Poly conservatism continues

By DONALD MUNRO
Asst Managing Editor

In the turbulent decades of the 60s and 70s, demonstrations and violence erupted at campuses across the United States as college students fought against a war in Southeast Asia they said couldn't be won. Even today they argue that the war was fought based on human dignity rather than the honor of a person's skin.

They fought against the morals of their parents in a sexual revolution that brought in changes all over campus including building renovations, new agriculture and engineering buildings and more parking facilities.

Workers refer to plans of the Dexter renovation. Plans for changes all over campus include a new agriculture building.

An alternative political view:

Green party organizes at Poly

By JULIA PRODIS

Although the majority of Cal Poly students are conservative, Republican, and supporters of Ronald Reagan, there is a political party on campus and in the communities which deviates from this traditional stereotype.

The Greens, a political party that originated in West Germany that is concerned with environmental issues, recently bound its way to the Center. We try not to categorize ourselves as liberal, conservative right or left, said Patguita Batb, a Cal Poly student and founding member of the San Luis Obispo Green Party. Many of our decisions cross party lines. In many ways, the Green platform is a reaction against traditional party lines, she said.

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Campus goes through changes

By MARGARET BARRETT

Cal Poly is not the only school to be under overhaul. Building renovations, new agriculture and engineering buildings and more parking facilities.

The University recently announced plans for changes throughout the campus, affecting students both academically and socially.

Students refer to plans of the Dexter renovation. Plans for the changes include a new agriculture building.
Cal Poly? Oh, they're all rednecks or preppies ...
Ethnic awareness increasing

By WENDY WALTERS-STEPHENS

Although the ethnic population at Cal Poly remains low, there is an increasing effort to make students aware of the fact that others exist.

"Cal Poly has a long way to go before it can consider itself culturally aware," said Alan Yang, faculty advisor for the Multi-Cultural Center. "We still have a very low number (785) of minority students here because of two reasons: we are not a metropolitan area, and we are an impacted school. Therefore, students get little exposure here to the rest of the world."

He said he doesn't feel Cal Poly is reflective of the outside world, however, he explained, "this will change in the near future since the leading ethnic minority students here because of changes. It's just a responsibility to recognize the outside world."

The Multi-Cultural Center has been the primary focus of activities put on by the different clubs on campus, "It's also just a place to go for foreign students to come to and speak to someone in their native language."

As part of the increasing effort to enlighten students, the Black History Month Coordinating Committee and the Afro-American Student Union worked in conjunction with the Speaker Forum in putting together "Black History Month" held during the month of Martin Luther King Jr's birthday.

As part of this celebration Dick Gregory, a human rights activist, social satirist, author, recording artist, actor, and political speaker, lectured on human rights with the theme that "there would be a whole lot of changes if we Americans decided to do things."

Also featured during Black History Month were African students speaking on their experiences of studying in the United States and their perceptions of both cultures. Ethopian and Oak Park Break Dancers demonstrated a combination of African and contemporary American dances.

"Black History Month received an enormous amount of publicity from the media this year," said Willie Coleman, an assistant director for the Activities Planning Center. "The Martin Luther King March had a tremendous turnout and the whole effort of the students who worked to put it together was rewarded by the overall success of it."

Coleman considered Black History Month successful because it raised questions about one's own ethnicity, as well as myths we all have about other people.

"Anytime people have to react or become aware of something different they have to stop for a few moments and reflect and respond," she said.

Cal Poly overseas

Profs take foreign assignments

By TED LEWIS

Cal Poly's international recognition for its agriculture program and the university's "learn by doing" approach of teaching has led a number of the agriculture faculty to participate in foreign assignments.

Most of the assignments are involved with the International Agriculture Development Program. The short-term programs take place in Third World countries where education is needed to improve the quality of teaching in agricultural technology and program administration.

The countries include such as Liberia, and the Cuttington University College contract with the School of Agriculture for curriculum development and teaching methodology for a technical two-year college degree, said Dr. Corwin Johnson, Crop Science Department head.

We have been able to help in developing countries because they want two and four-year technical programs with the hands-on training approach which Cal Poly is known for," said Johnson.

"There has been plenty of research done in the production of crops in these developing countries, he explained. "What the greatest need is, is to get the material and knowledge out to the village and to the farmer."

By having this hands-on experience, faculty that have participated in these programs and have worked with people in foreign countries learn more about world agriculture problems and some of the solutions needed to solve these problems, explained Johnson.

"Some of the Crop Science faculty that have been involved with foreign countries for educational purposes are Charles Allee, spending summers in Panama with the United States Agency for International Development; Gordon Van De Vanter, in Guatemala also for the USAID; and Dr. Corwin Johnson, in Iran for the Peace Corps and in Sudan for the USAID.

As competition increases in the world market, the world seems to be shrinking in size," said Ornamental Horticulture Department Head Ronald Regan. Countries that are half-way around the world are becoming

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President Warren Baker said donations to Cal Poly have improved immensely but giving is usually confined to engineering, agriculture or computer science departments. "We'd like to target some programs for broader participation," he said.

"We don't have adequate funding from the state for the kind of programs we have. We have very little money to meet legitimate needs of the faculty.

"What we're trying to do is enhance the annual giving program," said Baker. "We've started with parents and there has been a significant improvement.

"We want to improve in all areas.

Halpern said about three-fourths of the money raised by the Annual Giving Office is restricted for use in a specific department or a specific program. Donations often are used for special equipment or chemicals and travel fare for faculty.

"If we want to be a distinctive university then I think we've got to go out and bring in the private dollars," said James Strom, vice president of university relations.

"The state money provides for a state-supported school. "We would not be able to continue certain things as partially fund the renovation of the Counseling Center. We would not be able to put some funding into an endowment for the arts.

"Strom is planning on having an annual solicitation calendar for next year. "On that calendar we will have all the fundraising activities, both restricted and university-wide activities. We're going to make that a regular calendar.

Halpern said he hopes the Annual Fund might possibly reach one million dollars by 1990. "We really have become less and less a state-supported school and more and more a state-assisted school," said Halpern. "Technology is changing so rapidly that we might as well educate our students from the past or educate them towards the future.

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Funding support group formed
Athletic scholarships get aid

By NANCY ALLISON
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SUMAT—Supporters of Mustang Athletic Teams—is an organization that was founded with the intention of providing funds for Poly's student athletes. The organization came about during Winter Quarter after the Cal Poly Foundation loaned the Athletic Department in excess of $350,000 to pay off its various debts it had accumulated over the years. In addition, the University Administration set a $150,000 yearly limit on scholarship spending.

The cost of scholarships for athletes this year alone amounted to $190,000, so the Administration proposed a 25 percent cut in scholarships to all returning athletes next year, and prohibited recruitment of new scholarship athletes, until the Athletic Department got back on its feet.

It was at this point that SUMAT stepped in. The organization was founded by Administration and faculty members, under the helm of Vice President James L. Strom, who decided that if Cal Poly boosters set their minds to it, they could raise enough money to pay for scholarships, and much more.

To prove to President Baker that the group meant business, 30 SUMAT members signed promissory notes worth $5,000 each, to be cashed if the group failed to raise the money for scholarships.

"Considerable interest has been expressed in SUMAT formation and in the potential it has for developing an athletic scholarship program that will allow our teams to compete successfully," said Strom.

The organization hopes to raise $280,000 for scholarships, primarily through private contributions, explained Strom. Additionally, the organization's purpose is to support and assist the athletic director, Dr. Ken Walker, and act as a communications vehicle between the Athletic Department and the athletic boosters.

Cal Poly athletes may be able to keep receiving scholarships because of the work of a new support group that has formed on campus known as SUMAT.

The organization will be run by a board of directors, which will include four members appointed by President Baker, a representative from each sport receiving scholarship money, a representative from each community booster group across the state, and up to nine directors elected by SUMAT members. Directors will serve for a period of two years and must be a board member of the organization.

The function of the board of directors, according to Strom, is to oversee SUMAT's fundraising activities, and to review recommendations from the athletic director for the expenditure of the funds raised.

"By placing intercollegiate athletes on a more businesslike basis and overseeing the development of scholarship funds through a volunteer organization, we have assured ourselves the best possibility for success," noted Vice President Strom.
CONSERVATISM

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has built up over the years.

Among California colleges and universities, Cal Poly has the deserved reputation for political conservatism. Therefore, conservative students might be more apt to apply to an institution like Cal Poly.

A president of the College Republicans, political science major Becky Olshausen is a popular person on campus these days.

POLITICAL TRENDS

Her club has about 260 members at a university known for its conservative outlook. For what more could a young Republican ask?

"We've seen the country come back from the dooms and glooms of the Carter years," said Olshausen, explaining her party's present popularity. "Patriotism is back and people are proud to be American these days.

The Republican Party no longer deserves the label 'party of the wealthy," she said. It has managed to put together a platform and plan for the United States that's attracting all segments of the population, including traditionally more liberal college students.

Today's generation grew up with the tail end of the Vietnam War, Watergate, a recession and the Iranian crisis, and ended up wanting to feel optimistic about their country again. "I would say it's the hope for a better tomorrow Reagan offered," she said.

"It's a little harder for Olshausen to explain the conservative bent of Cal Poly through the years when other campuses were being closed because of massive demonstrations and rioting in the streets.

The distribution of majors is an important factor, she said: "Look at the majors and the careers people are pursuing - all the technical majors tend to be more conservative.

The reputation of Cal Poly is also important - not only because conservative students might want to come to San Luis Obispo, she said, but because conservative parents might want their children to enroll as well.

I might be said that Jeff Hunt, co-chairman of the Cal Poly Young Democrats, sometimes leads a lonely political existence. His club had 28 members at last count.

"Definitely this school comes down more heavilv on the Republican side," said the political science major.

A lot of Cal Poly's conservative stance comes from the heavy agriculture emphasis and the heavy emphasis on engineering," he said.

Agriculture in California has always been supportive of Ronald Reagan, he explained. With Reagan's continued escalation of defense spending, the defense industry has benefitted enormously from his administration, he said. That translates to lots of jobs and high salaries for a large number of Cal Poly grads.

Even though the campus went overwhelmingly for Reagan in the 1984 election, Hunt said Cal Poly students aren't necessarily all that conservative.

People come down very strongly on the side of the Democrats regarding social issues.

"Among California colleges and universities Cal Poly has the deserved reputation for political conservatism." -David George

Hunt said. For example, there aren't that many students who are adamantly opposed to abortion or adamantly in favor of increased defense spending. He said.

The election of Ronald Reagan was the greatest marketing campaign Hunt had seen in his entire life.

"People were voting for the image. But if they get away from image and look at the issues people support, they care more," he said.

In the November election the Young Democrats started with the premise that they weren't going to win at Cal Poly. They worked to increase voter awareness and bring out what they felt were the important issues of the campaign, but knew they were working against a time-honored conservative tradition.

"We know that a Democratic victory at Cal Poly was an impossible system at its best," he said.

Hunt said Cal Poly freshmen last year listed being "very well off financially" as a prime objective in life (compared to 39 percent in 1970)."Astin said students have become more interested in making money, and increasingly see college as the important means toward that end.

At Cal Poly, Professor George Cameron said students view an education as the means to a high paying job instead of an intrinsic goal just for learning's sake.

"That's really shallow," he said. "There's more to life than materialism."

Young Democratic Hunt also counts materialism as an important aspect of the conservative trend. "People are worried about their pocketbooks, and this applies to Cal Poly," Hunt said. "The issue isn't politics - the issue becomes money."

There is a perception that being Republican will advance your financial situation, he said - a perception that's true if a person works for an industry that's favored by the Republicans, such as the defense industry.

"For College Republican Olshausen, however, there's something more to the conservative movement than just amassing large quantities of money.

An interest in financial security is important, she said, but more so to the appeal than that.

"It's a part of it but it's not the whole thing," she said. "Patriotism, along with the feeling that America is stronger and better and has improved its reputation in the eyes of the world is also an integral part."

It's a feeling that can't be pinched down simply by explaining it to materialism, Olshausen said.

Another issue that remains to be seen is whether the conservative trend among college students will last, or whether the political pendulum will swing left once again.

If, ten years from now students nationally become more liberal once again, it's a safe bet that Cal Poly students will, overall, still be more conservative than the nation as a whole.

Among California colleges and universities Cal Poly has the deserved reputation for political conservatism."

- David George

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Agriculture students support Reagan policy

By JULIA PRODIS

In a survey taken of 72 agriculture students on campus, the majority interviewed agreed with President Reagan’s veto of the Farm Bill which would have given aid to farmers hit by the current crisis.

POLITICAL TRENDS

"I’m saddened that there isn’t more compassion and heart in my students," said Marlin Vix, professor of Agricultural Management.

For the last three years there has been a farm-belt depression. Many farmers, specifically small farmers, from the midwestern states, are going bankrupt and forced to foreclose their land because of the drop in farm prices, the disappearance of foreign markets, and bankers’ hesitation to extend loans to farmers. Many of these troubled farmers borrowed large sums of money during the 1970’s and early 1980’s based on the incorrect assumption that the value of their land would increase and the supplemental income provided by the government would continue.

"For the last 50 years, the United States government has followed an agricultural policy of programs in favor of the farmer through depression times," said Vix. "The Reagan Administration is now changing those policies with the Agriculture Adjustment Act of 1985 which is a rather severe reduction in aid and subsidy to the farmers. Reagan also vetoed the Emergency Credit Bailout program which would slow down foreclosures rates."

Of the 72 agriculture students surveyed, 52 were Republicans, eight were Democrats, and 12 named no political party. Of the 52 Republicans, 33 considered themselves conservative, 17 were moderate, and one was liberal. Of the eight Democrats, three considered themselves conservative and five were moderate. Of the 12 students not affiliated with a political party, none were conservative, eight were moderate, one was liberal, and three didn’t answer.

Vix said the agriculture students surveyed were traditionally Republicans and conservative. All the Democrats who responded to the survey disagreed with President Reagan’s veto of the Farm Bill. Mostly, among the Republicans surveyed, well over three-quarters (88 percent) agreed with the President’s position on this issue.

One male, moderate Republican student, whose family is involved in farming said of the midwestern farmers, “I think it’s their own fault. They may be good producers but bad managers.”

One male, conservative Republican who plans to go into farming agrees with Reagan’s position. “It reinforces my faith in Reagan to know that he would change drastically the way he feels about something just because of pressures,” said political science professor Dave George. "This finding suggests that political predispositions, such as the student’s commitment to a given political party, are instrumental in shaping their political perspective." George said that Republican students may be supporting Reagan because of his conservative policies and the political climate of the early 1980’s.

According to political science professor Dave George, "This finding suggests that political predispositions, such as the student’s commitment to a given political party, are instrumental in shaping their political perspective." George said that Republican students may be supporting Reagan because of his conservative policies and the political climate of the early 1980’s.
The Sonoma and Napa valleys aren't the only places in California that produce world-class Cabernets, Zinfandels and Chardonnays. The Central Coast is becoming an increasingly recognized force in the wine industry. With more than 30 wineries and 10,000 acres of planted vines, the area has become a virtual goldmine for prospective vintners.

Jean Foster of Eberle Winery claims that Central Coast wineries are catching up to and competing with wineries in the Napa and Sonoma valleys.

"Wineries on the Central Coast have accomplished in five years what it has taken the Napa and Sonoma valleys 40 years to do," Foster said. "Them is fightin' words."

The viticultural area of the Central Coast is typified by rolling hills and valleys with an average elevation between 600 and 1900 feet, which creates an ideal climate for planting and growing winegrapes. The soil is fertile, well drained and is composed generally of alluvial and terrace deposits.

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low humidity levels promote a good sugar to acid balance in the grapes, which is all-important to wine makers and the taste of their wines.

In the north county, wineries bordering Highway 46 lie veins from an artery, continuing past Templeton and west to Paso Robles. Other vineyards border Highway 101 north of Paso Robles, but to visit them all in one day is impossible — there are too many, they are too far apart and most people's tolerance levels aren't high enough to handle it.

To stop at each winery on Highway 46 would take tasters about five hours to travel the 50-mile highway. But given the time and the tolerance levels, average tasters can look through a number of brochures and pamphlets, pick out four or five wineries they'd like to visit easily in one day and enjoy a sunny Sunday afternoon.

There are 21 north county wineries with vast full of wine waiting to be tasted, but visiting all in one day is impossible — there are at least a two-day project. There are also several vineyards without tasting rooms, such as Rancho Tierra Rejada and Riverview, that produce top quality wines.

Templeton Corners Tasting Room pours samples of these wines, which gives tasters the opportunity to taste the wines before taking a chance on buying them in stores. Templeton Corners does charge a small fee, though.

In San Luis Obispo and the surrounding area, there are several wineries and vineyards offering varieties of the same quality wines. Corbett Canyon Vineyards, Sanacelio Canyon Winery, Chambas Vineyards, Edna Valley Vineyard, and Row-Keller Winery are all in the immediate vicinity and all have tasting rooms, tours and group accommodations.

South of San Luis Obispo, in Santa Barbara County, there are many wineries producing excellent wines. Stretching to Santa Barbara, vineyards stripe the rolling countryside of the Santa Ynez Valley south of Santa Maria. However, tasters encounter the same problem there as in the north county — which wineries to visit.

All of these wineries have accommodations for visitors and some are equipped with picnic facilities that can be reserved in advance.

During special times of the year there are events like the Mozart Festival, the Monterey Jazz Festival and the Renaissance Festival. Many of the wineries offer their vineyards, gatherings and conventions in celebration of the events. There is usually no charge and the public is encouraged to visit.

For a complete list of all wineries on the Central Coast and more information about tours, call Central Coast Wine Growers Association in Santa Maria at 992-8394. So, whether you are parents traveling north or south from Poly Royal or students simply wanting to relax after trying parental visits, Central Coast wineries are a great diversion. Forget long highway miles yet to be travelled and upcoming midterms while sipping some of the best wines in the nation — right here on the Central Coast.

The following list is only a fraction of the Central Coast Wineries. They were selected because of their quality, reputations and uniqueness and should be included on all tasters' itineraries.

**ESTRELLA RIVER WINERY:** (805) 238-6300. Highway 46 East, P.O. Box 96, Paso Robles, CA 93447.

Estrella River is the largest winery in the north county with nine different varieties of grapes and more than 700 acres of vines on a 1,000 acre site. It was established in 1977 by Cliff Giacalone, a southern California businessman.

The first harvest of grapes yielded two gold medal winners at the Orange County Fair for their Chardonnay and Cabernet Sauvignon. Estrella is known for its rich and complex Cabernet Sauvignon, but Estrella's vast acreage produces both red and white varieties of wine grapes.

The whites include Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc, Chenin Blanc, Muscat Canelli and Johannesberg Riesling. The reds are Cabernet Sauvignon, Zinfandel, Barbera and a true Syrah, made from one of only two cuttings imported from France to California.

All nine wines are offered for tasting. There is no charge, but it takes a strong will to resist the temptation to buy a bottle or two. Daily tours are given that take visitors to the top of a 50-foot tower that overlooks the entire plantation. Groups are welcome.

**YORK MOUNTAIN WINERY:** (805) 238-2296. York Mountain Road West, Route 2, P.O. Box 131, Templeton, CA 93465.

Located just off of Highway 46, 103-year-old York Mountain is the oldest winery in the area. There are only 20 acres of grapes planted on the 16-acre site, but nevertheless the winery has produced several award-winning wines.

On the taste list are three different Chardonnays, Zinfandel, Pinot Noir, Cabernet Sauvignon, Champagne and dry Sherry. Tours are given by appointment and the tasting room is open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**CORBETT CANYON VINEYARD:** (805) 544-8800. 2180 Corbett Canyon Rd., off Highway 227, San Luis Obispo, CA 93463.

A. Brooks Firestone left his executive position with the Firestone Tire Company in 1973 for the challenge of establishing his own vineyard. He and his wife Kate planted 300 acres of grapes on a 500 acre site and have since poured their wines for such celebrities as former President Gerald Ford and his wife Betty, Queen Margrethe II of Denmark when she visited Solvang, Queen Elizabeth II when she came to California in 1980 and President Reagan, whose ranch is just down the road.

The couple concentrates on producing seven wines: Cabernet Sauvignon, Pinot Noir, Merlot, Johannesberg Riesling, Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc and Gewurtzraminer. Tours are given Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and arrangements for groups of ten or more should be made in advance.

**BALLARD CANYON WINERY:** (805) 688-7445. 1923 Ballard Canyon Rd. Solvang, CA 93463.

Relaxing on a deck beneath towering oak trees, tasters can enjoy samples of Ballard Canyon award-winning wines, while picnicking on outdoor tables. The winery was established in 1974 by Gene Hallock and produces seven wines: Cabernet Sauvignon, Johannesberg Riesling, Sauvignon Blanc, Chardonnay, Zinfandel and Muscat Canelli.

The winery is known for its 1981 Chardonnay, which won a medal at the prestigious Orange County Fair. Tasting and tours are given daily from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and for special occasions the winery also offers catered buffet luncheons. Groups of six or more should call for an appointment.
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Reagan, not because of his stand on the terming crisis, but because of their traditional loyalty to the Republican party. Democrats, he said, may be disagreeing with Reagan because they traditionally oppose the decisions of the Republican party.

George is discouraged with this "blind attitude" but nonetheless sees it as a common trend in America today.

According to Professor Roberta Sipilä. These students may well avoid stress in their predispositions by seeing in a preferred candidate what they wish to see even if it is in unrelated objective reality.

The Midwest and the farms in California.

He said that most of the California farms are not affected by the same crisis of the Midwestern states. The only exception, conjured Vix, is that he would imagine that farmers, especially cotton growers in California, are affected by Reagan's veto.

"In California there is a great diversity in agriculture. The citrus growers have little in common with rice growers, much less grain growers in the Midwestern states."

The Midwest crops, said Vix, are similar in size and lower, and most of them are grain crops.

"I'm saddened that there isn't more compassion and heart in my students."

— Marlin Vix

Vix said that one possibility for the agriculture student attitude is that Cal Poly stresses corporate farming rather than small farming, and it is the small farms which are being affected.

The Greens are concerned with such issues as nature conservation, health, energy, traffic, centralism, participatory and economic democracy and global peace.

"We think globally and act locally," said Bath. The local issues the Greens are confronting include oil drilling, toxic wastes, Diabio Canyon, centralism, and social justice.

The other moderate Republican male said, "I feel he is turning his back on the people who supported him."

Bath intends to recruit on campus but is wary of the reception of the Greens by the majority of Cal Poly students. She said she hears a lot of anti-communist comments on campus. "Because of the Greens' liberal position on certain issues, some students say 'you must be a communist, you must be a faggot.'"

The Greens originated out of a dissatisfaction with the short-sightedness of the two-party system.

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Greeks expand; battle noise ordinance, alcohol laws

By MARGARET BARRETT

Greeks had expansion, noise and alcohol on their minds this year.

"There are more Greeks today than ever," said Walt Lambert, coordinator of Greek affairs. The number of students in fraternities and sororities in the United States is the largest in history, Lambert said. This trend is not only happening nationally but also on the Cal Poly campus.

A record number of women going through rush during Fall Quarter prompted Panhellenic representatives to invite a new national sorority to join the existing sororities at Cal Poly. Laurie Caddell, the president of Panhellenic when expansion was proposed, said the women decided that they wanted to keep the houses small enough for all the members to know one another.

At the time of this publication, representatives from three national sororities, Alpha Omicron Pi, Alpha Delta Pi and Alpha Gamma Delta, were scheduled to speak to an expansion committee made up of one delegate from each of the existing six sororities. Earlier this month. The committee would then vote on which sorority would be asked to start a Cal Poly chapter.

Caddell said the decision would depend on the presentations, the amount of alumni support in the San Luis Obispo area and the number of California chapters. "We don't want a house that is going to overpower the existing houses," said Caddell.

Whichever house is chosen, the women are going to need the support of members in the existing houses, Lambert said. Only the existing six houses will have formal rush during Fall Quarter of 1985. The new house will have informal rush after that period. Its rush will probably be held in the houses of the present sororities, since the new chapter might not have a house by that time.

Caddell stressed that the Panhellenic members wanted to maintain the close-knit feeling of the Cal Poly Greek system. If none of the sororities fit in, then Cal Poly will not invite any.

Expansion was also an issue Week at Greeks, page 12.

Members of Cal Poly fraternities participating in the on-campus escort service. The service may expand next year to include a shuttle from the library and University Union to residence halls and other nearby locations.
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**GREGS**

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with the Interfraternity Council this year. Although the members of Panhellenic were the ones who initiated the sororities at the Cal Poly campus, this was not the case with the fraternities. Two fraternities, Sigma Nu and Beta Theta Pi, began colonizing at Cal Poly last year without any invitation from IFC to do so.

Lambert said any group can form a club on campus as long as it has its bylaws approved by Associated Students Incorporated. IFC did not have formal expansion guidelines when the two fraternities came to the campus last year. During the fall, IFC passed an expansion policy but still had to decide whether or not to invite the two interested fraternities to the chapter that allows only one house to enter IFC at a time.

Representatives from the two fraternities made presentations to IFC in February telling of the activities they had been involved in and why they wanted to become members of IFC. The IFC members voted to allow only one fraternity in—Sigma Nu.

Lambert said the men wanted to take things slowly. This is the final arrangements are made. An informal vote taken at the meeting showed that they would like to consider the idea.

Members of the Greek community are waiting to see how a noise ordinance, which became effective March 7, will affect their activities. The ordinance calls for a deci-meter to be used to measure two levels of noise. By day, a deci-meter is a unit for measuring the relative loudness of sounds perceptible by the human ear. Under the ordinance, any member of the community generating noise that exceeds 55 decibels could be cited.

Sororities were concerned that the new ordinance would interfere with rush, forcing them to hold rush at locations other than their houses. Fraternities believed the ordinance would also affect rush and parties.

Greg's turned out in force for the City Council meetings when the issue was discussed. Pisenti spoke out against the ordinance during a Feb. 23 city council meeting. He stressed that the 55 decibel limit is a good level and would not be exceeded by readings taken on weekdays.

Noise is undoubtedly going to be louder on the weekends, he said.

The disabled students tram was proposed as a vehicle to use in the expanded escort service.

first time in 6 years that a new fraternity has been allowed to join. Bob Pierson, a member of IFC.

Mike Pisenti, the president of IFC, said he was happy with the decision to allow at least one fraternity to expand this year. He added that he would like to see at least one in. I think the fraternity section needs to grow.

Both Lambert and Pisenti said there's a good possibility that Beta Theta Pi will be allowed entrance to the council in Fall Quarter.

Expansion does not only have to do with new chapters starting at Cal Poly, but also with the expansion of the existing Interfraternity Escort Service. Members from fraternities act as escorts for students leaving the library and University Union to any campus location between 8 p.m. and midnight. The ASI Student Relations Board would like to add the IFC Escort Service to the list of a tram and van that would allow the men to drive students to residence halls or homes within a three-mile radius of campus.

Lesley Gleason, the chairperson of the Students Relations Board, at a meeting, said she would like the IFC to take over the service with the additions once

A car passing by registres 60 decals, said Linda Krell, another member of ASC.

Rons Bressler, an ASC community representative, who also spoke out against the ordinance.

Greeks have had trouble with the Alcohol Beverage Control board in the past and this year was no different.

On Feb. 1, a TGIF party held at Alpha Upsilon fraternity was broken up by members of the ASC and San Luis Obispo police because the men did not have a license and were allowed to sell alcohol.

Ron Bressler, an ASC representative, said California guidelines state that liquor licenses cannot be given to campus groups. The assumption is that at a college party, the majority of the people present will be minors. Bressler said the only way for a student group like a fraternity or sorority to be able to sell beer or wine at a party, is for an alumnus or other postgraduate association to buy the license and be present at the party.

At a meeting with Pisenti, the chairperson of the Students Relations Board, the board proposed the idea at a joint IFC and Panhellenic meeting. Gleason said she would like the IFC to take over the service with the additions once
CALIFORNIA RENOVATION

From page 1

It is now a temporary parking lot next to the Campus Store. That is where the governor signs the budget, Gerard said.

If the state legislature does pass Cal Poly's campus expansion and Governor Deukmejian signs it, Cal Poly will receive the $6.8 million in state funding to build the new agriculture building, Gerard said.

Lobby plans for the 44,000-square foot structure include dormitories, crop and animal science offices, and classrooms. Also located in the building will be department offices for ornamental horticulture, crop and animal science, food science and natural resources management as well as the dean's offices for the School of Agriculture.

Gerard said new structures are not the only changes on campus being overseen by university officials. Renovations to existing buildings continues to be a major occurrence.

A master plan that is being renovated is Dexter Library. Gerard said the existing buildings of the administration had plans for the rooms of Dexter Library when the new Robert E. Kennedy Library was completed four years ago. Since the completion of the new library, the Dexter rooms have been being used for storage.

In early February, contractors began removing interior partitions in order to create space for Art Department laboratories and classrooms, including an office for the department head. In addition, the remodeling will create 11 laboratories for the School of Agriculture. Gerard said the $8.8 million renovation is expected to be completed in April of 1987.

These are not the only changes afoot for Cal Poly. The Cal Poly Foundation is planning to update the student dining facilities.

Dorrough is director of Food Services for the Foundation at Cal Poly. In the dining complex which includes the Sandwich Plant, Dining Hall, Snack Bar and as well as departmental offices, we have a lot of use for the setup. Our concern is to make sure the students do not want the bowling alley. The new remodeling will begin in the Summer Quarter of 1986 and Dining Hall renovations in the Summer Quarter of 1987.

The renovation at Cal Poly is the building of a recreational facility. Last Spring Quarter students voted as to whether or not they wanted a new recreation center, which would mean a rise in student fees. The measure did not pass. However, the question of the need for a recreational center has not been dropped.

Ken Barclay, director of the Activities Planning Center, said that 87 percent of Cal Poly students come from outside San Luis Obispo County, and spend most of their recreation time on campus. This has led to the question of the gymnasium or playing fields as to whether or not they should be converted into a recreational/entertainment complex.

The first time the lowest bid of $106,373. As of Feb. 1, Conway said that with adjustments made in income projections, a $10,000 shortage of income remains.

Carlson stressed that nothing will be done without careful consideration. "We're not going to do anything drastic before we inform the students," she said.

Changes occurring on campus do not just include building and renovations of existing structures.

Because of increased demand for parking, the ASI Student Body voted on whether or not to make the baseball field located between the Chemistry and Engineering buildings into a parking lot. Controversy surrounded this idea, but it was brought before the Student Senate in March. A recommendation was made to add the proposal to Winter Quarter. The students said that they had no idea what degree is the need for a recreational facility. In addition, the most frequent complaints of students who said "no" or "maybe" was that they felt the fee was too high or that they would not benefit from the facility because they would graduate before its completion.

A recreational facility is not the only issue concerning the UUA. The Cal Poly eating facilities may not be around for much longer. In a memorandum prepared by ASI Executive Director, Roger Conway, said that the UUA, which includes the Snack Bar and the Games Area, consisting of the bowling alley, billiards and electronic games, is currently protected. The UUA, which includes the Sandwich Plant, is expected to bring in $80,000 in income against expenses of $306,737. As of Feb. 1, Conway said that with adjustments made in income projections, a $10,000 shortage of income remains. He said the biggest loss of revenue is the bowling alley.

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Alumni, corporations contributing to Poly funds

By SUSAN EDMONDSON

Donations to Cal Poly from corporations, parents and alumni have increased rapidly in the past few years. The Annual Fund for the 1983-1984 school year was $236,000, an increase of 20 percent from the year before.

Stanley Halpern, annual giving officer, expects the fund to increase another 20 percent this year. "I think we've just scratched the surface," said Halpern. "I'd like to get a one million dollar Annual Fund."

Halpern attributed the increase in donations to increased phone solicitations and an improved mail campaign. "We've started targeting this year," he said. "In the past it was very general. We sent one letter to everybody. This year instead of running four campaigns we ran about 20 campaigns."

Halpern said direct competitions for the United States in export trade markets. Because of this increase in competition it is important to keep up on new techniques used in the field of agriculture, he explained.

"The more knowledge we have about the countries overseas, the more will benefit us," said Regan. "By participating in these international programs our faculty is better able to understand the new techniques that are taking place in other countries."

Another benefit of being involved in the International Program is that since the field of agriculture is becoming more international, Cal Poly is receiving international recognition which helps the reputation of the university as well as the faculty and students, said Regan.

"By actually being in a foreign country you can get a better global perspective in that part of the world so that you are more able to understand their problems and what would be the best way to solve these problems," said Regan.

Faculty that do participate in overseas projects not only must deal with the agricultural problems of the country, but also get involved with the political problems as well.

Dr. Robert Rice and his wife Laura are both teaching at the American University in Beirut, Lebanon. Dr. Rice is an expert on herbicides and has had papers published internationally on the subject. Mrs. Rice teaches English at the university, said Regan.

The teaching couple has had several harrowing experiences during their stay in Beirut. Once during a confrontation they had to be evacuated by helicopter to the island of Cyprus. Another time an unexploded bomb was found in a greenhouse where Dr. Rice worked. Dr. Rice has had several threats on his life by the warring factions in Beirut because he is an American, said Regan.

Earlier this March a bomb exploded in an apartment complex in Beirut, killing 75 people. Many of the survivors were taken to American University for medical treatment, the same university at which the Rices teach.

The California Agricultural Leadership Program is designed for people 35 years or younger. The program helps people to expand their horizons on the national and international level, explained Starkey.

Other ornamental horticulture faculty that are not participating in the International Program or will be in the future are Dr. Howard Brown, currently in Australia for the USAID; David Hannings, who will be traveling to Australia to teach about culture tissues as part of the USAID program; and Dr. Timothy Gaskin, who will take his sabbatical in Australia to study drought-tolerant plants, said Regan.

It is better for foreign educators and dairymen to visit our program is to see how our department functions and to examine our nationally recognized herd of dairy cows," said Dairy Science Department Head Gene Starkey.

Professors and dairymen from foreign countries such as Japan, New Zealand, Mexico, Australia, Western European countries and Canada routinely come to Cal Poly because of its recognized dairy program, said Starkey.

Dairy Science professor Timothy La Salle, who went on a sabbatical to India, Sri Lanka, Singapore and Thailand, is involved with the California Agricultural Leadership Program. He was brought in to agriculture ministers in those countries.

The California Agricultural Leadership Program is designed for people 35 years or younger. The program helps people to express themselves more clearly, become better leaders and expand their horizons on the national and international level, explained Starkey.
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Gordon Enas, said the fourth meet,

by Cal Poly art major

and end in Washington D.C. There will be all different
movies and speakers to entertain
Club adviser, there will be four
and Saturday at Collect Arena.

He explained that their will be six competitions.
The first is a bareback race
in this competition participants
and her court.
The third competition is a transfer dump truck race. This
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According to Joe Rovengo,
president of the club, some of the gymnasts have performed in
national competition and are
posibly all-Americans.

Tickets for both shows are $1 for
students and $2 for adults.
Children under seven will be ad­
mited free.

ACTIVITIES
The Poly Royal Board is offering
a new type of entertainment
for this Poly Royal, and calling it Poly Games.

"This year we are experiment­
ing with a new idea," Dave
Trogrlau, representative of the
executive board, said. "If it is
successful, we will expand it next year."

They will present concerts
in the Cal Poly Theatre.
Men's Chorus and Women's
"The Great American Journey."
"Then we'll go to the Midwest,
California, Southwest, the deep
South and end in Washington
D.C. There will be all different
styles and types of music.
Smith said the show was put
together by Cal Poly art major
Robert Coltrim Jr.

Tickets are $3 for students
and $5 general admission.
The ASI Speaker's Forum is
sponsoring two comedy shows on
Friday night. The first will begin
at 8 p.m. and the second is scheduled
at 10 p.m. in Chumash Auditorium.

Mary Byrd, chairperson for
speaker's forum, and Kevin
Neulin will headline the group
of three comedians.

"Neulin has appeared on the
Tonight Show, Late Night with
David Letterman and at the
Rock and Comedy Store," Byrd
said.

Also appearing will be Cary
Ogdan, McQuillan and Byrd.
Tickets are $4 for students
and $5 for the public for advanced
sales, or $4.50 for students
and $5 for the public at the door.
Byrd said this type of program
was offered last fall at Cal Poly
and was a success.

"We had to turn away 200
people," she said.

EXHIBITIONS
The Architecture and En­
vironmental Design Club will be
sponsoring Design Village
This village, to be set up on
the lawn in front of the business
building, will consist of struc­
tures designed by students
throughout California.
"Joe Garcia, Poly Royal rep­
resentative for the village, said
many year changes had been
made concerning the village.
He said first they moved the
location from its traditional spot,
Poly Canyon.
"We want to set up a little
village where students can in­
teract," Garcia explained.

He added that there will be
bands, barbecues, evening
movies and speakers to entertain
the participants, who must live
on or next to their structures
during Poly Royal weekend,
and spectacles.

The Rodeo Club is hosting a
National Intercollegiate Rodeo
Association sanctioned rodeo.
The event will be held today
and Saturday at Collect Arena.
According to Ralph Randa, club
advisor, there will be four
competitions. The first is sched­
uled to begin at noon Friday.
Randa said this was the Rodeo
competition to accommodate the
overflow of contestants. There
will be no spectator charge for this
competition.

The second competition is
dated to start at 7 p.m. Friday,
and the third one at 1:30 p.m. on
Saturday.
Randa said the fourth meet,
scheduled for 6 p.m. Saturday,
will be a combination of the top
10 contestants from the other
three performances.
Costs for advance tickets for the
last three shows are: children
$3.75, students $4.75, general
$5.75 and reserved $6.75. Tickets
purchased at the door are an ex­
treme $6 cents except for reserved
which is $7.75.
Randa said this is the biggest
west coast rodeo.

He added that the Cal Poly
rodeo team, who will be com­
ing, is in first place in this
region. The men's team is also
rated second in the nation while
the women are rated fifth.

The Cutting and Reining Horse
Club is having an intercollegiate
horse show beginning at 8 a.m.
Friday at Hadley Arena in the
horse unit. They are also spon­
soring a cutting competition
Saturday beginning at 10 a.m.
also in the arena.
Ramona Thruman, Poly Royal
representative, said the horse
show will feature both English
and western classes. There will
be jumping, riding, obstacle
course and halter divisions.

The cutting competition has an
intercollegiate division and open
competition.
Thruman said there is no
charge for spectating.
The Cal Poly Women's
Gymnastic Team and Club will
be putting on two exhibitions for
this Poly Royal, and calling it Poly
Games.

The first will be at 1 p.m. Fri­
day in the main gym and the se­
cond show is slated for Saturday
also at 1 p.m.

According to Joe Rovengo,
president of the club, some of the
gymnasts have performed in
national competition and are
possibly all-Americans.
towards the grandstand. The men will basically do the same thing, only will be using alfalfa instead of straw.

A tractor slalom is the next contest. This contest, opened to everyone, is to be operated like an obstacle course to test the driving skills of the participants.

The last game is a hay squeeze exhibition. Contestants will use equipment to put up the hay and place it on a truck.

“We're sponsoring this with hopes of promoting agriculture a little more,” Traglia explained. “We want people to see what type of equipment is used and still have fun.”

These competitions will begin on Saturday right after the Poly Royal Parade. The location for the games is the baseball field next to the Kennedy Library. There will be no spectator charge.

The Collegiate Future Farmers of America is holding a mini tractor pull for children. The competition, according to instructor Glen Casey, is a lot like a real tractor pull.

“We use a trailer that resembles a regular trailer they use in a regular tractor pull,” Casey said. “The weights slide forward just like on the big trailers.”

However the difference is the children will be peddling bicycles as far as they can.

There will be two different competitions. The first is slated for Friday beginning at 6 p.m., and the second on Saturday beginning at 10 a.m.

The club is also having a button booth that sells Poly Royal buttons, and a beef and barrel booth that features deep-pit barbecued tri-tip.

The Veterinary Science Club is having a petting zoo. The zoo will be open all day today and Saturday.

Debbie Olson, club president, said the zoo will feature rabbits, pigs, goats, sheep and possibly a mini horse.

The cost to enter the zoo is 25 cents.

The Society of Manufacturing Engineers is sponsoring a Poly 500 soapbox derby.

Scott Unger, club president, said there will be two classes, fun and all-out race.

He said there will be awards given for the best engineered, fastest and most creative gravity-driven vehicle.

This race is open to everyone, and Unger said entry forms are posted around campus and in a reserve room folder.

The contest will begin at 11 a.m. Saturday and be run down the hill between the administration the fire station. The cost is $10 for each entry.

The society is also exhibiting a Cincinnati T3 Robot in building 36 machine shop.

Unger said the robot will aid in making aluminum shot glasses. “The robot will be loading and unloading the materials,” Unger explained.

The shot glasses will be on sale for $5 in the display along with aluminum yoyos and spinning tops.

DISPLAYS

The Poly Goats 4-Wheel Drive Club is having a four-wheel drive display in the parking lot in front of the Agriculture Engineering Building.

According to Kevin Palmer, the club's Poly Royal representative, the vehicles will be there throughout the weekend.

Palmer estimated that 20 rigs will be present.

He said, he isn't sure whether the owners will shine their rigs up, or go four-wheeling and get them nice and muddy.

There will be admission costs to see the trucks and jeeps.

The Cal Poly Craft Center is having an arts and crafts display and sale in the Craft Center.

The center will be opened on Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and on Saturday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

According to center supervisor, Jan Daley, items that will be for sale include pottery, silk screens, stained glass, leather works and weaving.

She said that 20 percent of the profits from sales will go into the center's fund to buy new equipment and the rest will go to the artists.

The items for sale are student, faculty, staff and alumni creations.

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Poly playing three games

Slugger tradition stays alive with offensive team

BY JANET HASEROT
Staff writer

It began at the age of eight for one Cal Poly baseball player. It's what little boys did, this sport called baseball. It attracts, expands and engulfs its admirers. One of its best catches is Monty Waltz.

The starting right fielder is in his fourth season with the Mustangs. Waltz came to Cal Poly in 1980 after graduating from Los Altos High School. As a freshman, he walked onto a Mustang team full of seniors. Waltz red-shirted that first season.

"It was the best way to start. It gave me time to grow up, get stronger and better, with no pressure of having to play," said Waltz.

The Mustangs will play three games during Poly Royal, one Friday, 7:30 p.m. in San Luis Obispo Stadium. Two Saturday, in the same spot, starting at noon.

Waltz, with his dreams of professional baseball, follows many former Mustangs who have made it to the big leagues. Mike Krukow, pitcher for the San Francisco Giants, signed in 1973 along with Joe Zagarino, an outfielder, who signed on in 1974. The present women's softball coach, Denny Martin, signed as the second baseman for the St. Louis Cardinals in 1976. Martin, Martin has led the Mustang team to a ranking of sixth in the nation.

Players such as Mark Bersano have made a name in the professional field. Bersano is currently in his second year as the Mustang pitching coach. He coached for two years at Cuesta College before returning to Cal Poly in 1984.

Osburn (Ozzie) Smith has been one of the most successful professionally signed Mustangs. Smith is the shortstop for the St. Louis Cardinals.

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MONTY WALTZ

Poly Royal Invitational meet this weekend

Student brings Olympic experience to class

By DAN RUTHEMEYER
Staff writer

As the Cal Poly student walked around the track at the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum, the capacity crowd shouted its approval of the Olympic games. She was not carrying a banner as part of the Olympic hype. She was an Olympic competitor.

A world-class javelin thrower, Karin Smith has been a member of the last three Olympic teams and competed on many national squads. She was invested. Smith began to focus her attention on the javelin.

Although she hadn't yet thrown the javelin, she was in the seventh grade. Smith showed her athletic prowess in softball, which she considered the rough equivalent of the javelin.

At the age of 14, Smith's performances could hardly have been called record-breaking.

"When I first started throwing the javelin I was pitfalls," said Smith.

"It didn't seem like I would ever improve, and that was the challenge," she said. As the practice and hard work was invested, Smith began to reap the dividends. Winning the javelin event in her first meet after moving to California, she had become the best javelin thrower in her district.

With additional dedication to training, Smith began to make 10-foot improvements every time she competed, and the victories began to pour in.

Having competed in other track events during her teenage years, Smith soon lost interest in them as she began to focus her attention on the javelin. "I hung in there for a little Please see BASEBALL, page 18.
Tumblers perform Royally

Poly gymnasts show guests winning form

By CATHERINE AARON
Staff Writer

The Cal Poly women's gymnastics team had a record-breaking season during the Winter Quarter, surpassing four of eight school records.

While new team highs were set in floor, bars and vault, top-scoring sophomore Jana Lehman broke the individual floor exercise record 9.1. The old record was 8.95.

After coaching the team two years, Tim Rivera said that although the 15-member team is young, its dedication produced successful results.

"We've worked much harder this year and learned how to work together as we've gotten to know each other better," he said.

Sue Cothern will be one of the many talented Cal Poly gymnasts performing this weekend for Poly Royal visitors in the Main Gym.

The team will be in action over the Poly Royal weekend. Gymnasts from California — both men and women — will be in the Main Gym on Friday and Saturday, 1 p.m.

There will be a both a tumbling exhibition and a men's ring demonstration. Rivera accompanied Lehman last weekend to Maryland for the trials of the Maccabiah Games, an international Jewish athletic competition.

It's very exciting for her, said Lehman, since it's the first time she has ever competed out of the state. Besides three-hour workouts in the afternoons, Rivera says Lehman's success is due to many sacrifices, such as staying here over spring break to perfect new tricks for the trials.

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The team was ranked high in the nation during the season, before the season Western Regionals in Northridge.

Waltz' s performance has only improved since that beginning. He is currently batting .453 and is tied for the record of most home runs hit in one season, with 10. With 23 season games remaining, not only is Waltz striving to break the home run record, but is on record pace for RBIs as well.

"He's made tremendous improvement over last year," said head coach McFarland. "Waltz's been very consistent throughout the whole season. He's had no real peaks or valleys. Waltz's matured into a total ball player with a professional attitude."

Friday the Mustangs will host UC-Riverside and the famous chicken at 7:30 in San Luis stadium. Saturday - a doubleheader against UC-Riverside begins at 12:00.
Gladys Prieto received another chance to throw the javelin abroad when she competed in the 1980 Swiss Olympic trials. Having Smith compete, Swiss officials hoped to boost the marks of the Swiss javelin throwers. Because most of her friends at UCLA had used up their eligibility, Smith decided to finish her last two years of collegiate competition at Cal Poly in 1981 and 1982. Ranked fourth in the world in 1981, she enjoyed her finest year as a javelin thrower. While at Cal Poly Smith set the U.S. collegiate record in the javelin at 211 feet five inches and won the NCAA Division I and Division II titles.

After using up her college eligibility, Smith continued her studies at Cal Poly while training for the 1984 Olympics. She spent last year in Eugene, Oregon training with other U.S. Olympic hopefuls.

"The club in Eugene is very helpful to the athletes," said Smith. "The town and the team are really nice and they really get behind you."

In the 1984 Olympic Trials, Smith placed well enough to make her third straight Olympic team and earned the right to compete in Los Angeles. Not throwing as well as she had hoped, Smith finished eighth in the 1984 games and left the City of Angels with a feeling of disappointment. "I threw very mediocre," said Smith. "The crowd was very supportive and that helped, but they didn't seem to go as nuts as the crowd in Montreal did. The electricity was in the air during gymnastics, but it wasn't there during track."

In the Eight Nations Games in Tokyo, Smith relied on a throw that fell just four inches short of her personal best of 212 feet six inches to come away with a second place finish. Beating a Soviet Union and Hungarian, she had finished only behind an East German. "Competing so well with the Eastern Bloc had made the whole season worthwhile," said Smith.

Coach Lance Harter and world class javelin thrower Karin Smith work out on the Cal Poly track. Since competing in Tokyo, Smith has resumed her studies and has been working with the Cal Poly track team. As an assistant coach, she works out with the javelin throwers while helping them train. "I'm helping the javelin throwers while training with them," she said. "I'm not just saying 'run you slobs, run.'"

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Developing Minds in Motion
Poly women project of business students

BY SUSAN EDMONSON

While some students can't seem to plan just the next week, one Cal Poly senior has been planning for 1986 for two years. George Andrade, an agricultural management student, conceived of and planned a 1986 calendar called "Women of Cal Poly." Andrade considered doing a calendar about two years ago when student calendars were just becoming popular on campus throughout California. In January 1984, Andrade teamed with Roger McCloskey, an international business student. They filed a business license with the city to form Perspective Productions, described on their business card as, "Entrepreneurs of Creative Ideas."

They decided that the calendar would have a physical fitness theme. "We wanted a theme because all of the calendars were just girls standing there -- a lot of risque shots. We didn't want that. We wanted a calendar that's attractive," said Andrade.

McCloskey added, "One point we've taken is that everything's very clean. It's not overly hip or overly conservative. With a theme decided on, the next step was to search for models and a photographer.

Andrade and McCloskey approached Frank Bev, a local photographer who has worked for Seventeen and Town and Country magazines. "We let it really well with him. We went in there, two college guys wearing their suits -- no background, no credit, no nothing. We had to convince him that we were serious," said Andrade.

Bev was convinced, and he agreed to do the photography for the calendar. "I think he's going to have an excellent calendar," said Bev. "He's the real student. I've had a continuing contact with Cal Poly."

Andrade and McCloskey talked to more than 25 Cal Poly women at local gyms and studios to find 12 women willing to appear in each calendar spread. Here's a card. We're doing a project model fit. If you're interested give me a call. It's not risque. It's not a line. Some of them didn't believe me. Left a lot to them -- a lot did not call back.

"One of the women Andrade approached was Chris van Berkmann, an applied art and design senior. "I didn't get a hold of him, because I was kind of skeptical," said van Berkmann. After a second talk with Andrade, she agreed to pose for the calendar. "I decided that George was the right person," said van Berkmann.

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Student studies women judges

BY KRISTIN RONCARATI

Proving or disproving some of society's attitudes about women judges is the goal of a Cal Poly political science senior.

Karen Matke, a senior political science major with a concentration in both private and public administration, said the unique aspect of her particular senior project is that she has developed her own research.

Through my questionnaire and interviews, I have developed my own research because there is very little background on the topic of women judges at this time," she explained.

The idea for her project developed through a job she had this past summer working on the judicial campaign of Peggy Hora, who became the first female municipal court judge in the Hayward San Leandro district.

Matke said that for so far she has received about 50 responses from the 130 questionnaires sent out the first week of February. She hopes to conduct the interviews, either personally or by telephone, with about 30 women judges beginning next quarter.

"I will do as many personal interviews as possible," Matke said. She added that those which cannot be completed in person will be conducted over the phone.

Matke explained that upon obtaining the results from her interviews she hopes to prove or disprove societal attitudes.

I have found in general that the judicial ability of women lawyers has been underestimated, she said. She added that because the legal profession opened up to include women only in the past 20 years, many have not been able to acquire the political connections for appointment or election to judicial positions.

There are three societal attitudes Matke hopes to disprove about women lawyers in her research.

First, the belief that women judges are weak. Second, the idea that the women lawyers appointed to the bench by Governor Jerry Brown were "unexperienced. Last, she hopes to disprove the belief that the family life of women lawyers conflicts with their occupational duties.

Matke hopes that Cal Poly will in the future make a greater effort to assist senior projects in the School of Communicative Arts and Humanities. "I hope that Cal Poly will develop financial aid assistance to senior students with their occupational duties," she said.

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Professors and students learn by doing in London

BY SANDRA THORNBURGH

Being a university professor is a dynamic experience that often requires faculty members to return to the role of student and further develop their professional expertise.

By applying in research what they teach in the classroom, professors expand their teaching capabilities not only for their own benefit, but also for their students.

This spring, while most Cal Poly students and faculty are putting their minds in motion during Poly Royal, nine Cal Poly professors will be teaching and studying in one of the world's greatest cultural centers.

The London Study Program, organized by Cal Poly in conjunction with the American Institute for Foreign Study (AIFS), offers students and faculty the abundant resources of London's social, political, and cultural institutions for learning enrichment.

Founded by Dr. Jon Ericson, Dean of the School of Communicative Arts and Humanities, the London Quarter was initiated during the spring of 1984 as an on-campus equivalency program. Unlike other foreign-study programs, the London study is more academically oriented and courses offered through the program can be used for credit towards graduation.

As a result of last year's success, the program has more than doubled in size and is attracting a variety of disciplines. Last year, 60 students and five faculty members participated. This year, 85 students and nine professors will study abroad. In addition to the general education courses offered through the School of Communicative Arts and Humanities, the curriculum will be interdisciplinary.

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also offer courses in business.
While students gain first-hand experience directly relating to what they are taught in the classroom, professors are given an opportunity to pursue research areas that have to do with Britain.

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Engineering changes its ways

BY MARC MEREDYTH

Since Poly Royal 1984 the School of Engineering has been reorganized and headed in new directions, but the dean’s office says the hands-on, applied engineering emphasis will continue.

The school has had its name consolidated from the School of Engineering and Technology to the School of Engineering. This change came at the same time as a university-wide reorganization that resulted in the juggling of several of the engineering departments.

Most notable in the change was the computer science move into engineering. Formerly in the School of Science and Mathematics, the computer science and statistics department decided that computer science would be more at home in engineering, while statistics should remain in math and science.

“This provides the opportunity for closer collaboration between engineering and computer science,” Dean of Engineering Duane Bruley said.

While computer science moved into engineering, industrial technology was moved out, into the new School of Professional Studies and Education. The Mechanical and Aeronautical Engineering departments, formerly consolidated, were split-up because both departments have viable, but independent programs.

Right on the heels of the reorganization came the appointment of the new dean, Duane Bruley, and the start of construction on a new engineering building.

Bruley, who assumed duties Fall Quarter, said his main goals were to make the graduate program at Poly cost-effective and to establish a Chemical Engineering major to complement existing departments.

To achieve a cost-effective graduate program in engineering it is necessary to raise enrollment, Bruley said. In order to attract more graduate students, he explained, the School of Engineering has begun a full-time student internship program with industry, headed by Associate Dean of Engineering Gustav N. Wassel.

Bruley said he plans to be more of an off-campus dean, developing contacts with industry to benefit the graduate engineering programs at Poly, as well as the School of Engineering in general.

Mini gardens show uses of horticulture, design

BY LESLEY GLEASON

A new garden concept which is made up of mini gardens that depict the different uses of plants is the highlight of the Ornamental Horticulture Department’s highlight at Poly Royal this year.

The garden structure, built by an O.H. construction class, took one quarter to complete.

Four clubs worked together as a corporate team to show off the unit: the Tissue Culture club, the Ornamental Horticulture club, Pi Alpha Xi and Student American Institute of Floral Designers.

Students involved with the O.H. Unit start preparing for Poly Royal months in advance. Each Saturday during Spring Quarter the O.H. team gets together at the unit to set up and clean up for Poly Royal.

Ornamental horticulture students with enterprise projects have the opportunity to earn some extra money by selling their plants during Poly Royal.

A lot of time and effort goes into these projects and the real payoff for these students is showing visitors the plants they have nurtured and grown.

Most annual plants are full grown at 10-12 months, but some plants, such as ferns, take nine months to reach gallon size. The big sellers during Poly Royal are colorful annuals and fuschias.

The public can compete with students during Poly Royal in the cut flower and potted plant competition. The student Flower Judging Team, which competed in a national competition during Winter Quarter, will be judging the competition.

There will also be a landscape competition for students in the department with professionals from the field judging the displays.
New site, festival set for thirteenth Design Village

By MARGARET BARRETT

This is a year of firsts for the Design Village Conference.

For the first time in thirty years, Design Village, a conference where students from any junior college or university in the western United States are invited to design and build housing structures or abstract sculptures on the Cal Poly campus, will be held on a five-acre, lawn area on the west side of the Architecture and Environmental Design building. Design Village was formerly held the rural setting of Poly Canyon.

The change was made to move students and faculty from the relatively remote site of Poly Canyon to the campus core where they could easily participate in other Poly activities in addition to Design Village, said Brian Kesner, the principle faculty adviser for the conference. Having the conference in a more central location will also make it more accessible for visitors. Kesner said visitors will not have to get dusty waiting for the vans to transport them from Poly Canyon.

Another first for the Design Village Conference is a festival. "Art open-air theater, where entertainment such as mimes, jugglers, dancers and musicians, will be presented," was built adjacent to the architecture building in honor of the festival.

"It's going to be a theater-rais­ing, but we call it a barn-rais­ing," said John Baez, a third-year student who is involved with the project. Ferber said students consider themselves to be creative people, they have to break some rules rather than follow the conventional ideas. Baez said students sometimes follow trends because it's safer or more profitable.

"We wanted to see just what we could do," said Baez. "You see the kind of crap that doesn't have to. We created this theme because we didn't want students to be sheep or followers.

Kesner said students want to raise issues as to how much order and how much creativity there should be in the built environment as opposed to the natural environment.

"The theme being as strong as it is has stirred up the faculty a bit, but that's good. We can't let them get too safe," Baez said.

This year will also be the first year a regional meeting of the American Institute of Architectural Students, a club with chapters in every architecture school in the country, will be held at Cal Poly. The sessions will be held at the open-air theater between entertainment activities.

Kesner hopes there will be opportunity for interaction between the participants in the Design Village Conference and students who are here for the regional meeting.

Being first is not unusual for Cal Poly. The Design Village Conference is not only the first of its kind, it is the only one of its kind. Students experience the total creative process from the problem statement all the way down to the design, promotion, construction and getting of feedback. Kesner said, "It gives students the chance to get outside their own puddle.

Students, working in groups from two up to eight members, build their structures on Thursday. According to class they are in, habitable or inhabitable, they either sleep in their structures or in tents Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. Twenty to 30 professional faculty members and students will critique the students' structures during the three days of Poly Royal.

The whole conference is a student-run endeavor, said Howard Weisendahl, another faculty adviser for the conference. Kesner enjoys seeing students becoming so involved. "We choose the theme, organize publicity, write to colleges and universities. The whole thing is ours. The students do everything."
By MARGARET BARRETT  Staff Writer

Creating unity in the School of Architecture and Environmental Design was the primary goal of this year’s A&ED Poly Royal Committee.

The Poly Royal departmental displays are exhibited in two buildings. Committee members felt that this created a lack of unity in the school during the past few Poly Royals. The members said many students were only interested in their own departments, often not venturing to see the other departmental displays during Poly Royal.

This year the committee created a Poly Royal project on which students from each of the five departments could work together. The tower and three arches now gracing the entrance to each of the departmental displays were designed and built by students from each department.

A design competition was held on January 26 in which teams designed a concept that would somehow link the five departments. Encouraged to participate were students from each of the five departments: Architecture, Architectural Engineering, City and Regional Planning, Construction Management, and Landscape Architecture.

The six members of the Poly Royal Committee from the school wanted this competition to be an opportunity for students of each of the departments to work together. They were concerned that students do not have more opportunities to work together on projects.

A second year design lab in which students from each of the departments shared in past years was changed in the fall curriculum. Students from the different departments under the new curriculum do not share any classes together after the first year of study.

“Trends continue like this. Poly Royal will be the only opportunity when we can work together,” said Chuck McClain, a fifth-year architecture major and Poly Royal Executive Board representative.

“The wedges are getting driven deeper between the departments,” said Bill Nelson, an architecture major and member of the Poly Royal Committee.

Six schemes were designed at the competition. All the designs were on display in front of the Dexter Building for a few days in order to receive student input.

The design chosen was done by four architecture majors: Kevin Mass, Dawn Sherry, Angie Huff and Joey Shimoda. They designed the 20 foot tower located at the base of Dexter Lawn, near the A&ED information booth. On the top of the tower are colored flags, with each color representing one of the five departments. Three 15-foot-tall arches grace the entrance to departmental displays. Two are in front of the Engineering West building where Construction Management, City and Regional Planning, Architectural Engineering and Landscape Architecture displays can be found. The third arch is in front of the Architecture building which houses the displays of the Architecture Department.

Construction of the structures was done by a work force of over 100 students. Instructors of second-year design labs were asked to donate at least one lab period in which students could work on building the structures. The actual construction work began Monday, April 22.

The design competition was videotaped as was the construction sequence. McClain said the committee plans to show the 15 to 20 minute video to incoming or visiting students to demonstrate the potential Poly Royal has for bringing students toward a common goal. In addition, the video will chronicle the stages of the design process: design, decision-making, scheduling and construction.

McClain said he hoped the second-year work force would make permanent improvements to the campus. He cited the walkway and plants between the Engineering West building and Dexter Lawn as an example. "Poly Royal has so much potential to improve the school's and the university's environment permanently." McClain said that by using the second-year student work force, the committee would inspire some of the students to get more involved in the future. The committee members would like to equal the levels of student participation in such past projects as the annual Poly Royal task of redesigning and rebuilding the Engineering West patis. The interdisciplinary project ended in 1975.

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The new dean was very impressed with the enthusiasm of the Cal Poly students. He finds encouraging the fact that the school student council takes on the role of communicator and coordinator, encouraging student participation. McClain said he hoped the tower would be a landmark for the school's and city's development.

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Ag students learn about animal study in New Zealand

By TED LEWIS

Travelling overseas is a dream of many students. Three agricultural students from Cal Poly fulfilled that dream last year by studying as exchange students in New Zealand for two semesters.

The three students, Tina Carrari, a senior Ag Business Management major, and two senior Animal Science majors, Larry Galuppo and Nikki Marinelli, studied at Lincoln College University of Agriculture because the school is an agricultural school with the same emphasis as their field of interest.

The agricultural school has an enrollment of 1,600 students. About 200 of the students are exchange students. Twelve of the exchange students were from the United States — seven from California and five from Oregon.

On university standards the school has a small enrollment compared to the ones in the United States. Because of the small enrollment and also that Lincoln College subscribes to the same ideology as Cal Poly's "learn by doing" the three students were able to be involved in valuable educational experiences that they would not have had at Cal Poly.

"Lincoln College has the second largest equine research center in the southern hemisphere, which was a big help because I did my senior project on hormone research on horses during my stay at Lincoln," said Larry Galuppo. "I was also able to do extensive surgery on live animals that I wouldn't have been able to do in the states."

"The university must submit a plan of the type of surgery being done in the classes to ensure safe treatment of the lab animals. A government agency will review the operation procedures to ensure that no inhumane or unnecessary surgery is being performed, said Galuppo.

The testing system at Lincoln was quite different for the Cal Poly exchange students than what they were used to at Cal Poly. The classes at Lincoln usually only have one test during the semester.

"Tests were strictly regimented at Lincoln, no one could bring in a backpack or purse in the testing halls while the three-hour essay tests were being given and no one was allowed to leave the hall while taking the test," said Tina Carrari. "The good thing about the tests is that they are designed by a committee and then had to be approved by a review board before the tests were given. This guarantees the test will be more objective than if only the teacher made the test up."

"For one student by going to New Zealand as an exchange student it put a new perspective to the student's life. Career decisions were decided upon after studying at Lincoln for two semesters."

"I value the education I received at Lincoln, not only from what I learned in the classroom but also from the activities outside the classroom," said Nikki Marinelli. "I also worked on a standard breed stud farm, after I got out of vet school. I have been offered the position of wholesale veterinarian in New Zealand as an exchange student and it put a new perspective to the student's life. Career decisions were decided upon after studying at Lincoln for two semesters."

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Of course, as can be expected, not all their time was spent studying while on an exchange program to a far and distant country. They also had time to themselves where as they could do anything they wanted.

"I wanted to experience as much of their culture as possible when I went over to New Zealand," said Carrari. "I joined a women's rugby team, went paragliding, traveled to Australia, went snow skiing and partied with friends I had made over there while going to school."

New Zealand is a very geographically diversified country, the country is about the size of Colorado and has a population of 3.2 million, so there is a lot to do and not many people to get in your way.

"I could play at the beginning of the semester because the semesters are so long," said Galuppo. "There was a lot of everything and its all within close proximity, such things as snow skiing, surfing, backpacking, hunting and fishing are all very close. The countryside changes even after driving for only an hour."

There is a big cultural change involved when studying in another country for two semesters. The New Zealanders were not use to American students or some of their ideology.

"You must be open-minded to their culture, but you don't want to lose your own identity," said Carrari. "I wasn't the diplomat I might should have been but at least I was honest about the way I felt. If I had to do it over I would defend the United States in a more rational way."

During part of the exchange students stay the 1984 Summer Olympics were being held in Los Angeles. The olympics was a source of trouble between the New Zealanders and the Americans.

"The New Zealanders thought there was too much razzle-dazzle in the Olympics and that the American's cheered too much when an American athlete would win an event, but I would tell them that was because the American's were winning all the events," said Galuppo. "There was a general feeling of you/ down Yank', but if we got any bad feelings from the New Zealanders, it was from very few. Most of the people would go out of their way to meet us."

All three of the Cal Poly ag students enjoyed their experiences in New Zealand and hope that one day they can make it back to the country to visit with the friends they made while they were over in New Zealand.

"I simulated right in, I really enjoyed the laid back attitude the Kiwi's (New Zealanders) have," said Marinelli. "I enjoyed everything, from being woken up in the morning by the dairy cattle as they passed the farm house I stayed at, the lack of crime and their honor system, and their (New Zealanders) attitudes. They are very proud people. I really enjoyed it because there seems to be less apathy there than there is in the United States."
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S. Van Berkum chose to pose as a gymnast for her photograph because she has been in competitive gymnastics for seven years. Other scenes in the black-and-white calendar include a tennis player, a bicyclist, a woman on an Arabian horse and a surfer at Avila Beach.

Andrade and McCloskey knew little about photography and even less about graphics before they began work on the calendar.

“I never realized that there was just so much,” Andrade said. They had to go through the Cal Poly Foundation to get permission to use Cal Poly’s name on the calendar. Andrade said the most red tape they encountered during the entire project was at Cal Poly. “You figure Cal Poly is ‘the entrepreneur school.’ You learn, they help you – that’s Cal Poly.”

The original financial backing for the calendar came from students. The calendars will be sold for $8.95 during Poly Royal at El Corral Bookstore and at the booth for the Association of College Entrepreneurs. The calendars will be sold again beginning in September, perhaps in some shops in downtown San Luis Obispo.

We’d like to go big-time, but our main market is Cal Poly,” said Andrade. Andrade said the “ mega-hours” he put into the calendar production helped him learn how to deal with people. “You have to be persistent. Don’t let people’s negative feelings get in your way.”

Andrade and McCloskey, both from Apple Valley, have another year until graduation, so they will be able to see the results of their effort.

JUDGES

In the CA and H for senior projects with research,” she said.

Matke has applied to a number of law schools including University of Santa Clara, University of San Francisco, Hastings, McGeorge, UC San Diego and UC Davis. Her plans after graduation from law school are to practice law and make a responsible name for myself in the legal profession.”

She has completed a number of internships including one with Leo T. McCarthy, in his campaign for Lieutenant Governor, State Senator Nicholas Petris of Oakland-Alameda County and municipal court Judge Peggy Hora.

Matke is also a member of several honor societies. She is president of Pi Gamma Mu, a social science honor society, and Pi Sigma Alpha, the political science honor society, to which she is a charter member.

“I am surprised by the positive response of the questionnaire and feel honored that women judges in the state have granted interviews and supported my research,” Matke said.

ENGINEERING

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To further interaction with industry the Office of the Dean is supporting the development of an applied research and development facility on campus. At press time this proposal is under review by the university, but Associate Dean Wassel says he expects the proposal to be approved.

The R&D facility would be located in space adjacent to the aero hanger, which is presently occupied by the Civil Engineering department. The department will be moving over summer quarter, to the new 89 million engineering building just south of Kennedy Library.

Engineering South, as the building is being dubbed, suffered only one set-back when the general contractor, R. Flaherty Inc., filed for bankruptcy in February. The problem was quickly resolved when a Los Angeles-based firm, Swinerton and Walberg, took over the job.

Completion is scheduled for July 1. The building will house the Mechanical, Aeronautical and Civil Engineering Departments, as well as the Office of the Dean of Engineering.

Besides the bankruptcy, February also brought Engineering Week. Held the week of Washington’s birthday in honor of our first president, who was an engineer, the celebration provided promotional time for many of the engineering clubs and societies on-campus.

Engineering week finished with the annual Engineering Banquet, which featured as speaker the Vice-President and Assistant General Manager of Research and Development for Lockheed Missiles and Space in Palo Alto, R. P. Caren.

The banquet honored everyone in engineering, faculty and students, with special cognizance going to electrical engineering major Rory A. Cooper.

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Celebrating Minds in Motion
Something for all at Poly Royal: '85

By KEVIN H. FOX
Managing Editor

What started out as "a country fair on a college campus" here at Cal Poly has grown into one of the nation's largest university open houses.

Keeping with our tradition of "learn by doing," Poly Royal '85, which is also known as "Minds in Motion," is the culmination of a full year's planning by two committees made up entirely of volunteer students. The Poly Royal Executive and General Boards have worked long hours in order to ensure a smooth, carefree weekend for the more than 100,000 visitors that will make their way to the campus this weekend.

Food from around the world, along with displays of some of the most sophisticated state-of-the-art engineering and computer related equipment available on any college or university campus should prove to be both an enjoyable and educational experience for visitors of all ages.

Although Cal Poly is known as a technological leader in education, the School of Agriculture provides some of the most popular displays and exhibits throughout the weekend.

Everything from a full production dairy and food processing facilities to a petting zoo for the kids and an intercollegiate rodeo will provide even the most urban kids and an intercollegiate rodeo with a taste of the country. Poly Royal is also a show place for the talents of some of California's most talented future architects and designers. As students and the students developed the Poly Royal poster and the Poly Royal theme. Students from throughout the state will compete in an annual mathematics competition as well as several Cal Poly students will compete in the annual Mel White Poetry Reading Contest.

A parade of top comedians from Los Angeles and San Francisco will march through Poly campus to the delight of young and old alike. This year's parade will again feature the ever popular Gong Show. The students have worked long hours in order to ensure a smooth, carefree weekend for the more than 100,000 visitors that will make their way to the campus this weekend.

Volunteers from throughout the state will compete in a vast array of entertainment on the traditional favorite SAM Stage on Dexter lawn. Bands, dancers and the always surprising Gong Show will provide tired visitors a chance to take a break and enjoy some of the exotic and not so exotic food that will be served up by more than 200 Cal Poly clubs and organizations.

For the kids, there will be a full carnival area where they can test their skill at games of chance and their might walk away with some great souvenirs.

As always, Poly Royal is a weekend to be enjoyed by family, friends and alumni of Cal Poly. It is our chance to show off our "Minds in Motion."

Buttons: the Poly Royal tradition continues

By DAWN YOSHITAKE
Staff Writer

Visitors to Poly Royal have been pinning on tradition for the past 27 years and once again the Poly Royal tradition will carry on.

The Cal Poly Collegiate Future Farmers of America (CFFA) introduced the buttons in 1958 during the 25th anniversary of Poly Royal and it has remained a Poly Royal tradition ever since.

Andrews said selling Poly Royal buttons offers other advantages.

"It has a contribution to Poly Royal and it's a student run," Andrews said. "So it gives them good experience with projects." The first button CFFA sold featured the Poly Royal Queen holding a T-square while sitting on top of a horse. Andrews said the buttons over the years have gotten better...they the Poly Royal Board aren't afraid to change, Sabol said.

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**Journalism major is first black queen**

**Cal Poly Royalty**

_By BRUCE PINKLETON_ (Staff Writer)

This year, as in years past, Cal Poly's Poly Royal Queen represents the spirit of Poly Royal and the Cal Poly campus.

Angela Darnell, a 21-year-old junior journalism major from Torrance, Ca., is the 1985 Poly Royal queen and is the first black student to ever hold the title.

Darnell was nominated to run for Poly Royal Queen by Sigma Delta Chi, the Society of Professional Journalists.

In order to win the title of Poly Royal Queen, Darnell had to compete against 42 other candidates in the Poly Royal Queen Pageant.

The contestants were judged by a panel made-up of various students, Cal Poly staff members and members of the community.

"I had three (midterms) the week of the pageant, so I was a total wreck that week," said Darnell. "I just wanted to do the best I could. I was under a lot of pressure but I didn't want to show it."

The first question Darnell was asked was why she wanted to be Poly Royal Queen.

She related the question to her education and experience in public relations, her concentration in journalism.

"I said that it would be great public relations experience for me," said Darnell. "Poly Royal involves promoting goodwill and keeping the lines of communication open. I said I would try to do that as queen."

Darnell was then called back as one of ten finalists and asked why Poly Royal was different from other college campus open houses.

"I said that Poly Royal is the third largest college campus open house in the United States and the largest in California. Over 100,000 people participate in it each year and we attract people from all over the Western United States," explained Darnell.

When the judges finished voting, Darnell found herself Queen of the 53rd annual Poly Royal.

"Oddly enough, when she first found out, she cried," said Darnell. "I was more shocked than anything else."

Junior journalism major Angela Darnell is the reigning Poly Royal Queen. Poly Royal Queens are chosen for their poise and speaking ability during a pageant held early in the year.

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Poly Royal rodeo: action-packed agility test

by MICHAEL MARTER
Special Sections Editor

Poly Royal is, frankly, a lot of work: parking, walking all over campus, taking in all the exhibits and eating all that wonderful food. But Poly Royal also presents an opportunity to sit back and relax while some other folks do all the work. And work they do, wrestling steers, riding bulls and roping calves in a hot, dusty, sweaty competition of skill, coordination and agility. Poly Royal victories of last year.

Some of the Cal Poly cowboys and cowgirls may make it all look easy, but so will some of their competitors. The Cal Poly teams, composed of six men and three women will most assuredly compete for cash as well as merchandise and both Hartnell of Salinas and Merced College to give the lady Mustangs excellent competition.

The men compete in six events (bareback bronc, saddle bronc, bull riding, calf roping, steer wrestling, team roping) and the women in three events (barrel racing, goat tying, breakaway roping). The Mustangs are strong in nearly every event, with Steve Nilmeyer currently leading the nation in calf roping and Rocky Carpenter leading in team roping. Rounding out the men's team are John Bell, Tony Currin, Nolan Twisselman and Troy Ellerman.

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camp leads off the women's team, and will undoubtedly get plenty of help from teammate Connie Madonna and Leah Gar
cia. Membership on either the men's or women's team is based on points gained from past rodeos. Those cowboys and/ or cowgirls not on the teams com
pete as individuals and with any points they may gain not counting toward team totals.

For the last four years the Mustangs have been coached by the eminently likeable Ralph Rianda, himself a Cal Poly graduate, past rodeo team gambler, and two-time regional steer wrestling champion. But when the Mustangs return from the national championships in Bozeman, Mont. this summer, Rianda's duties as coach will be over. He will accompany his wife to the bay area where she is planning to continue her education. "I really enjoy it here, but I'm looking to do some new things and maybe rodeo more myself," said Rianda.
Images of Poly diversity

Home economics students Sally Knickerbacher and Eleanor Armanasco prepare a dish for their food management class.

Agriculture student Jyl 4 K

LASA V A N G Day

Engineering is one of the most popular majors on campus. Rockets are part of the Poly Royal exhibit in the Aero Hangar.

Ceramics classes are offered in the School of Communicative Arts and Humanities. Art instructor Henry Wessels, left, critiques a pot made by graduate student Ken Pfeffer, center, while Thad Rogers listens. As part of the instructional process, some of these unique pots will be for sale during Poly Royal.

Final touches are put on a model by architecture student Mark Phillips.
Johanna Ellison drives the tractor while Sharon Benedetti and Frances Weston feed a horse in the horse unit.

Business students solve problems together on a computer.

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ROYALTY

From page 2, Sabol explained that the colors are now "more striking" and it was an achievement to expand the number of colors used.

"People will buy a button that has a lot of pizazz to it," Sabol said. "The 1979 button was an ugly one...it was a comedy of errors that brought us a black and white button."

Sabol explained it was a communication problem that caused the 1979 button to be only black and white. He added that since then the club has learned a lot about communication between them, the Poly Royal Board and the button manufacturer.

Buttons for Poly Royal are bought throughout California, Sabol said. He attributes the extensive distribution to former students who are now teachers that come by the department to pick up a button and to Cal Poly agricultural education instruction who take buttons with them to out-of-town meetings.

Sabol said his favorite button is a red, white and blue bicentennial button for Poly Royal 1976. The theme reads "Looking ahead — building on our heritage."

Advise for the Poly Royal button sales, Robert Flores, said the club is selling 6,000 buttons and will set aside a minimum of 1,000 for Poly Royal.

"We take all the buttons that we don't sell to our booth and sell the old buttons with the new," Flores said. "If a person misses one or two years, they can still get one. They're a collector's item."

Flores said alumni and parents of alumni are the ones who mainly collect the buttons. The buttons are a big money maker for scholarships given to student-teachers, who have to work outside of San Luis Obispo, and to continuing students in the field of vocational agricultural education. Flores said.

CFFA has about 50 active members and Flores said half of those members are showing animals, have a full course load, in addition to selling buttons.

"We view vocational teachers as salespeople. They have to sell their course to the school, the community and to students. A good salesperson has to get their ideas across," Flores said.

Monica Bianchi, CFFA Button Sales Chairman, said button sales is a form of public relations which will help vocational agricultural education students with their careers.

"It really pulls people together. It's so fun...they want to get out there," Bianchi said.

Buttons are available at the El Corral Bookstore, the CFFA booth near the agriculture building, the rodeo and from vendors for all major events during Poly Royal.

Darnell hopes her experiences as Poly Royal Queen will participate in various events occurring throughout the campus.

"I can see a lot of pride come out. Poly Royal takes place over one weekend yet people plan months in advance for it," Darnell said. "It takes a lot of time and you have to be really dedicated. It's not like anybody could do it," she added.

As Poly Royal Queen, Darnell has many duties, many of which center around promoting Cal Poly and Poly Royal.

"I'm really looking for new ways to generate public interest in the Cal Poly open house. During Poly Royal Darnell will participate in various events occurring throughout the campus."

Darnell's other duties include making comments at Poly Royal's opening ceremonies and handing out awards to winners of various Poly Royal contests.

Darnell hopes her experiences at Cal Poly and Poly Royal will help her to be her career. She is currently working as the National Advertising Manager for the Monica Bianchi and hopes to use her education and experience at Poly to pursue a career in public relations and advertising.
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