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Meet the 'A-Team' during Fall Conference

The Advancement Team will present a workshop on fund raising from 1 to 3 pm Wednesday, Sept. 13, at the Alumni House.

Vice President Bill Boldt and Associate Vice President Bill Sheets will give an overview of philanthropic trends, plans for the Cal Poly Centennial Campaign, and tips on "how to get money to support your program."

The A-Team will be there to answer questions on fund raising, public relations, college relations, and publications. Refreshments will be served.

Baker to discuss 'Plan' at Fall Conference

President Baker will discuss the Cal Poly Plan in the keynote address at the 1995 Fall Conference General Session today (Sept. 11).

Baker will discuss possible university strategies for increasing growth and improving quality, productivity and accountability in a talk titled "Keeping Cal Poly's Promise."

The General Session begins at 9:30 am in Chumash Auditorium. It will also include remarks by other Cal Poly officials and awards to outstanding faculty and staff members.

The traditional pre-General Session coffee and other refreshments will be served in the UU Plaza from 9 to 9:30 am.

An open reception honoring outstanding staff members, distinguished teachers, and the outstanding professor – a new event this year – will be held right after the General Session. Sponsored by Faculty Instructional Development and Human Resources, it will run from 11:15 am to 1 pm in the courtyard between the Science

Building and Faculty Offices East.

Other events during Fall Conference week, marking the beginning of a new academic year, will include the usual schedule of college and academic department meetings, faculty retreats, workshops, receptions, and orientation sessions and campus tours for new employees.

Several new workshops and other sessions have been added to the schedule this year, including an Information Technology Forum from noon to 2 pm Tuesday, Sept. 12.

'Campus Forum' invites letters on all topics

Don't forget: The *Cal Poly Report* publishes a "Campus Forum" section that is open to letters from faculty and staff members. You're welcome to send us your comments or questions on any topic of campus interest.

You can read something in one issue and comment on it in the next if you get your letter to the Communications office in Heron Hall by 1 pm Monday. Please be sure to include your name, department and campus phone number.

Letters might be edited for clarity, brevity and style. We appreciate short letters, submitted as soon as possible.

Cal Poly Women's Club plans annual Fall Tea

The Cal Poly Women's Club is planning its annual Fall Tea Reception from 2 to 4 pm on Sunday, Sept. 17.

All faculty and staff women are welcome to join the group. For more information, call Imelda Gentile at 549-9249.



ADS database to be upgraded Sept. 11-15

The Alumni Development System (ADS) mainframe data base will be upgraded to ADS-Plus beginning today (Sept. 11) through Friday, Sept. 15, and computer users will not be able to access the system today and tomorrow (Sept. 12).

The new software includes improved tracking of alumni activities and interests, a new gift detail search screen, and other improvements.

Beginning Monday, Sept. 18, ADS-Plus will be accessible by typing OASISPRD at the Cal Poly SLO IBM Network screen. ADS can also be accessed directly from the SIS+ and HRS data bases by typing "ADS" in the screen field and pressing enter.

For more information, call Denise Mendonca or Jonelle Thomson of Advancement Records and Systems at ext. 1555.

Women's Welcome Reception planned

Cal Poly faculty and staff women are invited to attend a Women's Welcome Reception from 4 to 5:30 pm Wednesday, Sept. 13, in San Luis Lounge (UU 203).

The reception, sponsored by Women's Programs and Services, the Women's Studies Program, and Academic Senate Status of Women Committee, will provide the opportunity to catch up with returning friends and colleagues and meet newcomers to Cal Poly. In addition, the 1995 recipients of the annual scholarships awarded by the Status of Women Committee will be announced.

Imogen Cunningham photos to be displayed

An exhibition of works by noted 20th century photographer Imogen Cunningham, screenings of two documentaries about Cunningham and fellow photographer Dorothea Lange, and an opening reception are planned as the first event in the 10th anniversary season of the University Art Gallery.

The exhibit is scheduled to run from Monday, Sept. 25, through Saturday, Oct. 28.

The opening reception with documentary film maker and Cunningham granddaughter Meg Partridge is planned from 3 to 5 pm Sunday, Sept. 24.

The films, "Portrait of Imogen," an Academy-Award nominee for Best Documentary Short, and "Dorothea Lange, a Visual Life," will be shown at 12:30 and 5:30 pm Sunday, Sept. 24, at the Palm Theatre in San Luis Obispo.

Cunningham, whose career spanned 75 years, is remembered for her "unerring eye for powerful images not limited by stylistic preconceptions or directed by social agenda."

Her photographs of such diverse images as an artisan's hands, an oil derrick, a snake curling over stones, a gnarled tree, and children at play capture the momentary magic of light, shadow, shape and texture.

Her work has been published in such national magazines as *Vanity Fair*, *Life*, *Look* and *Sunset*. A collection of her work is held at the Smithsonian Institution.

The half-hour documentary on Cunningham includes more than 250 photographs, presented by Cunningham herself, as well as actual audio-taped interviews made in 1970 and 1971.

In "Dorothea Lange: A Visual Life," Partridge sets Lange's pioneering photographs and recorded conversations against contemporary interviews with her family and assistants.

Lange, who was Partridge's Godmother, was known as an extraordinary and complex visual artist, one of America's most eloquent photographers.

The 50-minute film chronicles five decades of the 20th century as captured on film by Lange.

Tickets to the screening are \$10 each. Proceeds from the screenings will benefit the University Art Gallery. For ticket information, call ext. 1571.

The University Art Gallery is open from 11 am to 4 pm Monday through Saturday and Wednesday from 7 to 9 pm.

Quarter break & WOW food service hours

Vending Cellar is always open
Monday-Friday, Sept. 11-15
Light House & VG Cafe

Breakfast	8-10:30am
Lunch	11 am-2 pm
Dinner	4 pm-7pm
The Avenue	7:30 am-3:30 pm
Lucy's	9 am-3 pm
Julian's	7:30 am-5 pm
BackStage Pizza	10 am-5 pm
VG Restaurant	11 am-7:30 pm
Campus Store	6:45am-7 pm

Saturday, Sept. 16

Light House	
Breakfast	8:30 am-10:30 am
Lunch	11 am-2 pm
Dinner	4:30 pm-7 pm

VG Cafe

Lunch	11 am-1:30 pm
Dinner	5 pm-7:30 pm
Backstage Pizza	10 am-8 pm
VG Restaurant	11 am-7:30 pm
Campus Store	10 am-6 pm

Sunday, Sept. 17

Light House	
Breakfast	8:30 am-10:30 am
Lunch	11am-2 pm
Dinner	4:30 pm-7 pm

VG Cafe

Lunch	11 am-1:30 pm
Dinner	5 pm-7:30 pm
BackStage Pizza	Noon-9 pm
Campus Store	10 am-10 pm
VG Restaurant	10am-2 pm

Monday, Sept. 18

Regular fall quarter hours begin



Auditions set for 'The Glass Menagerie'

The Theatre and Dance Department will hold auditions for its fall quarter production of "The Glass Menagerie" from 7 to 11 pm Thursday and Friday, Sept. 21-22, in Room 212 of the Davidson Music Center.

Tennessee Williams' award-winning play is a study of a passionate, charming and vivacious – but puritanical – woman who deals with her two, highly sensitive and sexually repressed children with a mixture of compassion and self-delusion.

Roles are available for two men and two women. Auditioners will be asked to read from the script, copies of which are available in the Reserve Room in the Kennedy Library.

The modern classic, which will have its 50th anniversary in 1995, is widely regarded as one of the great American plays of the 20th century.

"The Glass Menagerie," Williams' first Broadway success, will be directed by theatre and dance professor Michael Malkin. Three performances will be staged in the Cal Poly Theatre, Thursday through Saturday, Nov. 16-18.

Discounts available for employee air travel

Cal Poly employees traveling on official state business can get a 10 percent discount on domestic air travel expenses, thanks to a \$40 million antitrust settlement obtained by the State Attorney General.

The discount applies to one-way tickets exceeding \$50 and will continue for 18 months or until the settlement amount is used up.

To obtain the savings, travelers should remind their travel agents about the discount when making arrangements.

For more information, call John Sullivan in the State Accounting office at ext. 1717.

'In the good old summertime'

(This summary of material published during summer quarter is intended to bring academic-year readers up to date.)

Appointments

Several executive appointments were announced: **John Anderson**, director of financial aid; **Susan Currier**, associate dean of liberal arts; **Linda Dalton**, interim associate vice president for academic resources; **Harry Sharp**, interim dean of liberal arts; **William Sheets**, associate vice president for university advancement; **David Walch**, interim associate vice president for information technology services; **Paul Zingg**, interim vice president for academic affairs.

Other Appointments

Paul Adalian Jr., interim associate dean of the library; **Albert Consullo**, Chemistry Department chair; **Gilbert Cooke**, director of the Architecture Department; **Paul Fratessa**, Architectural Engineering Department head; **Linden Nelson**, Psychology and Human Development Department chair.

Deaths

Jorg Bartels, retired Landscape Architecture professor, June 5; **Esmon Lee Corley**, retired clinical aid in the student Health Center, June 28; **Richard Kombrink**, retired Engineering Technology professor, July 14; **Bernard "Fitz" Fitzgerald**, retired supervisor for the State Receiving Warehouse, July 24; **Ian Begg**, retired member of the Engineering Technology faculty, Aug. 17.

Awards and Honors

1994-95 Distinguished Teachers are **Ronald Brown**, Physics; **Lee Burgunder**, Business Administration; **Nancy Lucas**, English.

1994-95 Outstanding Staff Awards went to **Francesca Fairbrother**, Mathematics; **Joyce Kalicicki**, University Center for Teacher Education; **Lorraine Ridgeway**, Student Affairs. **Douglas Piirto**, a professor in the Natural Resources Management Department, received the 1995 Dole Agriculture Faculty Award, and **Patricia Broering**, administrative assistant in Environmental Horticultural Science, received the Dole Agriculture Staff Award.

This & That

Former Academic Affairs Vice President **Robert Koob** left to become president of his alma mater, the University of Northern Iowa, and Associate Vice President for Academic Resources **Charlie Crabb** accepted an appointment at UC Cooperative Extension's South Central Region.

The **Performing Arts Center** has office space in Rooms 357 and 359 in the Physical Education Classrooms and Offices Building. Their phone number is ext. 7222.

Human Resources is now open during the noon hour. They are open from 8 am to 4 pm Monday through Friday and from 4 to 5 pm by appointment.



Maas to teach course in instructor effectiveness

Don Maas of the University Center for Teacher Education will once again be teaching the course Maintaining Instructor Effectiveness: Techniques and Strategies for More Effective Teaching.

The seminar, open to faculty and staff members, will be offered on Tuesdays from 4 to 7 pm during fall quarter in Room 204 in the Education Building. The first class will be Tuesday, Sept. 19.

The course will emphasize the practical applications of research to college teaching. Topics to be covered include:

- ✓ What elements an instructor must consider to make instruction effective.
- ✓ Which elements to include.

- ✓ How to be sure students are learning – before the final.
- ✓ Ways to motivate students to learn.
- ✓ How to get students to remember material taught.

Enrollment will be limited to 20. The seminar is offered for free, but participants need to bring cash or a check for \$6.45, payable to El Corral, to the first class meeting to buy the class's accompanying booklet.

To sign up for the course, call ext. 5935. Those interested in taking the course but unable to attend the seminar fall quarter should call Janice Engle at ext. 5935.

For information on the course, call Maas at ext. 2587.

CCAT Transit changes passes, procedures

The Central Coast Area Transit (CCAT) has changed the look and color of its Cal Poly passes and has implemented a new procedure when boarding a bus.

Students, faculty and staff members who board CCAT with the new pass will also be required to show a current Cal Poly I.D.

The old green CCAT passes will be honored until their value is used up.

The new bargain passes, available at the Rec Center Ticket Office, are sold only to Cal Poly students, faculty and staff members. They cost \$7.50 for \$36 worth of rides.

For more information, call Commuter Services at ext. 6680.

Dateline

Admission charged - \$

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

Fall Conference Week.

Fall quarter begins.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

Music: Mariachi Los Camperos de Nati Cano. Theatre, 8 pm. (\$)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Football: Montana State, Mustang Stadium, 6 pm. (\$)

Music: Kitka, a 12-women a cappella chorus. Theatre, 8 pm. (\$)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

Women's Soccer: Pepperdine University, Mustang Stadium, 5 pm. (\$)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

Fall quarter classes begin.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

Auditions: Try out for a part in "The

Glass Managerie." Also on Friday, Sept. 22. Davidson Music Center 212, 7 pm.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

Volleyball: Cal Poly Classic. UC Santa Barbara vs. Iowa State, 5 pm; Cal Poly vs. Pepperdine, 7:30 pm. On Saturday, Sept. 23, Cal Poly vs. Iowa State, 11 am; UC Santa Barbara vs. Pepperdine, 1 pm; Iowa vs. Pepperdine, 5:30 pm; Cal Poly vs. UC Santa Barbara, 7:30 pm. Mott Gym. (\$)

Men's Soccer: Cal State Northridge, Mustang Stadium, 7 pm. (\$)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

Music: David Grisman Quintet. Chumash, 8 pm. (\$)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

Reception, Exhibit and Screening: Selected Photographs by Imogen Cunningham. Through Saturday, Oct. 28. Reception from 3 to 5 pm. University Art

Gallery. The film "Portrait of Imogen" will be shown at 12:30 and 5:30 pm at the Palm Theatre in San Luis Obispo. (\$)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

Music: El Vez and the Memphis Mariachis. Theatre, 8 pm. (\$)

Position vacancies

FOUNDATION (Foundation Adm. Building, ext. 1533). All Foundation applications must be received (not just postmarked) by 5 pm of the closing date. (No faxes)

CLOSING DATE: Sept. 15

Research Assistant, \$1980-\$2575/month.

Program Assistant, \$1980-\$2575/month, Irrigation Training and Research Center.

REVISED ACADEMIC CALENDAR 1995-96

FALL QUARTER 1995

Sept. 11	Monday	Beginning of Fall Quarter (faculty only)
Sept. 18	Monday	Fall Quarter Classes Begin
Sept. 29	Friday	End of second week of instruction Last day to drop a class
Oct. 2	Monday	Last day to add a class Last day to register late and pay late registration fee
Oct. 6	Friday	End of third week of instruction - census date
Nov. 3	Friday	End of seventh week of instruction
Nov. 10	Friday	Academic holiday - Veterans' Day observed
Nov. 22-26	Wed. -Sunday	Academic holiday - Thanksgiving
Dec. 1	Friday	Last day of classes
Dec. 4-8	Monday-Friday	Final examination period
Dec. 9	Saturday	Mid-year Commencement End of Fall Quarter
Dec. 10-Jan. 1	Sunday-Monday	Academic holiday

WINTER QUARTER 1996

Jan. 2	Tuesday	Beginning of Winter Quarter Winter Quarter classes begin
Jan. 15	Monday	Academic Holiday - Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday observance
Jan. 16	Tuesday	End of second week of instruction Last day to drop a class
Jan. 17	Wed.	Last day to add a class Last day to register late and pay late registration fee

Jan. 23	Tuesday	End of third week of instruction - census date
Feb. 20	Tuesday	End of seventh week of instruction
March 7	Thursday	Last day of classes
March 8	Friday	Student Reading Day (no classes)
March 11-15	Monday-Friday	Final Examination Period
March 15	Friday	End Of Winter Quarter
March 16-24	Saturday-Sunday	Academic holiday

SPRING QUARTER 1996

March 25	Monday	Beginning of Spring Quarter Spring Quarter classes begin
April 5	Friday	End of second week of instruction Last day to drop a class
April 8	Monday	Last Day To Add A Class Last Day To Register Late And Pay Late Registration Fee
April 12	Friday	End of third week of instruction - census date
May 10	Friday	End of seventh week of instruction
May 27	Monday	Academic holiday - Memorial Day
May 30	Thursday	Last day of classes
May 31	Friday	Student Reading Day (no classes)
June 3-7	Monday-Friday	Final examination period
June 8	Saturday	Commencement End of Spring Quarter End of University Year (Faculty Only)