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The Outstanding Staff of 1982: Barbara Lund, Records Office; Norman Johnson, Audiovisual Services; and Larry Grimes, Biological Sciences.

Surplus equipment available

Department technicians may inspect surplus equipment available for transfer to their department before the next surplus sale. The inspection dates are Oct. 3-7 and Oct. 10-14, 8 am to 3:30 pm (closed noon to 12:30 pm). Friday, Oct. 7, is the last day. Warehouse personnel will pick up available equipment from departments for inspection (no exceptions).

Equipment will be transferred on a first-come basis to the requesting department's inventory. The department is responsible for moving the equipment. No furniture is available for transfer.

Remaining items will be sold at the surplus sale Oct. 24.

Plus/minus grading delay

The systemwide Student Information Management System computer program (SIMS), which was to have been operational this fall, has been delayed. Installation of SIMS is necessary for Cal Poly to initiate plus/minus grading.

Faculty and staff will be advised as soon as a definite implementation date for plus/minus grading is known.

New associate dean for Engineering and Technology

Gustav N. Wassel, a member of the Electronic and Electrical Engineering Department faculty for the past three years, has begun his new assignment as associate dean of Cal Poly's School of Engineering and Technology.

He succeeds William F. Horton, who is serving as acting dean of the school while a search for a permanent dean is conducted.

Wassel formerly taught at Cal Poly Pomona and University of California, Irvine, and was an engineer with Burroughs Corp. and Consolidated System Corp.

Library Associates plan Fall Banquet

Patricia Holt, book editor of the San Francisco Chronicle, will be the guest speaker at the annual Fall Banquet of the Library Associates.

The banquet will be held Sept. 30 at William Randolph's Restaurant. Miss Holt's topic will be "Contemporary Western Authors." The 7 pm dinner will be preceded by a social hour beginning at 6 pm.

Tickets are \$12 per person and must be reserved in advance. Newcomers are welcome. Membership in the Library Associates is open to anyone interested in enhancing the work of the Robert E. Kennedy Library.

Other activities planned by the Library Associates for the 1983-84 academic year include:

- Nov. 4: Ethel Cooley will be featured in "Working with the Jack House: Historic Preservation in San Luis Obispo."
- Jan. 22: William Beatty of Menlo Park will discuss "Handmade Papers of the World."
- March 4: Natalie Sylvester of Cambria will present "My Experience with Writing, Illustrating and Publishing Books in 30 Minutes."
- April 14: The fifth annual Library Associates Book Sale.
- May 12: A trip to the Henry E. Huntington Library, Art Gallery and Botanical Gardens in San Marino.

Information about the banquet or membership in the Library Associates can be obtained by calling the university library at ext. 2305 or ext. 2344.

1984 is upon us

Randall Murray, department head, Journalism, will open the 13th annual Arts and Humanities Lecture Series with "News and Information Control: How Near is '1984'?"

The Oct. 6 talk, at 11 am in Room 220 of the University Union, is free and the general public is welcome. Theme for the lecture series is "George Orwell's '1984': Fantasy or Prophecy?"

Dateline

(\\$) - Admission Charged
(!) - Admission Free

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

Speaker: Gary Dwyer (Landscape Architecture) will give a presentation titled "Vache/Isle de Vassiviere - The New French Work of Gary Dwyer." He will discuss his summer in France participating in a Symposium of Sculpture. Architecture Gallery, 8 pm. Sponsored by the Landscape Architecture Dept. Public invited. (!)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

Payday for faculty and staff.

Film: "48 Hours." Chumash Auditorium, 7 and 9:30 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Men's Soccer: Chapman College. Mustang Stadium, 7:30 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Women's Volleyball: Pepperdine University. Main Gym, 7:30 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Dance: Benefit for the Fund for Medical Relief to El Salvador and other Central America relief organizations. Shady Grove restaurant, 1011 Higuera, SLO, 9 pm - 1 am. Sponsored by the Association for Central American Study and Solidarity (CASAS). Tickets available at the door or from CASAS members. (\$)

Craft Classes: Openings still available in stained glass, basket weaving, ceramics, bicycle repair and photography. Faculty, staff and students invited. For more information, contact the Craft Center in the University Union. (\$)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1

Women's Volleyball: University of Southern California. Main Gym, 7:30 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Raft Trip: On a ranch in Monterey, continuing through Oct. 2. Sponsored by ASI Outings. Faculty, staff and students invited. For more information, contact the Escape Route in the University Union. (\$)

MONDAY, OCTOBER 3

Last day to file application for registration fee refund (Fall Quarter).

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4

Men's Soccer: CSU Northridge. Mustang Stadium, 7:30 pm. Public invited. (\$)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5

French Table: Anyone interested in gathering for lunch and conversing in French is invited to join Christine Marchant. Sandwich Plant, noon. Faculty, staff and students invited. (!)

Film: "Fiddler on the Roof." Chumash Auditorium, 6 and 9:45 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Position Vacancies

Candidates for positions on the faculty of the university are presently being sought, according to Michael H. Suess, acting director of personnel and employee relations. Those interested in learning more about the positions are invited to contact the appropriate dean or department head. This University is subject to all laws governing Affirmative Action and equal employment opportunity including but not limited to Executive Order 11246 and Title IX of the Education Amendments Act and the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. All interested persons are encouraged to apply.

CLOSING DATE: 12-6-83

Department Head, salary commensurate with qualifications and experience, English. Position to be filled by June or September 1984. Doctorate in an appropriate discipline. Distinguished record in lower and upper division teaching. Extensive experience in faculty relations, program development, academic governance and long-range planning. Scholarly or professional achievement. Expected to carry part-time teaching load. Applications should be sent to Dr. Jon M. Ericson, Dean, School of Communicative Arts and Humanities.



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In The Office

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6

Breakfast: October meeting of the 1983-84 Business Leaders Breakfast series featuring speaker Dave Garth, executive director of the San Luis Obispo Chamber of Commerce. Topic: "What's Happening in Business on the Central Coast?" Vista Grande Dining Room, 7:30 - 9 am. Sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and Cal Poly's School of Business and Extension Office. Reservations required; call Extension (x2053). (\$)

Speaker: Randall Murray (Journalism) will discuss "News and Information Control: How Near is 1984?" UU 220, 11 am. Part of the 1983-84 Arts and Humanities Lecture Series. Theme for Fall Quarter: "George Orwell's 1984: Fantasy or Prophecy?" Public invited. (!)

University Club: John McKinstry (Social Sciences) will present a program on Japan. Staff Dining Room, noon. Faculty and staff invited. (!)

Vacant staff positions at Cal Poly University and the Cal Poly Foundation are announced in this column and are posted outside the respective offices. Contact those offices (State: Adm. 110, 805-546-2236—Foundation: University Dining Complex, 805-546-1121) for applications and additional position details. Both Cal Poly and the Foundation are subject to all laws governing affirmative action and equal employment opportunity. All interested persons are encouraged to apply.

CLOSING DATE: 10-6-83

Assistant Cook, \$4.67-5.60/hour, Food Services, Foundation. Two positions, full-time, summers off.

Alumni Publications Coordinator, \$1502-1805/month, Alumni Services, Foundation.

CLOSING DATE: 10-10-83

Dishwasher, \$4.07-4.93/hour, Two positions, full-time, summers off. Food Services, Foundation.

CLOSING DATE: 10-14-83

Clerical Assistant III-B, \$1215-1439/month. Dean of Students Office.

Clerical Assistant II-B, \$1087-1283/month. School of Business.

Clerical Assistant II-B, \$543.50-641.50/month, half-time, Management Information Systems Office, Admissions and Records.

Clerical Assistant II-A, \$1031-1215/month, Aeronautical and Mechanical Engineering.

Lead Groundsworker, \$1396-1669/month, Plant Operations.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7

Film: "Officer and a Gentleman." Chumash Auditorium, 7 and 9:45 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Women's Volleyball: University of the Pacific. Main Gym, 7:30 pm. Public invited. (\$)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8

Football: UC Davis. Mustang Stadium, 1 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Women's Volleyball: UC Berkeley. Main Gym, 5:30 pm. Public invited. (\$)

MONDAY, OCTOBER 10

Census date for Fall Quarter. Also, last day to withdraw from classes without a petition; last day to file to take a course for credit/no credit; last day to petition to change from credit to audit; last day to obtain approval to carry more than 20 units.

Film: "The Man in the Iron Mask." Mustang Lounge, 7:30 pm. Public invited. (!)