesterday, the units of blood drawn from student and staff donors almost equaled the total units of last year.

"If we stopped now," David Graham, Health Center Administrative assistant, said shortly after one o'clock, "we would have 75 units of blood. Last year's total was 105 units. I'm positive we'll top that amount this year." Graham estimated it took 45 minutes to fill the unit of blood.

To ensure a smooth blood drive today, 40 Cal Poly students from Gamma Sigma Rho and Student Community Services worked outside the blood bank, where eight to nine students were needed per shift. As student workers changed shifts, a Tri-County Blood Bank worker would have to be available to transfer today's blood drive could not have been accomplished without the student help, Graham said.

All students, staff and faculty and their immediate dependents are covered by the Tri-County Blood Bank located in Santa Barbara. The bank is also known as the San Luis Obispo County blood bank. "A lot of people donating blood may not end up using it," Graham said, "but others will."
Finance Committee asks $12,508 slice of athletics

by DIRK BROERSMA

Daily Staff Writer

Cal Poly's athletic program was dealt a stunning blow by the budget cutter's axe Wednesday night, as the ASI Finance Committee presented its budget recommendations for 1977-78 to Student Affairs Council (SAC).

The recommendations call for $15,000 cut in the required athletic budget, the lion's share of which would come from men's athletics.

However, women's athletics received an addition of almost $5,000 for gymnastics and swimming.

Among the recommendations stipulated in the recommended cut are:

- $3,333 from housing aid for men's football.
- $3,000 from financial aid for men's baseball.
- $500 from women's scholarships.

The athletic director also questioned the finance committee's competence in priority decisions. He has long been a critic of the budget survey method used by the finance committee in gauging student's feelings on funding levels of ASI subsidized programs.

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Recommended total subsidy for athletics by Associated Students, Inc. (ASI) is $100,474.

Athletic Director Vic Buckola said if SAC approves the cuts it could well signal the beginning of a decline in the school's "high quality program."

"In too many years, when the athletic program seems to decline we are going to stop filling the stadium like we do now," said Buckola.

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"I think that just a few students are deciding what the whole student body's priorities are," said Buckola.

ASI Pres. Ole Mieland defended the cuts saying the budget survey has proven to be statistically sound and students who can barely afford to go to school are tired of paying for scholarships for athletes.

SAC will review the budget and discuss it at next Wednesday's meeting. When the budget is approved by SAC it will be sent to Cal Poly Pres. Robert Kennedy for his approval.

— ORDER NOW FOR GRADUATION —

LARRY ROBINSON, SAC rep from Communicative Arts and Humanities, argues a point in Wednesday's council meeting. SAC began debating over its annual budget proposal that night. (Daily photo by Mary Reardon)

Reporters guaranteed source protection

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Farr's jail sentence, Multin said, was "a mandatory sentence to ensure the concept of a free press...but the only ones who have freedom of the press are those who own it."

But he was on the losing side of a 4-3 vote in the Assembly Judiciary Committee that sent the constitutional amendment by Assemblyman Jerry Lewis, R-Rio Linda, to the Assembly floor.

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News Shorts

National

Flying interview radicals
WASHINGTON (AP) — The FBI, after two years of trying to catch some of the radical Weather Underground, hopes to interview two persons they believe frequented to face charges of "prediction violence.

Energetic fireside chat
WASHINGTON (AP) — President Jimmy Carter's energy advisors are scrambling to put final touches on a tough set of energy proposals to be released Monday and appeared ready to veto the legislation among Americans.

State

Heard files for dismissal
LOS ANGELES (AP) — An attorney for Patricia Hearst has asked for dismissal of kidnapping, robbery and assault charges pending against the 23-year-old newspaper heiress stemming from a shootout at a California farm.

Baby-selling ring broken
BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — Police say they have broken up a Bangkok baby-selling ring that bought infants for as little as $50 from prostitutes and poor families and sold them for up to $3,000 in Western Europe.

Radio proposes limited ban
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Wednesday game schedule is here. Steve has won 12 for 41 points up to 406. However, in the 172 game schedule he has won 21 for 41 and has produced two doubles, three triple and has eight RBIs. In addition to starring at the plate, Steiner has contributed five stolen bases.

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is an unidentified flying Mustang as he slides into third base ahead of the throw. Poly hopes to display this kind of action on its roadtrip. (Daily photo by Dennis Suers)

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