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Schematic plans for 3 facilities approved

The California State University board of trustees has approved schematic plans for three Cal Poly facilities.

One project is the remodel and addition to the Business Administration and Education Building. The \$15 million effort would include modernizing the existing building, and constructing a four-story addition.

The new Dairy Science Instruction Center would replace a facility that is 25 years old. Many of the existing units were built in the 1930s, and moved to the current site in 1953. The project would cost nearly \$4 million.

The Faculty Office complex would be built adjacent to the Science Building, and is the first in a series of new and remodeling projects to ultimately eliminate multiple station faculty offices. The project would cost more than \$3 million.

Community service awards available

The Center for Practical Politics and the Student Life and Activities department have announced the 1987-88 Community Service Awards. Students who are interested in developing and implementing projects designed to meet human needs in the community are eligible for student awards ranging from \$500 to \$1000. As many as 20 such awards will be made.

If you know students who would be interested, please direct them to Dianne Long (FOB 11N, ext. 2957) or Sam Lutrin (UU 217, ext. 2476).

Only upper division or graduate students with cumulative GPAs of at least 2.5 will be eligible. Applicants also must be currently enrolled in a regular Cal Poly program and must be willing to commit community service effort during Winter and/or Spring Quarters, 1988. The deadline for applying is Nov. 30.

Projects funded by the Community Services Awards program last year included computerizing the county Alcohol Services program; conducting a child care needs assessment and creating a data base of information on AIDs in San Luis Obispo County. The goals of the program are to encourage students to get involved with the community and to employ their knowledge, skills and energy in helping others.

Board elects Wilson

Dr. Malcolm W. Wilson, vice president for academic affairs and senior vice president, has been elected to the board of directors of the Cal Poly Foundation. He was elected to a term ending in May, 1990.

He assumed the seat on the board that was occupied by Dr. Tomlinson Fort Jr., the university's former provost whose term on the board ended last May.

Stephen Horn resigns

Stephen Horn, president of Cal State Long Beach since 1970, has resigned effective July 1, 1988. The 65-year-old educator will become a political science professor at the university.

University Club talk

Calvin Wilvert, Social Sciences, will make a presentation to the University Club today (Nov. 19) at noon in the Staff Dining Room. He will discuss what man has done to handle flood control in use and reuse in the North Sea area as well as the river Thames.

Turkey Trot Fun Run

Everyone who runs for fun is invited to enter Cal Poly's sixth annual Turkey Trot Fun Run today (Nov. 19) at 4:15 pm. The fee for the race is one can of food or \$1, which will be donated to charity. The 2.3-mile course will begin in front of the Physical Education Building and wind through Poly Canyon. Prizes will be awarded in both men's and women's divisions. For more information call Rec Sports, ext. 1366.

Canned goods to be collected on Nov. 21

Members of the Student Senate will collect canned goods at the Nov. 21 football game. Marked boxes will be available at each of the gates on the College Ave. side.

All spectators are encouraged to bring food, which will be donated to individuals and families around the county who are in need of food during the holidays.

This collection is part of the campus-wide Holiday Sharing Drive, sponsored by Student Community Services. Last year more than 40 student organizations joined in and sponsored events such as food drives, toy collections, caroling, gift wrapping, and visiting the elderly.

Comedy show set for Chumash tonight

"Laugh Asylum" is coming to Cal Poly tonight (Nov. 19). Featuring comedians Dennis Franklin, Carol Louise, and Steve Breuner, the show will begin at 9 pm in Chumash Auditorium.

Franklin has played clubs extensively all over the West Coast and calls himself "a political satirist with a punch." His venues include the Holy City Zoo, Tommy T's, and the Sunshine Saloon, all in the Bay Area, and The Club in Monterey.

Louise, winner of the Country Store Comedy Hunt in Sunnyvale, has performed at the Punchline, the Holy City Zoo, and the Comedy Store in Los Angeles.

Breuner, master of ceremonies for tonight's show, also performs regularly at the Holy City Zoo, the Rose and Thistle, and Casa Carlitas in San Francisco. He is known as an up-and-coming young comedian with a refreshing view on life.

Advanced-sale tickets are \$3.75 for students and \$4.75 for the public. They can be purchased at the UU Ticket Office. Prices will be \$1 more at the door.

This evening of entertainment is sponsored by the ASI Special Events Committee.

Biblical creation theory talk topic

Bill Baker will discuss how recent major archaeological finds support the reliability of the Bible on Monday, Nov. 23, at 7 pm in Chumash Auditorium.

The former professor in the fields of Old Testament and other studies regarding the truth of Christianity at Ozark Bible College has photographed various archaeological finds which he says show the Bible to be true and accurate.

Baker has studied at the Cincinnati Bible Seminary and has participated in archaeological excavations or "digs" in the Middle

East. The former football player with the professional Cincinnati Bengals has appeared on many nationally televised talk shows, including the David Suskind show, in which he debated Madeline Murray O'Hair on the subject of Biblical creation versus evolution.

Advanced sale tickets for the program are \$1.50 for students and \$2 for adults. They are available at the UU Ticket Office and The Parable in San Luis Obispo. All tickets will be \$2 at the door.

The talk is sponsored by the ASI Speakers Forum.

Thanksgiving food service hours

Tuesday, Nov. 24

Normal schedule, except Vista Grande Cafeteria will close after lunch. Julian's will close at 5 pm.

Wednesday, Nov. 25

VG Restaurant 11 am - 8 pm
Burger Bar 9 am - 5 pm
Campus Store 6:30 am - 5 pm
Staff Dining Room . . . 7 am - 2 pm

Thursday, Nov. 26

VG Restaurant 11 am - 6 pm

Friday & Saturday, Nov. 27 & 28

VG Restaurant 11 am - 8 pm

Sunday, Nov. 29

VG Restaurant 9 am - 8 pm
Campus Store 9 am - 10 pm

Alaska Alliance talk

Anita Burke, executive director of the Alaska Alliance, Anchorage, will be addressing the Natural Resources Management class in Environmental Assessment on the subject of oil developments in caribou ranges of Northern Alaska on Monday, Nov. 30. The Alliance is a consortium of industries and organizations concerned with responsible development of Alaska's natural resources. Visitors are welcome. The program will be from 8-11 am in UU 220.

Poet Robert Bly will present reading, talk

Robert Bly, one of the country's leading poets, will be at Cal Poly on Dec. 2 and 3 as part of the '87-88 Arts and Humanities Series.

He will offer a poetry reading on Wednesday, Dec. 2 at 7 pm in UU 204 and he will discuss "Freedom" on Thursday, Dec. 3, at 11 am in UU 220. Sponsored by the School of Liberal Arts, the theme for this year's lecture series is "Freedom and the Constitution."

A native of Minnesota, Bly began his undergraduate career at St. Olaf, and completed his degree at Harvard in 1950. He then turned his back on a promising academic career and chose to live by himself, first in a cabin in the Minnesota woods, and then in a life of self-imposed poverty and discipline in New York.

In 1956 he enrolled in the Writers Workshop at the University of Iowa, where he earned a master's degree. Armed with a Fulbright grant, he went to Norway to trace his ancestral roots. While in Europe he discovered such famed poets as Pablo Neruda, Gunnar Ekelof, and George Trakl.

Two years later, after returning to his Minnesota farm, he founded a magazine of "poetry and general opinion." In 1966 he helped found American Writers Against the Vietnam War.

Upon winning a National Book Award in 1968 he donated the prize money to the resistance for draft counseling. The 60-year-old poet has published a number of books of poetry; translated others works; and written books of criticism.

Most recently he has published "A Little Book on the Human Shadow," and "Selected Poems." He has also received an award from the National Institute for Arts and Letters. Also, he has been an Amy Lowell fellow, a Guggenheim fellow, and a Rockefeller Foundation fellow.

Ethics in Genetic Research' talk topic

"The Ethical Limits of Genetic Inquiry" will be discussed by Philosophy Prof. Laurence Houlgate in a lecture on Tuesday, Nov. 24, at the university.

The lecture is scheduled for 11 am in Room 215 of the Science North Bldg. It is the third and final in a series of lectures on "Bioethics in the Life Sciences" sponsored by the Biological Sciences Dept.

Houlgate will review some of the most recent contributions philosophers have made in the debate on moral questions arising from research in genetics — questions such as what limits, if any, should be imposed on the acquisition of new genetic knowledge, and how that knowledge should be used.

Next spring, Houlgate is to teach a course in biomedical ethics. He also is a consultant to the Bioethics Committee at Atascadero State Hospital.

Additional members

The following individuals have been appointed to university standing committees since we published memberships last September:

Wesley Wells, Academic Planning Committee; Gentry Long, Andrea Sesto, Patrick Zuchelli, Linda Flintzer, Steve Soe, Athletic Advisory Commission; Steve Kundich, Shirley Sparling, Campus Planning Committee; Joe Seither, Helen Gwosden, Commencement Committee; Margaret Boggs, Robin Arsenault, Commencement Speaker Screening Committee; Jennifer Taggart, Instructional Advisory Committee on Computing; Tina Ramos, Karen McCormick, Chris Lowe, El Corral Bookstore Advisory Committee.

Also, Wade Menezes, Helen Chao, Elizabeth Ryan, Energy Conservation Committee; Kenneth Betita, Michelle Adams, Equal Op-

portunity Advisory Council; J. Kent Butler, Extended Education Committee; Dottie Kopec, Tom Hobby, Facilities Use Committee; Alan Cushman, Laura Blay, Foundation Food Service Advisory Committee; Vivinne Gerard, Graduate Studies Committee; Leslie Reinstra, Liberal Studies Committee; Dwayne Kulm, Rita Rich, Clarence Gray, Kim McGrew, Edwin Shull, Celina Penalba, Public Safety Advisory Committee; Eugene Martinez, Student Affairs Council; and Joe Kennedy, Kim Norup, Eric Baysinger, James Conway, IRA Advisory Committee.

It's Our Style' theme of 1988 Poly Royal

"It's Our Style" has been chosen from among 312 entries as the theme for the 56th annual Poly Royal celebration on April 22 and 23, 1988. The winning theme was chosen by the Poly Royal Executive Board.

Roommates Vicki Schenter, a sophomore animal science major, and Christy Moser, a graduate student seeking a teaching credential, were just brainstorming one evening when they thought of the theme.

Campus clubs traditionally use the theme in exhibits and booths and also in other Poly Royal activities. The theme will be found on T-shirts, cups, hats, and other items during the annual campus open house.

Holiday CPR schedule

The publication schedule for the *Cal Poly Report* is as follows: Thursday, Dec. 3; and Thursday, Dec. 10. The *Report* will not be published during Thanksgiving Week (Nov. 26). The first issue of the Winter Quarter will be Thursday, Jan. 7. The copy deadline is the Thursday preceding the publication date.

Foundation board to meet Dec. 11

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Foundation board of directors will be Friday, Dec. 11, at 9 am in Admin. 409. This is a public meeting. For further information about this meeting or to obtain a copy of the meeting agenda, contact Al Amaral (executive director, Cal Poly Foundation) at ext. 1131. A copy of the agenda packet is available for public review at the Kennedy Library Reserve Desk (Room 114) and at the Academic Senate Office in FOB 25H.

Dateline....

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19

University Club: Cal Wilvert, Social Sciences, "Flood Protection and Land Reclamation in Britain and The Netherlands," Staff Dining Room, noon.

Student Piano Recitals: 218 Music Building, 11 am.

Musical: "Anything Goes" by Cole Porter, Theatre, 8 pm. (\$) Also, Friday and Saturday.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20

Lecture: Dr. Jeffrey Wadsworth, "Damascus Swords — History, Myths and Metallurgy," Science B-5, 11 am.

Hall of Fame: Embassy Suites Hotel, 6 pm. (\$)

Women's Basketball: UC Davis, 7:30 pm. (\$)

ASI Film: "Lethal Weapon," Chumash, 7 & 9:30 pm. (\$)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21

Football: Santa Clara, Mustang Stadium, 7 pm. (\$)

Men's Swimming: Cal State Bakersfield, Outdoor Pool, 1 pm.

Women's Swimming: San Jose State, Outdoor Pool, 1 pm.

ASI Film: "Lethal Weapon," Chumash, 7 & 9:30 pm. (\$)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22

Women's Basketball: Sacramento State, Main Gym, 4 pm. (\$)

Foreign Film: "Sugar Baby," Chumash, 7 pm. (\$)

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24

Computers at Noon: Ray Macias, Procurement and Support Services, "Automating the Purchase Order," Staff Dining Room, noon.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25

Holiday for academic year employees.

Men's Basketball: St. Mary's (Minn.), Main Gym, 8 pm. (\$)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Foreign Film: "A Love in Germany," Chumash, 7 pm. (\$)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2

Poetry Reading: Robert Bly, UU 204, 7 pm.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3

Humanities Lecture: Poet Robert Bly, "Freedom," UU 220, 11 am.

University Club: Holiday Music Program, "Cal Poly Madrigal Jazz Ensemble, Staff Dining Room, noon.

Student Recitals: Rm. 218 Davidson Building, 11 am.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4

Men's Basketball: Tip-off Holiday Classic, Main Gym, 7 & 9 pm. (\$)

Choral Concert: "A Christmas Celebration," United Methodist Church, San Luis Obispo, 8 pm. (\$) Also, Saturday.

Position Vacancies

Vacant staff positions at Cal Poly and the Cal Poly Foundation are announced in this column and are posted outside the respective offices. Contact those offices (State: Adm. 110, 805-756-2236) — Foundation: mobile unit near the Fire Department (805-756-1121) for applications and additional position details. Both Cal Poly and the Foundation are subject to all laws governing affirmative action and equal employment opportunity. Cal Poly hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. All eligible and interested persons are encouraged to apply.

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CLOSING DATE: 12-2-87, 5 pm

Building Maintenance Worker, \$1912-\$2092/month, 7 month temporary through 6-30-87, Carpet Maintenance Worker, Housing & Conf. Services.

Payroll Technician Trainee, \$1290-\$1400/month, Payroll Services Office.

CLOSING DATE: 12-16-87, 5 pm

Administrator I, \$2516-\$3073/month, Manager, Housing Facilities & Services.

Who, What Where When

Carl Lutrin, *Political Science*, delivered a paper, "Political Penetration of Federal Organizations: Accountability in the Reagan Administration," co-authored with Richard Ryan (San Diego State-California), at the Western American Society for Public Administration meetings in San Diego.

Rolf E. Rogers, Eldon Y. Li, and Abraham B. Shani, all *Management*, have published an article, "Perceptions of Organizational Stress Among U.S. Military Officers in Germany: An Exploratory Study," in the current issue of the *Journal of Group and Organization Studies*.

Starr Jenkins, *English*, has had a book review accepted by *Western American Literature*, quarterly journal of the Western Literature Association, published in Logan, Utah. The book reviewed is *Last of the Breed* by Louis L'mour, a modern western set in Siberia. The editors expect to publish the review in May 1988.

Mark Shelton, *Crop Science*, presented a seminar "Insect Growth Regulators: Uses and Modes of Action" to the Central Valley Chapter of the California Agricultural Production Consultants Association in Merced.

J.S. Halcomb, *Crop Science*, and Cal Poly alumnus, T.F. Dullam, Plant Tissue International, have arranged a cooperative alliance to investigate field comparisons of tissue-cultured and traditional artichoke propagules through Crop Science Dept. senior projects. The projected date of the first planting is March 1988.

John H. Harris, *Natural Resources Management*, had an article, "The Active Service Professional," printed in the Fall 1987 issue of *California Parks and Recreation*.

Charles M. Burt, Robert E. Walker and John Merriam, *Ag Engineering*, took part in the American Society of Civil Engineers Irrigation and Drainage Division annual summer conference in Portland. The conference, consisting of 36 invited papers, was on the specific subject of irrigation system automation for flexi-

ble on-farm water deliveries. The three Cal Poly participants presented papers. Burt and Merriam were session chairmen and members of the task committee that organized the symposium.

John Merriam, *Ag Engineering*, was one of three invited speakers to a three-day conference sponsored by the World Bank for Egyptian government irrigation personnel and administrators. The conference, held in Cairo last June, was on the subject of flexible water delivery schedules and irrigation sociological problems. Merriam also spent several days reviewing water delivery programs with Sir Murdock McDonald, a British engineer who is advisor to the Egyptian government.

Wayne Pounds, *English*, presented a paper on "Rhetoric's Iron Cage: Nathaniel Hawthorne and Samuel Newman" at the Rocky Mountain Modern Language Association in Spokane. He also presented a paper, "Enchi Fumiko and Japanese Ghosts," at the Western Kentucky University Conference on Women's Studies in Bowling Green, Ky.

Gerald L. Smith, *Landscape Architecture*, was a visiting lecturer at Utah State University. While there he presented lectures on "Landscape Design Traditions in Japan;" "Future Directions in the Marketplace;" and "The Role of Water Systems Analysis in Landscape Design."

Anthony Knable, *Biological Sciences*, has been appointed by the president of the American Fisheries Society to a three-year appointment as a member of the Board of Professional Certification.

Mike Swiderski, *Physical Education/Recreation Administration*, published a paper, "Soft and Conceptual Skills: The Often Overlooked Components of Outdoor Leadership," in *Bradford Papers Annual*, vol. 2.7

Gloria Velasquez-Trevino, *Foreign Languages*, was one of nine alumni honored by the University of Northern Colorado. She received the "Trail Blazer" award for her knowledge of Spanish to help others.

Ahmed Zayed, *Mathematics*, while on sabbatical in 1986-87, presented papers at international conferences in Vancouver, British Columbia; Berkeley; Segovia, Spain; Cairo, Egypt; Durovnik, Yugoslavia; and Aachen, West Germany, Belgium, the Netherlands, Egypt, Sweden, and Norway.