Health Center adopts AIDS policy to inform students

By Gillian Greig
Staff Writer

A policy on AIDS designed to inform members of the Cal Poly campus of the disease has been approved as part of an educational campaign about AIDS, said the director of the Health Center.

Dr. James Nash said he is using the policy to “push the campus into an awareness of the problem of AIDS.”

The policy states: “For those persons with AIDS who are actually sick from opportunistic infections, each case will be judged on its own. An AIDS patient sick with opportunistic infections must be evaluated and treated by the physician of his/her choice. A written statement from the physician about the patient’s communicability of the disease to others will be required and be reviewed by the Cal Poly Health Center.”

Whether a person with AIDS may attend classes or work on campus will depend on individual evaluations and written reports, the policy says.

No cases of AIDS have been reported at Cal Poly, but there have been 13 cases reported throughout San Luis Obispo County. “We wanted to do something before it happened,” Nash said. “The way case loads are increasing there is going to be a case sooner or later at Cal Poly. It’s inevitable.”

The policy is part of a plan to educate faculty, students and college employees of the disease. By educating people now, Nash said, the hysteria about the disease will decrease.

“The more people know (about the disease) the less frightening it is,” Nash said. He said under ordinary working conditions in teaching, administration and Food Services employees are not at risk of getting AIDS.

Nash said: “Legally nobody can be excluded from campus just because people are scared. All the discrimination laws apply to AIDS patients.”

Nash has been discussing the subject of AIDS with different organizations on campus. “We want to hit everyone from the big shots to the grounds people,” he said.

Nash said having a policy is rare at college campuses, but as the disease enters the college community there are more and more campuses developing awareness programs. “Other schools were only offering one-time seminars,” Nash said.

Nash wants to establish a continuous awareness program of the disease rather than a one-time information plan.

The Cal Poly Health Department offers three or four AIDS informational programs each week. “I talk about the fear of AIDS,” Nash said. He hopes to contact each of the schools on campus and then filter the information out to the students.

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Problem of faculty allocation

Solutions will take time

By Katie Brumbaugh
Staff Writer

School officials are working to find a way to meet the overflow of student demands for classes, but say the problem won’t be solved for a long time.

Provost Tomlinson Fort said that even though the number of students at the university has remained the same with 14,200 full-time equivalent students, requirements have changed and increased the demand for certain classes.

“The number of students hasn’t changed for a number of years,” said Fort. “But what is changing is the courses students are taking.

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Stormy Weather

Huddled under his jacket, Kevin Thompson atvets Daren Stewart’s umbrella as showers hit Cal Poly Wednesday.
ON THE STREET

How did you hear about the shuttle explosion?

Eric Seely, agricultural science, sophomore:
I was in my living room. The termite inspector told me. I turned on the T.V. and watched about 15 minutes and they showed the replay.

Larry Anton, journalism, sophomore:
I was in the Student Union having a cup of coffee, like I do every morning. It was after my right o’clock class.

Molly May, speech communication, junior:
I was walking out of my rhetoric class and they were talking about it so I went immediately to the U.U. and watched it on t.v. for about 20 minutes. It was about 10 o’clock.

Neal Losey, history, freshman:
I was getting ready to get in the shower. I guess it was about 9:15 when I was told. I knew it was going to happen sooner or later.

Natallie Phillips, psychology and human development, junior:
I was in the observation booth in the child development lab. Dr. Stearns came in and told us about it. It was about 10 o’clock.

That’s not funny, that’s sick!!!

I think I’m gonna be sick. No, I haven’t been eating in the Dining Hall again. It’s just this eerie feeling I have that tells me I’m going to be running a fever soon. It’s sort of like the feeling you get after you spend three hours at the movies sharing popcorn and a Pepsi and your friend says, “I’ll be home by now, I have the flu.”

Frankly, I’m tired of getting germs from people who belong to the Disease of the Month Club. Why can’t you ever get your friends to give you a dime, yet they’re more than happy to give you their colds? I don’t deserve to get sick. I exercise, get eight hours sleep a night, eat my Wheaties, and take Flintstone Chewables every morning. I even vote in ASL elections.

I hate getting sick, probably because it happens at the most inopportune times — like the first day of spring break. While everyone else is basking in the sun at Mazatlan or skiing at Lake Tahoe, I’m sitting at home with a throat infection trying to eat jelly without swallowing.

I think it’s time we stopped this nonsense. The way I figure it, if everyone in the world got sick at the same time, there wouldn’t be anyone left to pass germs to. Then when every one got better, all the germs would be gone. The heck with swine flu shots, let’s all get sick at the same time and get it over with.

I can see it now — International Mumps Week, sponsored by UNICEF. They could have an ad campaign with slogans like “Only chumps don’t get the mumps!” and “Take your jumps, get the mumps!” We would all walk around looking like Cabbage Patch dolls for a week but we’d never have to worry about mumps again.

Peer pressure alone ought to assure that at least half the population gets sick. Vogue and GQ could have a special issues on designer germs. MTV could have a video extravaganza featuring Madonna singing a version of “Like A Virgin”!: “Got the measles, for the very first time. Got the m-e-e-e-ases ...” And Bob Geldof and friends could hold a massive live concert called Sick-Aid to raise money for people who can’t afford to get sick.

Of course, some people are immune to peer pressure, so we could give them financial incentives to get sick. Rebates, coupons, giveaways. The IRS could even give people tax credits for getting sick. The whole thing could be funded by a worldwide lottery with prizes ranging from a bottle of Nyquil to a spot on “Family Feud” (where Richard Dawson would inevitably kiss you and give you more germs.)

Of course, there will always be one guy who refuses to get sick. “I haven’t missed a day of school since second grade!” he says. In that case, there’s only one thing to do. Shoot him ... with a hypodermic needle, of course.

Come on, you didn’t think I’d actually do that, huh? If I was really going to shoot someone it’d be the guy who gets three hours sleep a night, eats Twinkies for dinner, stays out all night partying every weekend and then blames his roommate for giving him a cold.

Andy Frojker, a senior journalism major, finished this column and went home to nurse his cold.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Space shuttle blew away our tax dollars

Editor — Do you remember when NASA landed Apollo 15 on the moon and Neil Armstrong walked on the moon? I don’t. I vaguely remember reading about it in my history book. We planted an American flag on the moon’s surface before any other country — but who cares, nobody ever sees the flag anyway.

Do you remember the national deficit? How can you forget it? It seems that all people talk about anymore is taxes and tax write-offs. Yet Uncle Sam takes all our money to send the space shuttle into space? Part of it must be coming out of the pockets of American citizens. That would be OK if they were doing a sufficient job. I had doubts when I watched NASA blow away millions of dollars within 72 seconds on public television. Just think, with the millions of dollars that NASA blew away, America could have made a noticeable dent on the national deficit.

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Israeli planes bomb Lebanon

SIPON, Lebanon (AP) — Israeli warplanes streaked in at dawn Wednesday and rocketed Palestinian guerrilla bases in citrus groves that border a sprawling refugee camp, flattening one building and badly damaging two.

Hospitals in this ancient southern port said one guerrilla was killed and five guerrillas and a Lebanese civilian were wounded in the first Israeli air attack on Lebanon.

Four jets rocketed the bases of Syrian-backed guerrillas on the outskirts of the Ein el-Hilweh Palestinian refugee camp near Sidon, which is 25 miles south of Beirut.

They made several passes at the three targets nestled among orange and lemon trees around the camp.

Friends mourn teacher's death

CONCORD, N.H. (AP) — Adults and children in the city where Christa McAuliffe taught school cried openly Wednesday as they confronted their anger, sadness and disbelief over the death of their colleague and teacher.

"The teachers seem to be more upset than the students," said John Reinhardt, coordinator of school psychology and guidance programs for the Concord school district.

"They are closer to her, her colleagues and personal friends. The kids for the most part seem to be handling it well."

Twenty-five psychologists, guidance counselors and therapists went into the public schools to help the 4,500 students deal with their grief over the death of the hometown space teacher.

Reagan nominates ag secretary

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan nominated veteran agbusiness figure Richard E. Lyng to be secretary of agriculture, a choice welcomed Wednesday by members of Congress, but questioned by a group which lobbies for agriculture, a choice welcomed Wednesday by members of Congress, but questioned by a group which lobbies for agriculture, a choice welcomed Wednesday by members of Congress, but questioned by a group which lobbies for agriculture, a choice welcomed Wednesday by members of Congress, but questioned by a group which lobbies for agriculture.

Introducing Lyng to reporters and photographers in the Oval Office, Reagan said: "I have every confidence farmers are going to have a sound and solid friend in Secretary of Agriculture Dick Lyng."

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

TV near ice cream parlor should stay

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Games area lockers to be available for student use
By Kristie Roncarati

Beginning spring quarter the lockers in the games area of the University Union will be available for student use.

Shelby West, University Union Advisory Board Chairman, said the idea to rent the lockers to students was presented by a senator from the School of Agriculture, Tyler Hammond. West said a policy outlining the criteria for using the lockers is being written by UUAB Policy Committee member Breeten Osterfeld.

West said the 75 downstairs lockers were formerly rented by the students who used the bowling lanes.

Rental of the lockers will be on a "first-come, first-served basis," West said. "We will have them rented out as a service to students." She said students will be asked to pay a deposit on the key. However, the dollar amount has not been established. She said the price will be between $1 to $3.

If the pilot program is successful, additional lockers may be installed and the service will continue on a yearly basis. "If there is a lot of student interest, we will make plans to have permanent lockers," West said.

Marcia Snodgrass, director of Recreational Sports, said presently about 50 of the 75 keys to the lockers have not been returned by the bowlers. She said only 3 to 10 students are using the lockers for storage purposes, and these students are probably former bowlers.

Students interested in renting a locker during spring quarter, should contact someone at the games area desk.
Return of galactic body attracts stargazers

By Mary Anne Talbott

It's back again after 76 years. Along with it comes great expectations of spectacular streaks of light across the sky. Yes, by now everyone has heard about Halley's Comet, but has anybody really seen it?

Kip Knight, a physics major who works in the Cal Poly observatory, first saw the comet in October. "It looked like a small little fuzzy round thing, but the concept of it was fantastic," he said. "You're sitting there staring at this object, this fuzzy little ball that's been around the solar system a few times. If it had a memory, it would have stories to tell. It's scared millions of people throughout history." (See related story.)

Knight has been watching the comet since it first became visible last fall. He has charts which track the course of the comet and give its distance from Earth on any given day.

Throughout the years, Halley's Comet has been getting less spectacular. "The other times it was extremely bright," he said. "But by each orbit it's losing mass. Eventually it will just break apart into nothingness."

Knight said there are about 20 regularly occurring comets. Three of those appeared last year, showing brighter in the sky than Halley's Comet. It's kind of funny that five comets happen each year or so, showed up each night, waiting in but just this one gets all the attention. The thing about Halley's Comet is it's historical. That's what gets people out here," he said.

During fall quarter, some astronomy classes were given extra credit to go out and see the comet. About 15 or 20 people lined up each night, waiting in line to catch a glimpse of the comet. Each student who got a look at the comet received a card saying "Member in good standing of the Comet Halley Club."

Knight had photos of the comet from Astronomy Magazine. They were shots of a star-filled sky, with arrows indicating which fuzzball was Halley's Comet. Through three or four shots of the same sky, the fuzzball had moved.

"That's basically how these things are discovered — something moved," he said. As the comet passes by the sun, it heats up and gas escapes from the nucleus. Light hitting the gas is what is seen from Earth, said Knight. From late February through March 16 the comet will be brightest.

Unfortunately, it will appear only seven degrees above the Southern horizon and will probably be obscured by buildings and clouds. "If you're on the equator, perfect," Knight said. "I just recommend people to go to the mountains."

Comet blamed for tragedies

Comet lore has it that hundreds of years ago people explained the appearance of comets as signs of an angry God. Wars, floods and plagues were believed to have been caused by the otherwise unexplainable phenomena. Thus, the word disaster, Latin for "bad star," was originated to describe whatever catastrophe seemed to be caused by the comet.

In 1705, Edmund Halley published his computation and prediction stating that the same comet had appeared and would again appear. In 1759, the comet was sighted as predicted, and became — for the first time — Halley's Comet.

The last appearance of the comet in 1910 became a political issue. In Britain, a connection was made between the occurrence of the comet and the death of King Edward VII. In Constantinople, authorities took advantage of the people's fear of the phenomenon to enforce the unpopular city stray dog ordinance. On the night the Earth passed through the tail of the comet, city residents remained indoors snatching blankets while stray dogs were rounded up throughout the city. In the United States, Halley's Comet was seen through the window of a plane flying over the Atlantic. Emmy-comet people who looked at the night sky saw only an arc and Ohio would be afflicted by the comet.

In Britain, a picture of the comet was painted in 1759 by John Horsfall.

Photo courtesy Lee Coble, chemistry department

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ON CAMPUS INTERVIEWS

Wednesday, February 5

Drop by the Cal Poly Peace Corps office TODAY for your application and to sign up for an interview. The application must be completed beforehand. The office is in the Agriculture Building, Room 238. Call 546-1320.

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The mode and level relates to an average, determined reasonable for student-faculty ratio," said Fort. "For example, a fresh college student has an average of 12 students per teacher. But a graduate course in English will teach a smaller number of students." Mode relates to the teaching method, such as lecture or lab, and level is the year, such as freshman or graduate, said Fort.

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From page 7

time - the English department
maintained an institution for stu-
dents which, if they couldn't get
one required writing class, they
should get another at a different
time. 
"In the past three years we
haven't been able to do that
because of the new general
education and breadth require-
ments," said Ericson.

Ericson said it would take
more than 11 new positions to
meet student demand in English
and the social sciences.

Scrivens said every section of
philosophy had been filled up
this quarter but there were still a
lot of students being turned
away.

"Try explaining to 15 or 20
graduating seniors why they
can't take the class they need to
graduate," said Scrivens. "This
puts a lot of strain on the facul-
ty."

Fort said his office and staff
and faculty need to put high
priority in determining how big
the problem of faculty allocation
is and in finding the resources to
solve the problem.

"However, I don't think the
solution lies completely in this
office," said Fort. "I think we
have a responsibility to every
student to help him or her grad-
uate as promptly as possible. But
at no level do we have complete
control."

Fort said it is the joint respon-
sibility for students to take
classes early if they know those
classes are hard to get.

But many students who
followed their Cal Poly
catalogues for 1984-1985 have put
off their general education re-
quired courses until the end of
their curriculum, said Scrivens.

"The curriculum advises stu-
dents to take their major courses
the first two to three years and
general courses at the end," said
Scrivens.

He said this policy was formed
when former Cal Poly president
Robert E. Kennedy first put it
into effect to make sure students
received their technical training
the first couple of years in
school, just in case they decided
to leave early.

Scrivens said the new general
education- and breadth require-
ments, which require more
general education classes, have
created a backlog of demand for
those classes.

He said he sees the problem as
growing progressively worse.

"Faculty also have a respon-
sibility to students to do their
best to be accommodating and
offer a correct mix of courses," said Fort. "They need to be good
stewards of the resources they
have at the department level."

Fort said at the school level,
the dean must have the same
consideration and make "judg-
ment calls" regarding the
distribution of faculty.

"They have to think about the
problems and needs of students
and do their best," said Fort.

"But the problem isn't simple.
It's hard, for example, to decide
between an English major who
wants a course in 17th century
literature and another student
who needs a critical thinking
course."
Crock Pot issue near boiling point

By Betty Crocker

Tension is mounting in the final days before the school board referendum on the proposed Community Crock Pot. Lines of opposition have been drawn in what has turned out to be one of the fiercest political struggles this campus has seen since the Student Senate voted to wear President Baker's masks and play Nude Twister during activity hour.

At the Student Senate meeting Wednesday night, more than 200 people jammed the room to express their culinary leanings.

"I think this is the most important issue Cal Poly will face in the next 10 years," said Muffy Sugarheart as she spoke for the Home Economics club. "You don't know how many times I've wanted to take a chicken to the Snack Bar before my 8 o'clock class, dump it in a crock pot and come back for dinner 14 hours later."

Professor Harold Matthias agreed, adding that students should remember that many other facilities were financed through the goodwill of students who would never see their use. "Just think," he said, "Years from now people will say, 'Gee! Weren't those students back in 1986 nest! What was, and we do without our Crock Pot!'"

Other students disagreed. Steve Salami, wearing an anti-crock pot tee shirt, told the senators it was just too much money. "Frankly," he said, "If I have to pay this extra money, I'll be depressed. I'll quit school. I'll commit horrendous crimes against society."

Reaction from the senate varied. ASI Vice President John Conway in a one-piece, Jeanette swim suits riding a circus elephant to sway the vote.

Debate on the crock pot has remained stalled on the Student Senate floor for two years. The debate centers on the color of the appliance. A prominent faction of the senate, led by senators from the School of Agriculture, pushed for avocado green, while the more liberal senators from the School of Professional Studies formed a coalition to consolidate support for harvest gold.

The debate was finally settled one meeting when ASI President Mike Mendes suddenly leapt to his feet and shouted, "We're having the avocado green and that's final, dammit!"

The administration's position on the avocado-green Crock Pot remains unknown. When contacted by The Void, Director of Public Affairs Stan Bernstein said, "Crock pot? What crock pot? I never heard about a crock pot! Why don't people tell me things?"

The referendum for the avocado-green Crock Pot is scheduled for Feb. 7 and 8 between the hours of midnight and 4 a.m. All those voting will receive an autographed picture of Vanna White and an attractive refrigerator magnet.

Cal Poly Crock Pot Information

On Feb. 9 and 10, 1986, Cal Poly students will have the opportunity to vote for or against the proposed Community Crock Pot. This article provides facts to help you make an informed decision when you go to the polls.

Why a Crock Pot?

Let's put it bluntly. Cal Poly doesn't have a crock pot. It's embarrassing to say, but we don't even have an old, decrepit crock pot that we can vote to spend loads of money to renovate. Instead, we have to start from scratch so when our facilities have the potential of matching rival campuses. Results of a recent student survey indicated the following:

- 0 percent of the students used an on-campus crock pot.
- 100 percent of the students desperately want and crave an on-campus crock pot.

What is included in the Proposal?

The components of the proposed Crock Pot were compiled by a survey of student needs and desires and on recommendations from Food Service, Foundation and the Office of Emergency Services. These include:

- one deluxe model 4-qt. capacity Cookmaster crock pot (color to be decided at a later date)
- insulated case
- no-tangle cord
- crack-proof stoneware cover
- custom-built cabinet with condiment rack and laminated "You and Your Crock Pot" recipe book

Where would it be?

The proposed Crock Pot, if approved, would be built in a special imitation wood-grain cabinet centrally located in the Snack Bar. Approximately three eating tables would be lost while the facility is under construction.

Who Pays for It?

The cost of building the proposed Crock Pot would be shared by the State of California and the Associated Students. Inc. This allows for a better Crock Pot for both the state and student body at approximately half the cost.

The price of the proposed Crock Pot is $39.95. The state would provide $20 of that total along with $3.95 a year for operating costs.

The remaining $19.95 would be raised through an increase in the Union fees students pay each quarter. If the proposal passes, Union fees would increase by $3.15 per quarter for each student beginning in fall 1987. Faculty and staff who use the Crock Pot will pay a quarterly fee of $50, which would be used to defray operating expenses.

Similar student-funded Crock Pots have been built at Stanford, UCLA and UC Davis.

When would the Crock Pot be ready?

If the Crock Pot is approved, construction would begin in April 1987 and be completed in fall 1989.
Mrs. Huffnagel

World-famous advice columnist reveals it all

Mrs. Huffnagel ran a tired hand through her dishwater-blond hair as she read one of the countless letters piled around her office easy chair.

"I'm not sure if Nude Twister would really help this poor boy," she said with a sigh.

Yes, even Mrs. Huffnagel sometimes doubts her ability.

"From these letters, I can see the sad shatterd remanants of young lives that have been torn apart by this crazy confusing thing we call life. I only hope that I can somehow help."

Mrs. Huffnagel sighed again and began telling her story, the trademark twinkle in her eye belaying the heaviness of her heart.

"It all started, well, years ago really. I was reading an issue of Family Circle Magazine, an article about a woman who couldn't figure out how to get rid of unsightly perspiration stains. I knew immediately that the poor thing needed my expert advice. So I wrote to her, care of Mustang Daily. The rest, as they say, is history."

Mrs. Huffnagel began receiving inquiries about all sorts of other stains, and she answered them all.

"You'd be amazed by some of the stains people get themselves mixed up with," she said. "Basically, you just soak everything in a good strong solution of vinegar and water, then wash in Tide. It's as simple as that, really."

But it wasn't Mrs. Huffnagel's method of stain removal that won her the hearts of housewives nationwide, it was the way she doled out her advice. Advice from Mrs. Huffnagel seemed like more than just a household hint. In most cases, it was.

"Of course, when some young thing was worried about how to get out lipstick stains, I could put two and two together. I told her — to lose the bum, pronto. Especially if he couldn't even fool around with some beauty that wore the same lipstick shade as his wife — not only was he untrue, he was dumb."

Mrs. Huffnagel never got paid for her words of wisdom. And after her husband, Horace, was killed in a bizarre milking machine accident, she was forced to look for another source of income.

"I had never cleaned houses before. Just mine, of course, and I did that rather well. The journalism department head was kind enough to take me without references. I've been cleaning his house for over a year now. I find it very rewarding."

It was by pure chance that Mrs. Huffnagel began giving out her unique brand of advice to Mustang Daily readers.

"I was at the department head's house for some reason or another," said Mustang Daily Editor Donald Muaro. "Suddenly I heard a voice coming from the bathroom yelling, 'Hygiene, please!' I knew I had stumbled onto a goldmine."

Mrs. Huffnagel has been writing her advice column since the beginning of this year, and the job has its ups and downs.

"At first I thought, give them all Nude Twister!" said Mrs. Huffnagel, shaking her head slightly. "But I soon realized that some problems take more than a pornographic party game to solve them."

After long hours of soul-searching and painstaking research, she wrote her first booklet, Life Beyond Nude Twister. She has virtually her own publishing empire now, with pamphlets and newsletters to fit every occasion.

"One of my favorites is The Complete Hunting guide for Women Who Want to Marry Rich. And then of course there's 7986 Easy Steps to a More Attractive You, and Spam-o-rama! The Quick Guide to Good Eating...

The list, like Mrs. Huffnagel's advice, goes on and on.

We know about Mrs. Huffnagel the advice giver, but what about Mrs. Huffnagel the woman? She smiled one of her perky smiles. Her eyes twinkled even more brightly than it seemed possible for eyes to twinkle.

"If you're wondering, all those stories about Sly Stallone and I just aren't true at all. We're just very close friends. Really, only recently I gave him the complete works of Betty Crocker. That's not romance."

She paused a bit and sighed. "Oh, I have my gardening. I have my pot roast. I have your department head's house to clean. And of course I have all those lovely readers out there, and their support."

She wiped a tear from her eye. "Yes, I have much to be thankful for. And if I may quote Dr. Norman Vincent Peale, my success in life is a tribute to the American Character."

Hard at work, the irreplaceable Mrs. Huffnagel makes decisions daily that change the course of her readers' lives.

Below: the many talents of Mrs. Huffnagel.
**ON THE STREET**

What does Poly need more than anything?

Sara Edmonds, Spotlight editor:

Why don't we have a crock pot on campus? Ironic, isn't it? Whose fault is this? Why isn't something being done? I'm splitting mad.

Andy Froehr, perpetual senior:

A crock pot. I remember going to my grandmother's and smelling the yummy odor of mothballs and stewing sauerkraut. I miss that. I wish the Snack Bar could smell that way, too.

Mike Mendes, ASI President:

That's a tough question. It would be nice to have a crock pot but you have to examine all the alternatives. It's hard to say. Maybe it would. Maybe it wouldn't. We need extensive research to find the best alternative for the students. Hell, I don't know.

Warren Baker, President of Cal Poly:

A crock pot, definitely a crock pot. If we had a crock pot I'd be on campus more often.

John Sweeney, ASI Vice President:

A crock pot, of course. Let's form a committee! Let's write a resolution! It's an investment for the future! It's great for tuna noodle casserole, too.

**Crock pots in the nation: Where Cal Poly is rated**

The dot in the center square represents all the crock pots at Cal Poly if the referendum passes. The other dots represent all the crock pots on campuses throughout the nation.

**LETTERS TO THE VOID**

Dear Mrs. Huffnagel — My grades are dropping. I can't sleep at night and I think my hairline is receding. With what terrible affliction have the gods struck me down?

It's a woman. (I happen to be a man, by the way.) She's gorgeous, charming and fun-loving. But — and this is the big but — she has a boyfriend.

The only thing that has kept me from tying a millstone around my neck and drowning myself in the toilet is the fact that I'm here and the boyfriend is in her hometown.

Please, Mrs. Huffnagel, what's the best way to break up a long-distance romance? (Ask if you recommend a good place to get a hair transplant?)

— Grasping at Straws

**Reader keeps losing hair and women**

Dodec Reader — First, the hair. My husband Horace had the same problem. Here's my own homemade recipe for hair growth. It worked for Horace. I hope it will work for you, too.

Chop one pound of sauerkraut with three egg yolks and a dash of parsley. Simmer in a crock pot for three days (I prefer a dash of parsley. Simmer in a crock pot for three days). Cover with a plastic show a cap (I save adas from the Holiday Inn.).

Now, about this woman: you'll never get her until your hair growth treatment is completed. You'll have to choose — hair or woman, hair or woman, hair or woman.

This decision will probably mock you till you die.

Dear Mrs. Huffnagel — How's it goin' eh? Like, me, and my brother was wonderin' 'bout doughnuts, O.K.? We been confused 'bout how to get a date with these Cal Poly Valley Girl Cuties.

Hoshead (that's my brother) says, you gotta see doughnuts, eh? Plato doughnut means "I like you" how 'bout a movie?" Give her a chocolate-covered doughnut and you're sayin' "Hey baby, let's compare tongues," Jelly-filled. That means "Time for Nude Twister, eh?"

I told Hoshead to take off — he's full of it. Eh? What do you say, Mrs. Huffnagel? How about Doughnut Love?

South of the Great White Border, Lookin' for Women

Dodec Reader — My, you sure have a fixation with doughnuts. I imagine they've been sent to you by these Valley Girls besides doughnuts. How about a candlelight dinner? I'd like to see what the reactions are. I then suggested that you serve them one night with some of my homemade bread. You put me in the mood: "Climb Every Mountain," "Shake Your Groove Thing," and "I'm Just a Love Machine."
Statistics prove Cal Poly has its share of crime

By Rebecca Hanner

Cal Poly Public Safety attributes most of the substantial recovery figures last year to the recovery of stolen computer equipment. Carmack said during this school year, the department has already exceeded the state property recovery rate of last year with two major recoveries, including the recovery of a surveying instrument valued at about $10,000.

In terms of personal property loss, Cal Poly was ranked 14th in the system, with total losses of about $42,000, 20 percent less than the losses reported during the previous year.

Cal States Los Angeles and Long Beach lost the most in personal property, with each reporting losses of more than $515,000.

More than $45,000 of state property was stolen from Cal Poly during the 1984-85 school year, which the report indicated was a 100 percent increase over the previous year.

The Cal Poly State property loss was the third highest among the 19 California State Universities, following Cal State Northridge which lost more than $69,000 and San Diego State which lost some $59,000 in state property.

According to Wayne Carmack, Public Safety investigator, Cal Poly is about equal with all of the other state colleges, in terms of crime per capita.

Carmack added that some state colleges, because of their locations in large metropolitan, high crime areas, have higher crime statistics on campus.

When it comes to recovery of state property, Cal Poly led all of the other universities in the report by recovering more than $12,000 in stolen state property.

Car stereos: keep them hidden

By Rebecca Hanner

An expensive car stereo system is less likely to be stolen from a parked car if it doesn't advertise itself, said a Cal Poly public safety investigator. Investigator Ray Berrett said many Cal Poly students who have their car stereos stolen advertise the fact that they have an expensive system by having their speakers visibly exposed in the back of the car or having music cassettes scattered on the dash boards or seats.

All burglars have to do to find stereo systems, Berrett said, is drive down the parking lots on campus, looking for the exposed speakers or visible cassette cases.

To protect any car from a stereo theft, Berrett advised installing a burglar alarm, in addition to hiding all music cassette cases from plain sight.

"Don't advertise that you have an expensive car stereo, but do advertise that you have a burglar alarm in your car," said Berrett.

Another safeguard Berrett mentioned is putting a burglar alarm sticker in the car window nearest the driver's door, even if the car has no alarm.

Burglars will think the car is equipped with an alarm if they see a sticker, said Berrett, and won't be tempted to check whether the car really has an alarm system or not.

An additional word of advice, Berrett suggested, is to borrow an engraving instrument from the Cal Poly Public Safety department and engrave the owner's drivers license number onto the car stereo system.

A car stereo which has been properly engraved with a drivers license number is harder to get rid of if it's stolen, Berrett said, and if it's recovered, it can be returned to the owner in a shorter period of time.

Aware of crime problems that do exist at Cal Poly, said Ray Berrett, Public Safety investigator.

Carmack added, "The Cal Poly population looks at the campus as a Disneyland. They think crimes won't happen here, but that's not true. We have crimes here just like everywhere."

The Cal Poly Police Department issued almost 29,000 parking citations last year, the second highest number given at any state campus with the exception of San Diego State.

Carmack pointed out, though, that the total doesn't compensate for the number of citations which are voided after they have been issued.

The large number of commuting students and faculty members, in addition to having more than 10,000 off-cam­pus student residents, the most on any Cal State campus, are some of the reasons why Cal Poly issues a large number of parking citations, said Berrett.

According to Berrett, many of the dorm residents who have valid permits for the dorm parking lots drive their cars to the library parking lot where the permits aren't valid and are promptly ticketed.

Carmack added that Cal Poly has the second highest number of parking enforcement officers on patrol, which probably contributes to the high number of citations issued.
Shuttle engineer receives praise

HONOLULU (AP) — Hawaii's highest officials praised the courage and dedication of Challenger astronaut Lt. Col. Ellison S. Onizuka, an engineer and Air Force pilot killed in the shuttle explosion.

He was the nation's first astronaut of Oriental ancestry.

"Ellison inspired us with his courage," Gov. George R. Ariyoshi said Tuesday. "He lifted our spirits and made all of us in Hawaii very proud."

State House Speaker Henry Peters called for a moment of silence to lawmakers could "pay our tribute, honor, respect and aloha." State Sen. Milton Holt suggested the University of Hawaii's Mauna Kea Observatory, located on Onizuka's home island of Hawaii, be renamed in his honor.

Onizuka was "an individual who faced the challenges and danger of the space program in dedicated service to our nation," said U.S. Sen. Daniel Inouye.

A former aerospace engineer, Onizuka taught at the Air Force's elite test pilot school at Edwards Air Force Base in California. He earned two degrees from the University of Colorado and was selected by NASA as an astronaut in 1978.

He was a crew member on a secret Department of Defense flight last January; the Challenger mission was his second space flight.

In Clear Lake City, Texas, a suburb of Houston where Onizuka lived, neighbor Stan Avent remembered the 39-year-old astronaut as "a really nice guy. He would do anything for you."

The astronaut, a native of Kekalakeku, Hawaii, married the former Lorna Leiko Yoshida of Pahala, Hawaii, and the couple had two children, Janelle, 16, and Darin, 10.

His widowed mother, Mitsue Onizuka, said in a January 1985 interview that she wasn't sure when her son became interested in space flight as a youth. She said he read a great deal about space and played with model airplanes.

She also recalled how he built the wooden frame that holds the mailboxes across from the general store she operated on a winding road near the village of Holualoa, on the slopes of Hawaii Island's Mount Hualelei.

Children may see disaster as a dream

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Mental health counselors say children may feel guilt over encouraging Christa McAuliffe to fly into space and may be lulled by the dreamlike quality of the shuttle explosion that killed her and six other crew members.

On television, it might have seemed that the space shuttle Challenger blew up in silence Tuesday — without the screams and devastation often wrought by disaster. Debris from the blast sank into the ocean, leaving viewers only, thoughts of five men and two women, including McAuliffe, the New Hampshire schoolteacher who was to have been the first private citizen in space.

Students across the country "feel the event is almost like a dream. They'll wake up and find that it never really happened even though they realize that it did happen," said John Reinhardt, coordinator of school psychology and guidance programs for the Concord school district where Mrs. McAuliffe taught.
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Swimmers disqualified for technicalities

By T. Williams

The Cal Poly men's and women's swim teams lost to Fresno State University because of two questionable disqualifications.

Nancy Stern was disqualified on the woman's team for "head dipping," which occurs when swimmers dip their heads too far below the water in the breaststroke. Stern was swimming the second leg of the 400-yard medley relay, which is the breaststroke. The call is supposed to be left to the discretion of the referee — but at Fresno State, the starter, who was an ex-swimmer there, made the call.

"I was, to say the least, adamant about the call," said Cal Poly head coach Bob Madrigal, who protested the call to the Fresno State coach. "It's a very subjective call."

Erik Rinde, of the men's team, was disqualified for the same call, in the same event and in the very next race. He too was called for head dipping and the men's team was disqualified from the 400-yard medley relay.

"They pulled some pretty shady stuff," Madrigal said. "Tracy Caulkins (the Olympic swimmer) dips her head all the time and never gets called for it — it's a pucky call."

Fed up with the starter's calls, Madrigal insisted a referee be added to the pool deck. When a referee is on deck he makes all stroke and turn calls, not the starter.

"After we got the referee, we didn't have any trouble for the rest of the meet," Madrigal said.

The disqualifications didn't have much impact on the men's team, because they lost the meet 74-20. However, the women's team did feel the impact of the calls.

The women's team lost to Fresno State and Madrigal was not happy.

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Ruggers conquer obstacles

by Chris Counts

Frustrated by the lack of recognition they have received both on and off the field, Cal Poly's rugby team is doing something about it.

Whether it's finding a field at Cal Poly to practice on or finding a way to defeat perennial rugby powerhouse Cal State Long Beach, the Cal Poly rugby team has faced many obstacles. This past Saturday, though, Cal Poly conquered a major obstacle, Cal State Long Beach.

Defeating Long Beach was easier said than done. Ranked second this year on the Pacific Coast, Long Beach won the national collegiate rugby championship two years ago. Prior to Saturday, Cal Poly had never defeated Long Beach. And to complicate matters, the match was played in Long Beach. But Cal Poly conquered all obstacles, winning 12-10.

"It was a huge win," Cal Poly rugby club president Neal Ninteman said. "This is our biggest win since I've been at Cal Poly. It gives us the confidence we need."

The previous weekend, Cal Poly defeated Loyola Marymount, 25-9. Cal Poly had lost three times in four tries to Loyola, which is ranked fifth in the state. Though unranked going into last weekend's match against Long Beach, Cal Poly is undaunted.

"The team looks awesome," Cal Poly rugby player Hugh Crawford said.

Cal Poly, a member of the southern California university division, finished second in that division last year, Cal Poly finished second in that division, one game behind Long Beach.

Hugh Crawford (center) slaps high fives with his teammates after a hard-fought victory over Cal State Long Beach last weekend.

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**SWIMMERS**

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Fresno State 49-46, but had they not been disqualified, they would have won the meet.

"It (the disqualification) had a real impact on the team. It was a bad way to start the meet," Madrigal said.

The Roadrunners, who came into the match with a 10-1 record, have lost only to Oregon State and Cal Poly.

"It (the disqualification) had a big impact on the team," Madrigal said. "We have more depth than they (CSU LA.) do," he said.

The outcome of the meet will depend heavily on whether Swoboda swims with a tricep pull. "If we (USD) are a scrappy, physical team just like we are," said Crawford. "It will be a good game - there's no telling who will win."

**RUGGERS**

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BUDGET

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Rogers said education fared better than other departments in the 1986-87 budget proposal. Other than the governor’s not budgeting the CSU as much money as the Board of Trustees desired, there are differences in principle between the board’s request and the governor’s budget.

For example, the board wanted several expenses financed by California Lottery revenues in 1985-86 to be financed by general fund support. General funds are funds normally supplied by the state.

Deukmejian refused the trustees’ request to transfer those expenses to the General Education Fund. Hanner said the state has traditionally supported the requested transfer budget items through general funds. But last year the state legislature said the CSU would have to use lottery funds to pay for some items.

“We had no choice,” said Hanner. The Board of Trustees didn’t think lottery funding of those items should continue in 1986-87.

“There are people in Sacramento who feel (the lottery fund) should be used like general funds,” Hanner said, adding, “We feel this is contrary to the law and what the people had in mind.”

The CSU essentially asked for more money when they wanted the funds transferred to the general education fund, said Rogers. “Lottery funds are used at the sole discretion of the CSU,” he said. “We were wondering why (the transfer) was asked for,” he said.

The expenditures in question are primarily in computing, Hanner said. “They’re either new items or at a new level of expenditure,” said Rogers.

Items funded under the CSU Lottery Educational Fund this year were budgeted at $13.1 million. According to the January status report, only $4.9 million had been allocated by this month. But allocation and receipt of payment are two different things, “We haven’t received a cent yet,” said Hanner.

Use of state funds for the items presently budgeted under lottery funds would enable the trustees to use lottery funds for other items of their own choosing.

Deukmejian budgeted the $13.1 million under lottery funds, as well as an additional $9.1 million as a baseline adjustment for a project nearing completion.

The budget proposes additional 1986-87 lottery funds of $7.2 million. According to the January status report, only $4.9 million had been allocated by this month.

According to the status report, the Board of Trustees’ proposed support budget did not request lottery revenue appropriation because these funds will automatically be transferred by the State Controller to the CSU Lottery Fund. The $18.3 million in the governor’s budget is non-limiting and non-specified. It represents only an estimate of lottery revenue to be transferred from the state to the CSU.

Rogers said he expects legislative hearings on the governor’s budget to begin in late February. The legislature may see it tough to enhance the budget because of lower income revenues and a balanced budget. In addition, low inflation this year may be a roadblock for significantly attaching new revenues to last year’s baseline budget.

The difference between what the trustees requested for 1986-87 and what the governor’s budget proposes is $117.7 million. “What they ask for is typically more than what they get,” said Rogers.

POLICY

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Any of these groups can be contacted for more information on the disease.

“Everyone has to know about AIDS,” Nash said. The Cal Poly Health Center is planning to offer forums on AIDS to keep people informed, and is considering establishing a fact sheet about AIDS to be mailed to students during the summer.

The policy is not to scare students about AIDS, but to inform them and educate them about the disease.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — Americans are healthier than they have ever been before, and long-term deaths from heart disease dropped 28 percent since 1963, the government said Wednesday in its annual report on the nation’s health.

Life expectancy is at a record high and infant mortality at a new low, the report said.

Although infant mortality fell to an estimated 10.6 deaths per 1,000 births in 1984, health experts said they continue to worry about the slowing pace of the decline, and a persistent gap between the rate at which white and black infants die.

A child born in 1983 could expect to live 74.6 years, a new high, the study said. The longest life expectancy is for white females, 78.7 years; the shortest by black males, 65.4 years.

On average, a man who turned 45 in 1983 could expect to live the age of 74.7, more than three years longer than his 1950 counterpart, while a woman celebrating her 45th birthday in 1983 could expect to live more than 5 years longer than the 45-year-old woman of 1950.

Gains in the nation’s health have not come cheaply, however. Per capita spending on health reached $1,500 in 1984, three times the amount spent 10 years earlier, the report said. And medical inflation continues to surpass the overall rate in consumer prices, although at a slower pace than in recent years.

In his report to Congress, Health and Human Services Secretary Otis R. Bowen called the record “impressive.”

Gains in life expectancy were legislated in large part to the decline in cigarette smoking and to improved treatment of high blood pressure. The latter has been a focus of government educational campaigns, particularly among blacks.

While more than half of all adult males smoked in 1965, that figure dropped to about 35 percent in 1983. Statistics for women showed a much smaller decline in smoking, from 34.2 percent to 29.9 percent — and black women showed an increase.

The difference showed in fatality rates. The death rate from heart disease dropped 28 percent from 1970 to 1984, while the death rate from strokes dropped 40 percent over the same period.

Both are traditionally male diseases linked by scientists to smoking.

Lung cancer rates continue to increase, but that increase is slowing for men and accelerating among women.

In 1950, the death rate for breast cancer among American women was five times their rate of lung cancer. In 1983, the death rate from breast cancer was only slightly higher than the death rate from lung cancer, the study said, and lung cancer now kills more women aged 55 to 74 than breast cancer.