Booze is not only cause of alcoholism
San Luis Obispo counselors fault social attitudes, acceptance

BY JOHN KELLER
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Most people know that, good or bad, alcohol is sometimes used to solve hazards temporarily. On occasion, partiers believe solving a quarrel or giving a Speech 200 talk to a full classroom is all right to work out beforehand with some beers. What most people do not know is that alcohol has played a role for one-third of all suicide victims looking for a solution.

Psychologists and health educators can trace almost all the reasons why 10 percent of all adults in the United States are alcoholics. But why is one out of four 12-year-olds already a drinker? As reported in a 1978 Los Angeles Times article "Teen magazine in 1978, published an article stating that 25 percent of all 13-year-olds are moderate drinkers. Their definition of moderate was one who lightly drinks once a week and heavily on occasion.

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The same story said that teenagers are drinking twice as much booze as they are smoking pot.

Other statistics on alcohol abuse, from a variety of sources included—
—alcohol has been associated in 64 percent of all murders.
—about 45 percent of all family injured drivers had at least 0.10 percent alcohol in their systems—
—the California legal driving limit.

An association of alcohol has been found in 34 percent of all forcible rapes—
—nearly 40 percent of all family injured pedestrian had 0.10 percent alcohol or higher in their blood stream.

Liquor has proved that drinkers suffer, on the average, twice as many off-the-job accidents as non drinkers.

—32 percent of the adult US population does not drink alcohol.
—drinkers, from age 21-24, have risen from 71 percent to 96 percent during a recent three year period. The evidence above puts into focus why alcohol abuse is a number one health problem in the US.

"The basic abuse potential for alcohol and persons is about the same because of the way society views these two drugs said Wayne Hansen, alcoholism health educator at the San Luis Obispo County Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Services Center.

"Alcohol is the most dangerous drug considering it is so widely accepted," Hansen said.

"Alcohol primarily has a relaxing effect. It puts you at ease and it is good to feel that sometimes. But not to rely on it," he said.

"Alcohol abuse" means work or relationships are affected, said Jeanette Reese, Health Educator at the Cal Poly Health Center.

"When there is a continuous interference, a true addiction, then it is alcoholism," she said.

Bill Arbasta, a former alcoholic, said alcoholism can be broken down to a formula.

"A steady intake of alcohol plus on-going emotional problems are going to create an alcoholic. That formula comes from the fact that problem drinking destroys emotional growth," said Arbasta.

"It puts your emotions to sleep and it's hard to wake up.

"Three percent of those experimenting with alcohol become alcoholics," said Arbasta.

"Bums under the bridge are very few. (Five percent of the total who drink)" said Hansen. "Those (alcoholics) are in family situations, maintaining their jobs, but not performing at their best.

Sciences do not indicate a single cause but professionals who work with alcoholic individuals report in a Department of Health, Education and Welfare pamphlet that they have an unusual amount of stress and much deprivation in the lives of these persons.

"Alcohol has a pleasant effect, something everyone likes. Stress in society is a cause," said Alcoholism Health Educator Hansen.

Besides serving as a relaxant, alcohol is a substitute for self-expression, feelings of achievement and courage and a cure of fears. Liquor can be an escape from problems with family or job or to block out painful feelings of loneliness, inadequacy, self-doubt or self-confidence. A person may drink alone, drink to get drunk and use alcohol as "medicine" for troubles.

A sense of guilt develops, which can lead to more drinking and eventually a dependence on alcohol.

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When high school graduates enroll in colleges and universities, they are thrown into a new situation. Hansen said their values shift and added dimensions on sense of freedom from parents exams.

He said most new college students are familiar with drugs before they are taken out of the home environment and put into peer pressure.

Some students get sucked into it," said Hansen.

"I remember my roommate going out and drinking a gallon of Red Mountain, throwing up and realizing the problem for next time," said Hansen. "Sophomores spend a lot more time throwing up than seniors."

At that age, Hansen said, "they are trying to find out who they are."

Children and teenagers in junior and senior high schools are depending on alcohol more so than they can interact socially, have fun or ask someone out on a date, said Hansen.

"It is easy for kids to get caught (in abusing alcohol) because it signifies being an adult. It is attractive, one who uses it is sexy (supposedly) and appealing," Hansen said.

For those reasons, Hansen said 90 percent of all high school students drink. 80 percent of students in junior highs across the U.S. drink.

"Kids are experimenting at a younger age than they used to," said Hansen.

Men, especially younger men in their early years as drinkers, use alcohol to establish a sense of masculinity for themselves.

"It's a masculine calling card," said Arbasta.

"If you have the guts to go into a Hawaiian village (as a minority),

Check List for symptoms of alcoholism

Does a person—
1. need a drink the morning after a party?
2. like to drink alone?
3. lose time from work due to drinking?
4. need a drink at a definite time daily?
5. have a loss of memory while or after drinking?
6. find himself (or others) harder to get along with?
7. find his efficiency and ambition decreasing?
8. drink to relieve shyness, fear, inadequacy?
9. find his drinking is harming or worrying his family?
10. find himself more moody, jealous or irritable after drinking?

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pool resources

"A combination of exercise and pleasant thoughts helps banish anxiety." — Psychology Today

School is a place of classes, studies, research and conversation, but there must be relief from all of this. If there is no relief, a person becomes stale and overworked.

The physical education department is making it hard for the student who is not enrolled in a PE class to find this escape. Specifically, this is the case for anyone who is interested in using the swimming facilities on campus.

During summer quarter, the pool located behind the men's locker room and between the gym and tennis courts was open to the public every day from 1 p.m. until 5 p.m., and for about a month it was open until 5:30. This gave students a chance to swim laps and relax in the sun between classes. This is not the case now.

The schedule for the outdoor pool and the Crandall Gym pool run as follows: Outdoor free swim is Monday through Friday from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. The free swim hours in the indoor pool (Crandall Gym) are Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. and Monday through Friday from noon to 1 p.m.

This may sound like a substantial number of hours, but it does not even equal the total hours the outdoor pool was open during summer quarter. And Cal Poly has more than twice as many students in school for fall quarter. During summer the pool was open 28 hours a week. Now in combination, the indoor and outdoor pools are open only 24 hours a week.

Granted, there are swim classes going on, but there were classes going on during summer quarter also. Granted, we have a water polo team that needs time to practice and men and women's swim teams that use the outdoor pool for workouts, but one can go by the outdoor pool many times during the day, peek in the plexiglass window and see an empty pool without a soul guarding or working there.

It costs money to pay a lifeguard, but it was possible during the summer, with under 7,000 students here, so why isn't it possible now with over 16,000 students paying their registration fees?

Free swim time could be added for students from 11 a.m. until noon on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays and an 8 a.m. free swim Monday through Friday.

Fridays, the pool could be open from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m., being interrupted by between classes from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. and noon to 1 p.m.

In the world where jogging is exploding in fadism and taking over the athletic market with shoes costing upwards of $30, it would be nice to slip on the old Hang Ten trunks, or Speedos if the spirit moves you, and dive in the pool for a few laps at the end of a long day of lectures and midterms.

Letters

Give Brown a break

Editor: This is in response to Jay Alling's editorial "Brown neglectful of state in jaunts." Alling, like many others, is vocal but naive. Californians, seems to expect Brown—a formidable contender in 1976—to give up his presidential ambitions in 1980.

Surely Alling and "the overwhelming majority of voters who chose Brown in the 1976 elections" must have had some idea, after Brown's 1976 primary successes, that he might consider running in 1980.

Why is it so many are willing to back the man for governor but are unwilling to allow him to further his goals and ideals nationally? What is good for California isn't good for the country.

Gov. Brown is bright, progressive and a bit off the beaten track. It is for precisely these reasons that it is so important that he become involved nationally, to challenge the American people and to act as a catalyst for political thought. For Brown to further his career and ideals takes a great deal of financial as well as personal support, which he is actively soliciting here and back east.

The only bad part is that we're left with Lt. Gov. Mike Curb to govern, with his buddy relationship to big business and casual smears against Havel and Ford. But I ask you, whose fault is that?

What do we want? Someone good, but not talented enough to deserve national attention. I for one feel fortunate to have Brown, even with his current schedule, as governor. Considering California's unique and complex demands, 45 out of the 49 other state governors probably wouldn't last a minute in Sacramento.

It seems to be in vogue to criticize our elected representatives and this is certainly beneficial given some restrains. Brown does deserve our critical evaluation in some areas, but leaving the state to pursue political ideals is not one of them.

Joel M. Stark

Financial aid clarified

Editor: The efforts of the Mustang Daily to inform the public of the availability of student aid programs is appreciated. However, after receiving initial responses from students to Teri Bauer's article on student loans, I feel some clarification about guaranteed student loans, financial aid, and the concept of borrowing must be made.

Although guaranteed loans are not made to students as the result of a detailed financial or "need" analysis in the manner of financial aid or Basic Grant awarding, most lenders do require that applicants complete a financial statement which will determine their need for a loan, as well as the availability to the applicant of adequate income resources to stay in school.

To imply that financial aid recipients are "poor" is unfair. The calculation of the ability to pay for educational costs is complex and many factors are considered when awarding "need"-based financial aid.

The Guaranteed Student Loan is a need-based program per se. However, students must be aware that borrowing is a serious responsibility. This program is not designed to "play now, pay later," the USL can ease the financial burden of educational costs. If there is no burden, DON'T BORROW.

Diane Kraj Financial Aid Counselor
Mustang Dally, case-by-case basis to reliance on nuclear power." That "California can consider the area around the Diablo Canyon nuclear power plant a significant since there is only one unit difference between the 1970 average and 1978. But if this trend continues, there could be serious consequences for the university, said Jones. Cal Poly's operating budget is determined by factors that include the number of students on campus and their average unit loads. The other 18 California State University and Colleges have partly compensated for fewer units hurt finances by raising tuition and fees. However, they are still paying back state funds for a fourth year resident of San Luis Obispo attorney Charles E. French. Opponents have until Oct. 21 to collect the signatures. The $260,000 six bedroom house, is now occupied by five Sorority members and a house manager. In announcing the petition drive, Schneider mentioned "traffic problems, all-night parties as key issues. They are still assuming that the neighborhood action to collect signatures. "We're not allowed to have house parties," said Schneider. "We've handled the parking very well. We are trying to fit into the neighborhood . . . we do fits in." Correction

In an article Tuesday morning, student resident of San Luis Obispo attorney Charles E. French. Schneider said the petition drive "simply has not been done." He said the Diablo Canyon plant is 216 miles from an earthquake fault. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission recently directed that evacuation planning be extended to 10 miles from nuclear plants, rather than five miles. The federal General Accounting Office said the danger area around the Diablo Canyon plant could be 150 miles. Davis said Brown opposes starting construction of new nuclear plants, and wants those that are under construction to be reviewed on a case-by-case basis to determine if there is "a feasible, affordable alternative." He said the governor felt that "California can continue to sustain a prosperous economy with minimum reliance on nuclear power." YMCA offers swimming, courses in yoga

The San Luis Obispo County YMCA has scheduled a Hatha Yoga class for Tuesday nights beginning October 30. Joanne Woodman will be the instructor. Classes are three to four hours each and include breathing and relaxation techniques, along with an intensive working of all body systems.

Courses will be held from 6 to 7 p.m. each Tuesday through November 20 at Sinsheimer Elementary. Fee is $12 for YMCA members and $15 for non-members. Registrations are due June 1 in person at the YMCA office, 1135 March St. The YMCA has also set several swimming courses for the fall.

BY TEKI BAUER

Cal Poly students are taking increasingly smaller unit loads each year, passes by, said Academic Vice President Hazel Jones. In the fall of 1970, Cal Poly students were averaging 15.35 units. Last fall, this had dropped to 14.31 units per student. This may not seem significant since there is only a one-unit difference between the 1970 average and 1978. But if this trend continues, there could be serious consequences for the university, said Jones. Cal Poly's operating budget is determined by factors that include the number of students on campus and their average unit loads. The other 18 California State University and Colleges have partly compensated for fewer units hurt finances by raising tuition and fees. However, they are still paying back state funds for the longest time, said Jones. Cal Poly's situation is complicated by the fact that it is impacted, which means it is receiving less than the wealthiest families who contribute more to their education than the national average. The national median family income for students attending four-year public colleges is $19,200, while Cal Poly students averaged $24,700. The average national parental contribution toward a student's education is $1,200. At Cal Poly, students received an average of $2,300 from their parents. "I've always been told that our students are one of the wealthiest groups in the system," said Dr. David George, vice chairman and member of the political science faculty. "We shouldn't have to be working," he said. Other interesting results from the study include:—Architecture and business majors carry the highest unit loads; social science and business majors carry the lowest unit loads;—Only 12 percent of students 19 or younger work while going to school, while nearly half of students 24 or older have jobs.

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Neighbors trying to oust sorority

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SLO group seeks driving alternatives

BY BARRY SHORTZ

The Transportation Project, a citizens group working to rechannel public transportation in Santa Luis Obispo, is affiliated with a chapter in Santa Luisa Obispo.

"We are not anti-automobile, but we would like to see better use of the bus system, and more bike riding and walking," said Bearce. "Downtown Higuera Street is set up like a freeway.

"We're the first in the world," said 23-year-old Bob Rolling, the group's president. "They claim we are the only students in the U.S. who are organizing the group because we wanted to see safe transportation and public options of the department-enrolled in both of the major engineering programs at Cal Poly. Rolling said the Cal Poly Transportation Project, a citizens group working to better transportation and public options of the department, is affiliated with a national first—the SLO group seeks driving alternatives.

BY WYCLE WIGGINTON

The University Union Travel Center—threatened with closure last summer—is again active in sending students to the far corners of the world.

"There was some concern last summer that Rod Neubert's position as coordinator of the center would have to be eliminated for budgetary reasons. A July 6 Mustang Daily article stated that Neubert's half-time position did not warrant that kind of expense. But the Travel Center is still open," he said.

One project the center is working on is a proposed shopping mall to be built downtown on Higuera Street, said Bearce. The street would be partially blocked off and交通 rechanneled to other streets to provide a large walking area. "It would be something like the Mission Plaza," Bearce said.

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The center will book reservations on charters for students, but Woodward said they will not book domestic flights or make hotel reservations. Woodward said they have looked into making arrangements for Youth Hostel Cards, Eurail and Bernafal passes. International Student ID and passports. Neubert said the center also serves as a place for students to go on weekends, seen Neubert. Because of travel alternatives to the present direction of California's energy future are available, the report said, and a transitional policy seems the most acceptable.

"The options call for an immediate transition from reliance on oil, coal and nuclear energy to non-conventional methods including, conservation and solar power. Utilities could continue to pursue conventional technologies on a limited basis and power plants already planned would be completed. The report suggested changing utilities from energy producers and deliverers to "energy service corporations" which would serve energy-efficient solar-oriented homes and businesses. Without utility involvement, it said, non-conventional energy technologies probably will not get off the ground.

The transition policy could reduce conflicts over water resources, land use and air quality. "A key risk may be a major political fight between rural and urban areas," Varanini said.

Under the conventional energy direction, rural areas are sacrificed for metropolitan areas, said Varanini. He said the policy is apparent in the way nuclear power plants are being planned.

The transitional plan, which opens alternative energy "juxtaposes hard technology plans, to insure flexibility," Varanini said.

"We're attempting to apply ecological principles to physical systems," he said.

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Civil engineers form club

Cal Poly can now boast of a national first—the country's only student club for aspiring public works engineers.

The two-week-old club, the Society of Civil Engineers, is affiliated with the nationwide American Public Works Association through a chapter in Santa Marita.

"We're the first in the world," said 23-year-old Bob Rolling, the club's president.

The society, said Rolling, is open to anyone who feels his background in engineering is public-oriented. Rolling has a bachelor's degree in civil engineering and is enrolled in both of the major options of the department—transportation and public works.

He said the club's officers plan to bring in professional engineers to speak to the group. Rolling said club members may also be visited by potential employers.

"There's been great interest," he said. "I'm trying to attract students for summer jobs.

Club activities in the past including pizza for the club members on Wednesday nights. The club also has about 30 members, and Rolling expects the club to reach 40 members by the end of the year.

The club meets in the Engineering Building. The next club meeting is planned for the 1st of December. Everyone is invited to join the club.

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Consumer

Bike shops have repairs under control

BY DEBBIE WARREN

With the start of fall quarter and gas prices sky high it is no surprise that most of the bicycle shops in San Luis Obispo were backlogged with repair orders for the first two weeks of school. Each of the shops sells a few brands, of bikes exclusively and offers comparable rates on repairs done on all models.

Ken's Bicycle Shop, located at 1225 Monterey, sells Schwinn, Nishiki and Centurion. According to owner Ken McLaughlin, the most popular bikes are Carrera's and Schwinn Traveler III for student parts. McLaughlin says his customers are mainly students and they buy bikes under $200.

A tune-up at Ken's Bicycle Shop runs $12.50 and includes servicing both derailleurs, the brakes and doing external lubrication. Ken's, has worked its way out of an early-quarter repair backlog and has a wait of two weeks for orders usually done in one day.

Ken's hours are Monday through Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Mountain Air Bikes is the only shop in town, says Kim Williams, who is assistant manager of the shop, said he works by the motto “different spokes for different folks.”

KM Williams adjusts a wheel in the process of assembling a bicycle while Tom Webber takes a wheel apart during work at Mountain Air Bikes in downtown SLO.

Quiz separates sharp consumers from suckers

BY JOE STEIN

Daily Student Worker

So you think you're a sharp consumer. If you are, say science teacher and instructor Prudence Zaletski, you'd do well on the following consumer quiz.

Of the ten statements below, which ones are true?

1. A children's commercial for toy race cars which costs $240 and the following consumer quiz.

2. An advertisement for a vacuum cleaner from a door-to-door salesman may legally refuse to refund 100 percent of your purchase.

3. It is illegal to advertise a going-out-of-business sale even though in reality it isn't going out of business.

4. It is legal for a store to mislead a customer by advertising “original” if it has been totally reconditioned.

5. It is legal to advertise a world sugar futures to new life-of-contract highs. The nearby delivery month, January, closed at 12.95 cents a pound, 47 percent higher than nearby prices, and according to the California Civil Code.

6. True. A debt collector may legally refuse to refund 100 percent of your purchase.

7. False. A creditor cannot refuse to return something from a door-to-door salesman.


9. False. If you've been denied credit, you have the legal right to know the nature and substance of the information except medical information) collected about you by a credit reporting agency.

10. False. It is illegal to use false or misleading statements in advertising, according to the California Business and Professions Code. (From Silva's book.)

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2. False. It is against the law for a licensed auto dealer to distribute false or misleading information about an advertised vehicle, according to the California Vehicle Code. (From Silva's book.)

3. True. A debt collector may legally refuse to refund 100 percent of your purchase.

4. False. It is illegal to make false or misleading statements of fact concerning reasons for, existence of, or amounts of price reductions, according to the California Civil Code. (From Silva's book.)

5. False. It is illegal to represent goods as original or new if they are reconditioned, according to the California Civil Code. (From Silva's book.)

6. True. A debt collector may legally refuse to refund 100 percent of your purchase.


9. True. For the above reason.

10. False. If you've bought something from a door-to-door salesman at $23 or more, you can cancel your contract by midnight of the third business day after your purchase, according to the California Civil Code.
Sports

PE boom sees women excel

BY GREGOR ROBIN
Daily Sports Editor

In the many magazines taking advantage of the recent running boom, writers are stating—with doctors backing them—that women will eventually catch men runners in speed and endurance.

It would be a joyous day for all "womenkind" when Greta Waitz chases Bill Rodgers to the finish line in the Boston Marathon and outsprints him at the tape. But for the Boston Marathon and Greta Waitz chases Bill Rodgers back ing them—that women will exceed men's records are known to have great endurance capabilities, exceeding those of men, but the reasoning for this is unknown.

"We don't even know why men can, lift more weight than women," he said. "I think that men's and women's records are both going up, now that women are competing more."

One would think that with all the women joining the running boom, there would be a great drop in times for female distance runners, but the times still have not come close to men's times. It will take generations for women's times to catch men, said Dr. Hampson.

"That selection process takes so long," he said. "We're talking about hundreds of generations, but we can make it happen in animals."

So when the doctors in Runner's World speak of women's times dropping at a drastic rate, it only has to do with the great surge of women competing, said Dr. Hampson. It might be Bill Rodgers' great grandson losing to Waitz's grand daughter, but Rodgers probably will not have to worry about losing female footsteps.

BY BOB BERGER

Like a cat pawing a dead mouse, the Cal Poly soccer team went out last Friday night and beat Cal State Bakersfield, 4-0.

Earlier in the season Poly had beaten Bakersfield 10-1. After scoring four goals in the first half, two within two minutes, Poly was ahead before the calmer of the Bakersfield fans had a chance to gather in the stadium.

"When you walk on to the field knowing you can beat the other team it makes it hard to play your best," said coach Wolfgang Gartner.

This week the Mustangs will be on the road with a tough schedule. Tonight Cal Poly will meet the Chapman College Panthers for the second time this year. In their first game Chapman got away with a 4-2 victory.

The Mustangs are now 2-2 in league play. Poly's next two, possibly three, games will be on the road. After Chapman, the boosters next opponent will be Cal State Los Angeles and Cal State Dominguez Hills. Their next home game will be against Cal State Northridge on Saturday, Oct. 27 at 7:00 p.m.
Football team on roadtrip

Mustang football has moved up a notch in the NCAA Division II polls, earning a ranking of eighth in the nation after its 17-3 win over The University of Northern Colorado.

If Cal Poly is to earn a berth in the NCAA Division II post season playoffs in November, the Mustangs will have to win the next four games. The team will face Cal State Northridge, Portland State and Puget Sound on the road, and Cal Poly Pomona in its final home game on November 10.

Coach Harper is still puzzled over his team’s lack of consistency in the first half. The team was behind at halftime in two of its victories. The Mustang quarter of fortune has been the third quarter. The team has scored 62 points to the opposition’s nine. The second half margin is 100-24.

Last Saturday, the Mustangs trailed UNC at the half, 3-0, but scored 17 unanswered points in the second half for a 17-3 victory.

"Again we weren’t as good in the first half as in the second half, and that certainly was not by design," said the coach.

When the football team travels to Northridge to play the Matadors next Saturday, Cal Poly fans will probably hope the Harper coached Mustangs have a repeat performance of any of their past games against the Northridge team.

Harper coached Cal Poly teams have never lost to Cal State Northridge. The coach is in his 12th season at Cal Poly, and his career log against the Matadors is 11-0.

The health of the Mustangs is the only thing hindering their chances of making a bid for post-season play and it looks like this:

Split end Dwight Allen Crump is still nursing a hamstring pull, and may not see action Saturday. Noel Ledermann, who caught two passes against UNC will start.

Wide receiver Robbie Martin saw only limited action in the first half against UNC, and will not start Saturday. Instead, Mike Gilmore draws the starting role. Martin has been bothered with the flu and might have mono nucleosis.

The loss of Martin is a great blow to the Mustangs. He leads the team in receiving with 20 catches for 392 yards, averaging 19.6 yards a reception. He also leads the team in punt and kickoff returns.

Another man the team has missed for two games and is still listed as doubtful for the Northridge game is running back Louis Jackson.

He does have an ample replacement in Paul Dickins. Dickins has run for 107 yards in the last two games, and has three 100 yard games this season.
Students teach handicapped kids swimming fun fundamentals

BY KARYN HUSTON
Daily Poly Writer

Every Tuesday and Thursday at 11 a.m., 18 handicapped children invade Crandall Gym to take swimming lessons from Cal Poly students. The hour that follows has fun, laughter and learning for everyone, say participants.

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Identification problem, to cut down theft rate

BY LOREN SCHNEIDERMAN

A program initiated by the Cal Poly Public Safety Department to reduce theft on campus will also help ensure the safety of stolen property, said Wayne Carmack, public safety investigator.

"Operation Identification," provides a deterrent to potential thieves by assuring that stolen property can definitely be identified by police anywhere, Carmack said.

Carmack said merchandise is engraved with the driver's license number of the owner. He said that this alone can identify stolen property and increase the recovery rate.

Students have been slow to take advantage of the protection offered by the identification program, Carmack said. To help students cooperate with the program, a free engraving service is offered by the Public Safety Department.

"Students may take valuable possessions to the campus police station to have their driver's license number engraved on them," he said. "It might be receptive for students to engrave ID numbers on their equipment," he added, "but they should at least record the serial number of the items."

Operation Identification provider students with a personal inventory list which allows room for a description of personal property and serial numbers of those items. Carmack said that any identification number can greatly increase the chance of recovery should property be stolen.

The Public Safety Department offers bicycle riders the opportunity to register their bikes. Registration stickers are available free of charge at the police station and these, Carmack said, will also aid in identifying a stolen bike.

Most of the thefts that have occurred on campus this quarter have involved autos said Carmack. He said that the major problem isburglars breaking into a car and walking away with a stereo. He said that if these stereos were marked with an ID number, they would be able to be reclaimed at a pawn shop or at the police station.

"It is easy to get into a lot of American cars without a forced entry," he said. "That is why it is important to mark your equipment." The crime rate has dropped on campus, but Carmack said that the peak period of crime is still yet to come. He said that as the end of the quarter burglars go on a mad新常态 hair and students do not take precautions now, they will never recover the loss.

Carmack said that students should come into the police station on campus to have their valuables engraved or call 546-2281.

Soil additive tested on Poly lawn

Dr. C. Dean Piper, soil science department head, and soil science graduate David Loring work with a device that records how much water is recovered in moisture absorption tests.

Carver cleared in investigation of bank loans

WASHINGTON (AP)—A special counsel, saying "every nickel and every peanut has been traced," announced today that no criminal charges will be brought in connection with $10 million in bank loans to the Carter family's peanut warehouse in Georgia.

"I believe it appropriate to state right here that there is no evidence to establish that Jimmy Carter colluded in any crimes," special counsel Paul J. Curran said in a statement accompanying the 239-page report that ended his six-month investigation.

Curran disclosed that the investigation included a four-hour deposition he took from the president at the White House on Sept. 5.

"My overall conclusion set forth in great detail to the attorney general is that based on all the evidence and the applicable law, no indictment can or should be brought against anyone," he said. Curran added that the special counsel said the president's deposition was submitted to the federal grand jury on Oct. 29 and that under subpoena, Carter produced all documents that Curran had sought.

Curran said there was no evidence that any of the loan funds to the Carter family businesses or peanut warehouse in Georgia had been diverted to the president's 1976 presidential campaign.

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The incident happened in the shadow of a form of Nevada gambling casinos during a two-hour morning dive down to 210 feet. It happened about two miles off the shore of South Lake Tahoe on the California side of the lake while diving on the spawning grounds of the Mackinaw trout.

Reagan may lose delegates

Sacramento (AP) — A plan that could take up to 100 presidential convention delegates away from Ronald Reagan by abolishing California's winner-take-all primary system was brought back to life in the form of a voters' initiative.

The proposal to abolish the primary system, which onlyultan guarantees Reagan all 168 California delegates to the Republican National Convention, was overwhelmingly rejected by the California Republicans at its annual convention last month.

But state Sen. John Schmitt of Corona Del Mar, author of the proposal, said Sunday that he still hasn't given up on the idea and has filed papers to attempt to put it on the ballot by initiative petitions.

Schmitt said he didn't feel bound by the GOP convention, in which 73 percent of the delegates declined his plan, because party leaders are out of step with rank-and-file Republicans.

Earthquake costs millions

Calenico, Calif. (AP) — With aftershocks from California's biggest earthquake in eight years still rumbling beneath them, thousands of jittery Imperial Valley residents fear that totalled up the damage to their shattered property.

At least 91 persons received injuries, almost all of them minor. Preliminary damage estimates by county officials put the loss at $8 million.

Most of that damage total came from the wrecked county government service building in El Centro, Imperial County Public Works Director David Pierson called the supposedly earthquake-proof structure a "surrogate" of the garage that Fidel Castro's government "is constantly interfering" with the affairs of other nations.

The president responded by blasting Cuba for "communist interfering," but freed itself quickly and continued its mission of discovery.

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Units

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that it is operating at full capacity, Cal Poly has turned away many applicants each year.

Cal Poly is limited by a "growth moratorium," a promise that was made to the surrounding community that the campus enrollment will not exceed 16,000 individual students.

"We are almost there this fall," said Tom Dunigan, director of Institutional Research.

As full registration, 15,894 students were enrolled. This is only 116 students short of the 16,000 limit.

The budget is based on 14,200 full-time equivalency (FTE) enrollment for the fall, winter and spring quarters.

"If (FTE) standardizes the part-time and full-time enrollment among the 19 campuses by arriving at the equivalent, number of students carrying 15 units each," Dunigan said.

He estimated the FTE enrollment for this fall at 14,300. This is computed by adding to all the units taken by all students and dividing by 15.

Cal Poly's FTE can vary 2309 higher or lower than 14,200. If it drops below 13,950, the university will be forced to start making budget cuts, Jones said.

"If we can't go over 14,050 students, and want to keep dropping, the FTE will go down," Dunigan said.

"We are in a dilemma," he said.

Right now, the campus is 10 percent short of facilities for full capacity FTE enrollment, he said. That is another reason why it's impossible to admit more students.

Here is an example of what will happen if the declining trend continues.

Each FTE below 13,950 would cost the university $1600. If it dropped to 13,750, that would be a 200-unit deficit. Two hundred multiplied by $1600 is $320,000.

"That would be a lot of money to pay back, and we just do not have it," Jones said.

"If it dropped only ten units below 13,950, that would be $16,000," the said.

"That would mean we would lose one instructor," she said. "An 'instructor' is the lowest paid faculty member on campus."

"Eighty percent of the budget is people," Dunigan said. "So it could result in leaving positions vacant or layoffs."

If budget cuts have to be made, faculty members will have to be laid off, it will be even harder than it is now for students to get the classes they want, Jones said.

"Then the vicious circle starts," she said. "It's a non-win situation."

In comparison to the other 18 campuses, Cal Poly has always been the leader in highest unit loads. But in fall of 1978, Cal Poly dropped below the Humboldt campus.

"Long Beach, Humboldt, Los Angeles, and others are doing satisfactory," Dunigan said.

But Cal Poly is still dropping, by 55 to 65 average units per year. A 0.1 unit drop equals about 100 FTE, Dunigan said.

"I don't know when it's going to level off," he said.

"I hope it's soon. CAR (computer registration) may help," he said.

Jones said he would like to see the university level off at least at 14 units. An average of 13.7 units per student is the absolute lowest the campus could drop without making budget cuts.

"It could easily drop that much in two years if it goes the way it has been going and if there is no improvement with CAR," he said.

Vice-president Jones said she hopes CAR will allow students to take more units by giving the department heads some extra time to rearrange class offerings according to demand.

"CAR will give us the opportunity to make a better match if we can," she said.

"It will give us a lead time on planning."

However, Jones said, CAR cannot solve the problem entirely. Even if there is an extra large demand for a class, a department head may be unable to add new sections because there may not be available instructors.

"We cannot hire anybody. We're at the bottom of the budget now," Jones said.

"Proposition 13 did this to us. People don't realize the impact of it," she said.

The only alternative is to strengthen the lobbying in Sacramento to convince Governor Jerry Brown and the Legislature that the state university system is hurting.

"Right now they are not as much into the universities," she said.

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