Senate studies quarter system switch

BY SHARYN SEARS
Staff Writer

Cal Poly students may one day find the trauma of registration occurring only twice a year.

Jim Simmons, representative of a committee formed to investigate the pros and cons of the semester system versus the quarter system, addressed the Academic Senate Tuesday on his findings to date.

The Academic Senate is considering a recommendation to adopt a semester system at Cal Poly. A study combining a 15-week semester as opposed to a 10-week one would be that subjects could be studied more time indepth, Simmons said. Less time would be spent on testing and more time could be devoted to actual instruction, he added.

Simmons said the semester system would be less pressured and students could pursue a deeper, more thorough coverage of course material.

In a public discussion, one faculty member pointed out that, as the quarter system stands now, "many classes are just course outlines crammed into 10 weeks."

Another faculty member was concerned that a conversion to a semester system might put further strain on the already tight lab facilities.

We haven't foreseen any adverse affect on lab use," replied Simmons, who was jotting down his colleagues' suggestions and concerns to be taken up by the committee.

Costs not assessed

The cost-effectiveness of a conversion to a semester system has not yet been fully assessed by the committee, but Simmons said the committee would recommend that any dollars saved be channelled into the campus for improved instruction.

The conversion would align us with most other schools," Simmons said.

Beginning the semester vacation in May rather than June might give students better access to summer jobs, according to Simmons.

Simmons agreed that further research must be conducted before it could be determined whether the benefits outweigh the costs, and the committee will welcome student input on the subject.

The committee plans to meet weekly, but the time and place have not been decided.

Regardless of the system used, each university in a required minimum of 145 instructional days a year, Simmons said. Budget allocations from the state are derived from a different budgeting formula than that used for semester schools.

Simmons speculated that money might be saved on the semester system because the administration would have to process the registration one less time per year.

Prof claims Argentina regrets Falkland dispute

BY KATHLEEN HORIZON
Staff Writer

The Argentine government is having second thoughts about its invasion of the Falkland Islands, due to sanctions brought against it by European nations, a Cal Poly political science professor claims.

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Family satisfies sweet tooth

BY STEPHANIE WINN
Staff Writer

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**Newsline**

**Home tabbers lower record sales**

**LOS ANGELES (AP) — Former White House economist Alan Greenspan and a group of record industry figures, including musician Quincy Jones, blamed home taping Wednesday for recent dramatic declines in record sales.**

"We estimate the overall retail dollar losses from home taping last year were approximately $41.00 billion," Greenspan told a three-member House Judiciary subcommittee panel chaired by Robert Kastenmeier, D-Wis.

Later, under questioning by the panel, Greenspan, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers under President Gerald R. Ford, said data from a number of studies "very strongly suggests that it is home taping that is the root of the troubles of the industry."

**Poly Notes**

**Alcohol Fuel Project**

The Alcohol Fuel Project will meet tonight at 7 in Agriculture 227. The purpose of the meeting will be to present the system to the public, discuss goals for next year and encourage involvement in the project through senior projects.

**Bicycle club meeting**

The Air Conditioning Club meets ice skaters to perform during Poly Royal. Days and hours are flexible. Skaters must have their own skates and be able to practice either on the Stuart Skating Club or Thursday prior to Poly Royal. For more information, call Doug at 543-1979 or Lisa at 543-1973.

Students who wish to operate Farm Shop equipment are required to attend a safety session this week in Agricultural Engineering Shop 6. Those people who attended the last session may come to Poly Royal next Wednesday for a safety session. For more information, call Mary at 544-4457 or Mary at 544-4214.

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Tickets on sale in UU Ticket Office March 29 to April 16, 1982.

* Student: NS. Non-student: For further information Call 546-2476 or 543 4176

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**Tim Haig announces plan for peace**

**WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Alexander M. Haig Jr. said Wednesday that the United States has developed new proposals for averting war between Great Britain and Argentina and will carry them to leaders in Bonn on Thursday.**

Haig spoke to reporters hours after President Reagan told the Soviet Union it would have to stop providing military assistance to Argentina in the Falkland Islands crisis and, in blunt terms, told the Kremlin to "butt out."

Haig called the developments on the islands "exceptionally difficult and exceptionally dangerous" but said he had received assurances from the leaders of both countries he believed "the United States can continue to work with them toward a peaceful solution.

Haig's announcement came on the heels of an Argentine coast guard statement that two of its gunboats had broken the British blockade of the Falklands and were patrolling the shores.

Haig said a solution "will require flexibility on both sides—not abandonment of principle but responsible and .defensible adjustments." The secretary spoke at a hastily-arranged appearance before State Department reporters.

**Dietetics meeting**

The Dietetics Club will hold a meeting tonight at 7 in the Home Economics living room. There will be a speakers' nomination for next year's officers and a salad bar preceding the meeting at 6.

Managers needed

The Cal Poly football staff needs three people to help managers and film with equipment. For more information call 546-2726 or stop by the Mustang Football Office in Mustang Stadium.

**Sign Language Club**

The Sign Language Club meets every Thursday at 7 p.m., including tonight. The meetings are open to everyone—those wishing to learn sign language and those wishing to improve their skills.

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Henry Hilgert's garden near Poly Grove seems for a moment to grow beyond his control as he stops to tend it.

A bag of trimmings trailing behind him, Hilgert examines the length of his garden.

In a garden whose contents are constantly changing, Hilgert must spend time planting, here nudging the soil up around a new addition.

Flowers by Hilgert

Amid tall buildings-paradise

Photos and Story by Vern Ahrendes

It was a cool morning and the grass was still damp from a recent rainstorm. The sun shone brightly.

A lone figure slowly moved past the variegated collection of blossoms that he has been nurturing for almost a year. Patience and a lot of care from part-time ornamental horticulture student Henry Hilgert has transformed what was once an old roadbed into a botanical paradise that has become a favorite luncheon and studying niche.

Hilgert, 27 years old, has been spending a few hours of his working time each week with the Cal Poly Grounds and Operations Department manicuring, trimming, weeding and playing in his own little garden.

The garden was started after last year's Poly Royal, is located near Poly Grove west of the Business Administration and Education and Architectural buildings, and in front of Plumas, Mariposa and Tehama halls.

Hilgert started the first section of the 300-foot long and 10-foot wide garden to make use of a lot of plant materials that might have ended up in a compost pile. The botany and ornamental horticulture departments donated most of the plants that otherwise would have been thrown away or would not have been put to any use.

The garden site originally was an old roadbed filled with sand many years ago. The garden runs in between a large lawn and a hedge of trees. Last year the lawn extended all the way to the hedge but that was before Hilgert was unleashed on the area.

"The area was ideal for a garden," Hilgert said, "the combination of the sand and the compost that I added to it makes the soil an excellent growing medium. And without the hedge as wind protection, most of the plants there would not make it."

The garden was his own idea and labor of love. He developed the garden with the idea of creating a year-round bloom in the area.

"The garden is always changing and that is probably the best part of it. It is, hopefully, or will be a year-round bloom," he said as he reached down and removed a cabbage plant that was blooming. "Plants are blooming just as others are going out of bloom or as the blooms are dying.

"There are a lot of annuals in the garden right now which take more time to care for and I am just waiting for the perennials to get established," he said. "I just stuck the cabbages in for ornamental purposes. The annuals are in the garden only as space fillers."

The perennials that he is trying to get established are carnations, chrysanthemums and irises but his current pride and joy is a beautiful blooming delphinium. It is located in the middle of his garden and he has been nursing the plant and its showy purple flowers...
It is impossible to fit Kevin Wagoner into a niche. He is not a travel fanatic, nor is he a bicycling purist. He is not particularly enthusiastic about photography.

In fact, he is not any of the things which usually spur a person to ride a bicycle across America by the heat of September. He is merely a 19-year-old agricultural business major who decided he needed a vacation.

"I didn't really achieve anything," he said, referring to his 37-day bike trip to Washington D.C. "I went on a vacation on a bike because I didn't have a car."

The trip was a last-minute idea. "I didn't really plan it," Wagoner reflected. "I bought a bike and two weeks later I left."

When he pedaled out from San Luis Obispo September 7, he was alone and without an itinerary. "I just figured I'd ride wherever I wanted," he said. Going solo, he remembered, concerned his parents. "But how could I be by myself? There's 280 million people out there."

He admitted the first few nights of sleeping outside were "a little unsettling." But he took the attitude of "What's the worst possible thing that could happen to me?" and then I was OK," he said.

Wagoner said he would ride for the night whenever he was tired of riding, which was usually after eight hours of pedaling. "I slept in empty buildings, in churches, in fire stations—even in parks," he said. On several occasions he was able to sleep in luxury when he was "taken in" by relatives or people he had met along the way.

As for determining his travel route, Wagoner said he would buy a map of a particular area, "when I got there," he said, "and as much as possible to parallel the major freeways, but wound up asking a lot of people for directions."

"I found that you can tell a lot about a person by the directions he gives," he said, giving an example. "Like, they tell you to go a certain way, even though it's out of the way, in order to avoid hills, you know they're really saving you some trouble."

Wagoner said he wasn't really concerned with seeing the country. "That wasn't the main purpose of the trip," he said, adding that the only thing he went out of his way to see was the Grand Canyon. "I was mostly interested in the people—they're who I think really made the trip."

He said he felt more interested in "talking with the guy on the corner" than he was in seeing the sights.

Wagoner recalled the day he rode into a home in the Appalachian mountains on the first day of squash season.

"There was a bunch of hillbillies driving four-by's with guns in the back. I couldn't believe actually living like they did," he said. He said the people there weren't friendlish and seemed almost to "have no real purpose in life."

"But then I had to deal with my own preconceived notions," he said. "Just because people call themselves-Americans doesn't mean they are Americans to me."

He said he could see the difference in values in people from "southern Pennsylvania. People really think differently about time and money in different areas of America." He saw this clearly in Illinois. "It was the home of my only accident," he said, Wagoner recalling "stripping out" on railroad tracks.

The man turned out to be a doctor. "I couldn't believe the coincidence—the only guy I know in the whole town and he's the one who got to scrape the gravel out of me," said Wagoner, shaking his head. "Is that luck, or what?"

"My parents were sure that I'd be hit by a speeding diesel," he said, "but the closest I came to that was in Fort Wayne, Indiana, when a guy threw a half of a Big Mac out of the window of his car." Wagoner said he thinks the tossed burger, which missed him, wouldn't "have done me in. I think the guy probably had Big Macs."

Wagoner's own eating habits were dictated by quarters of chocolate milk and packages of vanilla sandwich cookies. It was enough to power him through 13 states until he reached his destination in Washington D.C.

"By the time I got there, I was ready to come home," he said. Though he didn't experience any bad weather or mishap, travelling and blown tires came to an end when he reached his destination in Washiagton D.C.

He caught a bus to Chicago where he landed a job harvesting on a combine. He made enough to pay for the $1200 trip, ship himself and his bike to his hometown of Ojai, California. "I was the place of my only accident," said Wagoner, recalling "stripping out" on railroad tracks.

"The worst thing that could happen with this system is you could lose a channel for 12 hours," said Sweaney.

The best thing? Sweaney smiled.

"It provides parents with the peace of mind. If mom and dad are going to sit the rest of int TV viewing and the capabilities of the new..."

The system for blocking out the channels on which parents don't want their children to view is set on a six-inch-long, hand-held remote control box. The parent types in "99," the number of the channel they want off and any four digits.

A delay of about 10 seconds, the blocked channel rolls up to 12 hours. To restore the channel, the code is simply retyped into the box.

"Any kid who can figure out the four-digit code deserves to watch his show," he said.

The block-out function will be available on 12 of GE's top-of-the-line 19- and 25-inch sets in June. Sweaney said the new feature will not add to the price of these models, which range from $650 to $1,500.

There remains one problem: When it's Friday night and the folks are settling down to watch Dallas the children could extract their revenge by knocking that station off the system.

Biodynamic agriculture to be outlined
Newspaper cartoonists take the funnies seriously

BY ARLENE MIRANDA
Staff Writer

Are comic strips ever taken seriously? They are by the cartoonist. The job of a cartoonist involves expressing a clear idea, applying artistic ability, catching the reader's attention and often, though not always, supporting some social or political cause.

Cartoonists may see their function as a means of expressing their opinion or a means of influencing or impacting the opinions of others. Mark Lawer, creator of the comic strip, "Frazz," expresses the "general perspective" of the Cal Poly student. Lawer uses humor to present some student experience or emotion, often his own. His cartoon is not politically oriented. His purpose is to create empathy amongst the student population.

Another artist who avoids "heavy political expression" is Tim Ballinger, creator of "Polly Wally." Ballinger also emphasizes humor in his cartoons. "I get inspired by watching people," says Ballinger. His wife, Gwen, acts as his consultant. "If she laughs, then I'll print it," says Ballinger.

Dave Curtis witnessed the transformation of his bug-like characters of "Queeb" into three-dimensional figures on the float for the 1981 Rose Parade. It won the award for best animation. Curtis says his purpose in cartooning is to express his opinion while deriving some emotion from the reader.

Curtis, like Lawer and Ballinger, hopes to have his own syndicated comic strip one day. But unfortunately, says Curtis, "Frazz" doesn't sell well. Apparently, the public is not as fond of cute insects as it is of cute dogs and cats.

Daryl Teshima uses his cartoons to express a political statement. Like most of the campus cartoonists, Teshima gets his ideas from reading newspapers, newsmagazines and by listening to what is expressed by the student population. He regards himself as "a human sponge." He aspires to work in the newspaper business, taking cartooning as far as he can. In the meantime, he seeks to develop his style artistically.

Unlike other journalists, cartoonists often find it effective to use cliches, proverbs, fairy tales, quotations, or song titles in their work. Illustrations are submitted in a larger form than they will appear in the newspaper to include better detail. When reduced to actual size, the minor flaws go unnoticed.

The expression of a political opinion requires the cartoonist to keep up to date on news events as well as being prepared for the reaction of angry or offended readers. Although exercising their right of free speech in their role as "picture-journalists," they must also uphold the responsibility of ethics and decency.

This Poly Royal show will be all wet

BY SHARYN SEARS
Staff Writer

It's athletics combined with theatre. It's using a swimming pool for a stage. It's the Poly Royal synchronized swim show.

The applause subsides as the performers exit the swimming pool for a stage. The Poly Royal synchronized swim team, which performed last Friday and Saturday night, was entertained by some 70 synchronized swimmers.

"Water Play the Cal Poly Way" will be a full-filled depiction of the water sports engaged in Cal Poly swimming, according to faculty advisor Carolyn Shank.

The pool area will come alive with swimmers, drivers and even surfers in a "rolling presentation" of such sports as Women's Water Polo and much more, said Shank. Scuba divers will surface from the depths of the pool and variously mark their time around the deck area to tunes by the Beach Boys and others.

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SLO County gets a wildflower seed monopoly

By Gary Pellerin
Staff Writer

For many Cal Poly students there's more to college than getting good grades. For some the time here is also used in evolving as a person, struggling to meet high ideals. In order for students to take control of their personal development, a volunteer program for this quarter has been designed by the Student Affairs department under the direction of Bob Timone, director for Student Development Programs.

The main thrust of the program is to generate contact and feedback for students," Timone said, "thus causing personal growth that is self-propelling.

The program will involve a projected 900 students who will be put into groups of 10 members with a trained staff. The students will use self-assessment to pinpoint areas in their personal lives they would like to see improved or changed, Timone said. The tests also measure the development of autonomy, purpose, mature interpersonal relationships, and how students' skills resemble professional skills, said the director.

The tests can be taken once or twice to see any improvements, and to see what kind of impact can be measured.

After identifying the areas of need, goals and objectives for the purpose of personal development will be generated individually with the help of other students, or with the help of the group facilitators.

It is hoped that the students, or with the help of other professionals, said the program is designed to be productive and helpful, not to interfere with students' academic programs.

Anyone interested in taking part in this program can call Timone at 546-4746 or contact the Activity Planning Center. According to Timone, "It's not a chore, but an opportunity.

U.S. caught in Falkland crises

By Tony Cockrell

In 1981 the U.S. caught in Falkland crises had not been able to defaul lose. N.A.T.O. was sparring British Navy arrives on the scene.

If the British were to lose, NATO would appear weaker because the British had not been able to defend themselves against a third world nation.

Gooden believes there will be some sort of confrontation when the British Navy arrives on the scene. Underlying the fact that nationalism is running high in both countries, both the British and the Americans are facing domestic instability, he said. Califieri has 140 percent inflation and high unemployment. The Thatcher is having her share of labour troubles. This could be the breaking point for both governments, said Gooden.

of Merro Bay, is the founder and owner of Moon Mountain Wildflower Seed Company. Vaiano is educated in the field of botany and is a concerned naturalist who would like to see the public become more aware of the importance of preserving the native wildflower.

In July 1981, Vaiano began her business of packaging and selling the wildflower seeds, which she buys from local growers. She stores the millions of seeds in zip lock plastic bags in her garage. She packages them herself and sells them to more than 25 county-wide gift shops and garden centers. Vaiano says that within the short time her seeds have been on the market, the public has shown an increasing interest.

The types of wildflowers range from coastal and mountainous to mountains and even urban. There are more than 30 different species of Moon Mountain Wildflowers available in perennials and annuals, all of which may be purchased by the packet or in bulk quantities.

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California is blessed with many kinds of natural beauty. The ocean, mountain ranges, desert and lakes are all pleasing in their own right. The largest selection of one of these natural beauties, the California Native Wildflower, is right here in San Luis Obispo Country. Donna Vaiano, a resident of Morro Bay, is the founder and owner of Moon Mountain Wildflower Seed Company. Vaiano is educated in the field of botany and is a concerned naturalist who would like to see the public become more aware of the importance of preserving the native wildflower.

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Student help program stresses self-improvement

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Staff Writer

For many Cal Poly students there's more to college than getting good grades. For some the time here is also used in evolving as a person, struggling to meet high ideals. In order for students to take control of their personal development, a volunteer program for this quarter has been designed by the Student Affairs department under the direction of Bob Timone, director for Student Development Programs.

The main thrust of the program is to generate contact and feedback for students," Timone said, "thus causing personal growth that is self-propelling.

The program will involve a projected 900 students who will be put into groups of 10 members with a trained staff. The students will use self-assessment to pinpoint areas in their personal lives they would like to see improved or changed, Timone said. The tests also measure the development of autonomy, purpose, mature interpersonal relationships, and how students' skills resemble professional skills, said the director.

The tests can be taken once or twice to see any improvements, and to see what kind of impact can be measured.

After identifying the areas of need, goals and objectives for the purpose of personal development will be generated individually with the help of other students, or with the help of the group facilitators.

First-year students will be subject to survival skills. In the second year, the emphasis will shift to solidifying career decisions. The third year will concentrate on leadership skills, and finally job hunting skills will be solidified for graduating students.

There are also plans to develop a student development transcript which would be a record of accomplishments, competition developments, leadership skills, social skills and volunteer work.

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Student tells of her life with Jelly Bellies

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"Whenever he flies he's well supplied with Jelly Bellies," said Graves. "What's his favorite flavor? I hear he's a coconut fan," she said.

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Squads head for Invitational in San Jose, Northridge

Track teams pose double problems

The prospects of being the Mustangs women's track team is not too thrilling for those coaches who enjoy winning invitations. But this weekend, there's no place for those teams to go without losing a Poly uniform in front of them.

Mustangs head coach Lance Harter is splitting his squad for competition Saturday, taking five athletes to the Bruce Forster Classic at San Jose City College and the remainder of the team to Cal State Northridge for the Nike-TFA Invitational. Mustangs' coach, Henderson, will have six runners in San Jose and 18 in Northridge.

Harter is hoping that the team at San Jose will be a little more hospitable atmosphere last weekend in Berkeley, where horizontal team and the Mustangs out of the Cal-Nike Invitational. Poly finished third overall even though they didn't compete in 14 events.

Going to the Jensen Classic, which ranks with the Pac-8 Invitational as the premier track meet of the year in California, will be three-quarter-milers and two distance runners. Elaine Malicky, who runs for San Jose City College, will return for the 400 with her season best of 56.59. Also running in the 400 will be another San Jose product, Liz Douglas lifetime best of 56.61, and Arlene Van Warmerdelen is the first mustang in the 1,500.

In the 3,000, Elise Kraemer and Amy Harper will meet former Mustang star Maggie Keys, the distance machine with more All-America tributes than Gen. Patton. Keys has a personal record of 9:56, while Kraemer has run 9:55 and Harper clocking in 9:59.1. Both Mustangs have already qualified for the Division I meet in Provo, Utah during the first week in June.

"With the fast facilities and the large crowd, the competition will be secondary," said Harter. "We're looking for some substantial personal records. We're also looking for nice weather."

The Mustangs are hoping to sneek into a triangular meet with the Trojans and UCLA, but the Trojans, long known as the team in hurly, the plan was to have the Trojans and Bruins battle out for win and have a patry to make the other two teams look better. But the Trojans coach knew that his team would get massacred by the Mustangs and finish last in the scoring so she asked Chris Clemons to coach Chris for another team. Since no one is sure who would win in a dual meet between Poly and UCLA, Clemons didn't put much resistance to the Mustangs' decision. Mustage will be the better team at the meet this week.

"They were looking for someone not to upholding the scoring. I can understand the decision. We're kind in the middle, since we're not a patry but a very, very good Div. II team that's ranked in the top five in the nation in dual meets," said Harter.

The Bruins didn't want to face anyone competitive after losing Oregon last weekend, 59-59, their first loss of the year.

Poly has qualified 18 individuals in 30 events and both relays for the Div. II national meet next month in Sacramento. Harper and Irene Crowley have each qualified in three events, and seven others have met the quality standard in two events. In addition the Mustangs have qualified eight athletes in 10 events and the short relay for the Div. I meet. And they're still counting.

Harter, "We're looking this weekend to have nice weather and good competition, and see the results take care of themselves. Our people are ready to compete. They're hungry. They just need the opportunity to compete."

The men's team finds itself between its most important dual meet of the year. Having been creamed 49-94 by Oregon last weekend and preparing to face powerful California next week. As a result, Mustangs coach Tom Henderson is holding out many of his distance runners and field event competitors.

Henderson, coached for five years at San Jose City College, so he's well-versed in the Mustang's reputation. His contacts helped a few Mustangs get into the prestigious meet, which has no more than nine people in an event.

As an example, Mustang triple jumper Terry Armitage has qualified for the national meet with a best of 55-1/4, but the worst jumper in Saturday's field has done 54 feet. The American record in that event was set in 1968 last year.

Henderson will send sprinter Pat Croft, distance runner Steve Strangis, long jumper Ron Wayne, and three members of the 1600 relay—Shon Bowles, Rick Richard, and Brad Underwood—to join Croft. Underwood is in the 400 in the immediate hurdles.

"The meet itself will just have us waiting for the Division II teams," said Harter. "It'll be a Who's Who in track and field. Our guys have been wanting a chance to run against top flight competition. Hopefully, we'll get a few more people qualified for the national meet.

The Mustangs have 11 people qualified in 14 events and both relays, but are trying to make 2 events of the 1600 relay (48.77) entered in the Div. I meet. The standard is 46.6.

The meet will be held Thursday-Saturday at Homer High School in San Jose, California. The Mustangs' men will travel to the meet Thursday, and their women's team will travel Friday. The meet will begin at 9:30 on both days, both relays will be run at 11:30. Both relays, the 400 and 1600, will be run on Friday.
Oil whitewash

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The Mustang Daily Editorial Board despises this whitewashed version. The Board of Supervisors are passing up a chance to demonstrate disapproval of Watt's reckless drilling plans and the environmental impact of the drilling.

The Bureau of Land Management has estimated that during the 30-year life span of the oil project there would be at least one or two oil spills of over 1,000 barrels, and 100 to 146 oil spills of under 1,000 barrels. This is exactly what Californians are concerned about.

An oil spill off San Luis Obispo County would be devastating. Clams, oysters, crabs and fish would be wiped out by the hundreds, and the salmon industry would be dramatically affected, and the otter population probably would be completely decimated, researchers conclude.

The risks are high for offshore drilling and the benefits questionable at best. The County Board of Supervisors is missing an opportunity to express the views of the people they represent, as well as many other Californians. The Mustang Daily Editorial Board urges the supervisors to reconsider its original letter, and we urge our readers to make their view known to the supervisors and other government representatives.

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