CSU Chancellor, astronaut set for conference

A conference designed to encourage young women to expand their professional expectations and options will be offered at Cal Poly on Saturday, March 1.

Called "Step Into the Future," the day-long conference provides special programs for young women in junior high school, high school and community colleges as well as parents, teachers and counselors.

Highlights include a keynote address by NASA Astronaut M. Rhea Seddon; a luncheon address for parents, teachers and counselors by California State University Chancellor W. Ann Reynolds; and workshops, presentations, and tours of Cal Poly facilities.

Dr. Seddon, who is also a surgeon, will speak about her roles as astronaut, physician, wife, and mother of a three-year old son. (She is the wife of Cal Poly alum and Astronaut Robert "Hoot" Gibson.)

Her keynote presentation will include pictures of her 1985 space shuttle Discovery mission, in which she was the first woman to work outside the shuttle in space.

Junior high school participants will have the opportunity to take part in workshops in computer science, chemistry, biology, graphic design, the performing arts, and engineering as well as other fields.

Senior high school students will have their choice of presentations by professional women including doctors, attorneys, engineers, educators, veterinarians, criminologists, fashion merchandisers, managers, business women, and others, who will talk about their careers, the decisions leading to their career choices, and the education, background and personality required. More than 50 career fields will be represented.

Additionally, there will be tours led by Cal Poly students through many of the specialized facilities on campus. Registration fees are $10 per person. Community college students will attend the lunch with Chancellor Reynolds. Junior and senior high school students will receive a conference T-shirt, a sack lunch with Cal Poly students, and all conference materials.

For further information or registration materials, please contact Shel Ann Burrell, Placement Center, ext. 2501, or Carole Moore, Counseling Center, ext. 2511.

National Women's Week Observed

Cal Poly's observance of national Women's Week, Feb. 24 to March 1, will explore "Filling in the Pieces: Women's Studies in the University."

Over 30 speakers and panelists from the university community will discuss various aspects of the lives and history of women and how they affect university study. Speakers will be focusing on such topics as:

✓ The Woman in Education: educational environments, women's studies, language.
✓ The Woman in Culture: future challenges, women in history.
✓ The Woman in Creativity: literature, film, photography, artistic tributes.
✓ The Woman in Politics: women's rights, political socialization.
✓ The Woman in the Professional Field: the professional world, engineering.

A complete list of programs can be obtained at the Information Desk in the University Union or by calling the Student Life and Activities Center, ext. 2476.

Candidates sought by Academic Senate committee

President Baker has requested the Academic Senate Elections Committee conduct an election for the purposes of selecting individuals to serve on a consultative committee to recommend candidates for the Vice President for Information Systems position.

Four members of the tenured faculty, with no more than one from any one school, need to be elected by the faculty and librarians. One academic member representing the Professional Consultative Services also needs to be elected by academic employees from the appropriate areas.

At this time the elections committee is soliciting nominations for those interested in serving on the committee. Nominations will close at 5 pm on Thursday, Feb. 27, with the campus-wide election occurring the week of March 3-7. Those wishing to be nominated need to submit a petition signed by 10 tenured faculty members. The petitions are available from the Academic Senate Office (FOB 25H). Individuals interested in serving on this committee should submit their signed petitions to Bill Kellogg, Elections Committee chairman, c/o Agricultural Education Department.

It is hoped that the committee will begin reviewing applications by March 31. Those interested in serving on the committee should consider the possibility that some committee deliberations and interviews may take place during academic holidays or Summer Quarter.
Library Associates plan weekend Sacramento trip

A weekend in Sacramento for Saturday, March 15, and Sunday, March 16, is being planned by The Library Associates, a support group for the Robert E. Kennedy Library. The current exhibition at the California State Railroad Museum, and Old Sacramento. The cost of the weekend includes lunch upon arrival in Sacramento, transportation, accommodations (double occupancy), museum fees, dinner during the return trip Sunday evening, and refreshments while traveling.

An optional group dinner on Saturday evening is available at $15 per person. Single room occupancy is an additional $40. The group expects to return to the Cal Poly campus by 10 pm Sunday.

For additional information on the trip, please call Mary Weaver in the Special Collections Department at ext. 2305.

Vinnie Burrows will present one-woman show

Actress, writer, and producer Vinnie Burrows will be at Cal Poly on Monday, Feb. 24, to present her one-woman show, "Sister! Sister!"

The program, part of the university's celebration of both Black History Month and Women's Week, documents women's struggles and celebrates women's joys. It will start at 7:30 pm in Chumash Auditorium.

Advance tickets for the Feb. 24 performance are $3.50 for students, $4.50 for adults. They are on sale at the UU Ticket Office on campus and at Cheap Thrills and Boo Boo Records in San Luis Obispo. Tickets will cost 50 cents more at the door.

The Cal Poly presentation of "Sister! Sister!" is sponsored by the ASI Speaker's Forum in coordination with the Black History Month and Women's Week Committees.

Fresk Quartet to play Monday

The Cal Poly Center for the Arts and M.A.Y. (Music and Arts for Youth) will present the internationally acclaimed Fresk Quartet on Monday, Feb. 24, at 8 pm in the Cal Poly Theatre.

Participating in the concert will be guest artist Janet Adolphson, Swedish-American pianist who is highly acclaimed on the national and international scene. Special guest artist will be Clifton Swanson, head of the Cal Poly Music Department and former conductor of the San Luis Obispo County Symphony. The program will include: Beethoven's Septet in E, op. 20; Schumann's Quintet in E, op. 44; and Dvorak's String Quartet in F, op. 96 ("The American").

Tickets for the Fresk Quartet concert are $5 to $15 and may be reserved by calling the Cal Poly Theatre Ticket Office, ext. 1421, between 10 am and 4 pm on weekdays.

Princeton poet to speak here Feb. 26 and 27

Sandra Gilbert, poet, Princeton professor, co-editor of "The Norton Anthology of Literature by Women" (1985), and co-author of "Madwoman in the Attic," will visit Cal Poly on Feb. 26 and 27 to help celebrate Women's Week and Communicative Arts and Humanities Week.

Her first talk will be on Wednesday, Feb. 26, at 7 pm in San Luis Lounge. She will speak again at 11 am on Thursday, Feb. 27, in UU 220.

Gilbert's appearances are sponsored by the university's Women's Week Committee and the Student Council of the School of Communicative Arts and Humanities.

Zany comedy opens tonight

"The Secret Affairs of Mildred Wild," a zany comedy that depicts how the movies have affected one woman's life, will be the second play of the 1985-86 theater season at Cal Poly. Performances are scheduled tonight, Friday, and Saturday, Feb. 20, 21, and 22, at 8 pm in the Cal Poly Theatre.

The play, written by Paul Zindel, opened on Broadway in the fall of 1972 with Maureen Stapleton, for whom Zindel had written the play.

Reserved-seat tickets for the Cal Poly production are $5. They may be purchased at the UU Ticket Office. Reservations may be made by calling the Cal Poly Theatre Ticket Office, ext. 1421, between 10 am and 4 pm on weekdays. Tickets will also be available at the door one hour before the performances.
Poly Royal queen chosen for 1986

Karyn Scheuber, a 24-year-old ag management major from Ceres, has been selected as queen of the 1986 Poly Royal. Scheuber and four attendants were chosen in a pageant held last week. Scheuber was sponsored by the campus chapter of the National Agri-Marketing Association.

The new queen of Poly Royal will represent Cal Poly students at various local and statewide functions to promote the university and Poly Royal, which will be held this year on Friday and Saturday, April 25 and 26.

Scheuber, a senior, was California Dairy Princess last year for the California Milk Advisory Board and assisted with promotion of dairy products. She is a member of Alpha Zeta, the honorary society for agriculture students, and the Ag Business Management Club.

First runner-up princess is Edith Hernandez of San Bruno, a junior majoring in ag management. She was sponsored by the Boots and Spurs Club.

The other princesses for the 1986 Poly Royal are:

★ Tracy Lynne Straw of Costa Mesa, a junior speech communication major who was sponsored by Alpha Chi Omega sorority.
★ Debbie Francis, Fountain Valley, junior, ag science, Veterinary Science Club.
★ Kelly Allyson Moore, Lancaster, junior, journalism, Zeta Tau Alpha sorority.

This year’s Poly Royal theme is “We Envision...”

DMV establishes amnesty program

The Department of Motor Vehicles has established a License Plate Renewal Amnesty Program. It cancels penalties on unpaid vehicle license plate fees which were due before March 1, 1985, provided all fees are paid before the amnesty period ends on March 31, 1986.

Law enforcement personnel may impound a vehicle whose owner is more than one year behind in paying registration fees. In addition, DMV officials can seize and sell a vehicle to collect unpaid registration fees.

Gumby and friend will appear Feb. 26 and 27

Gumby’s back and Cal Poly has him (or will have him for two days in late February). Fans of the clay-figure character that grew from “a little green slab of clay” to the newest cult hero of thousands of college students and baby-boomers will be able to spend an evening with Gumby and Art Clokey, his creator, on Wednesday, Feb. 26, and Thursday, Feb. 27.

Both scheduled for 6 pm in the Cal Poly Theatre and billed as “SLO’s Gumby Extravaganza,” the programs will feature Clokey’s observations on the adventures of Gumby and his pony pal, Pokey. They will be liberally spiced with film clips of several of the more famous episodes from the cartoon series.

Gumby is the cartoon character remembered by those who grew up during the late 1950s and 1960s and spent Saturday mornings watching his adventures on television.

He is an outgrowth of “Gumbasia,” a film Clokey produced while studying motion picture making at University of Southern California. One of the early experiments in tridimensional animation utilizing clay, it involved form moving to the rhythm of jazz music.

Tickets for the presentations are priced at $4 for adults, $3.50 for students and senior adults, and $2.50 for children under 12 years of age.

They are on sale at the UU Ticket Office and at Boo Boo Records in downtown San Luis Obispo. They will not be available at the door either evening.

Both programs are sponsored by the Cal Poly Association of Environmental Professionals, Ornamental Horticulture Club, and Students for Social Responsibility. Profits from the performances will benefit the activities funds of those organizations.

Women’s Week

In keeping with university policy, employees wishing to attend any segment of Women’s Week activities conducted during normal work hours must first obtain supervisory approval. Those employees with prior supervisory approval are not required to make up the time. Consistent with work-load, supervisors are encouraged to provide as much opportunity as possible for interested employees to attend. If you have any questions, please contact Bob Negranti, staff personnel officer, ext. 2236.
Choruses plan Home Concert

The Cal Poly Women’s Chorus and Men’s Chorus, conducted by Dr. Thomas Davies, will be giving their 48th annual Home Concert on Sunday, Feb. 23, at 8 pm in the Cal Poly Theatre.

The concert will follow the ensembles’ combined tour of Northern California, which will include concerts in Danville, Petaluma, Salinas, Fremont, Yuba City, and Marysville.

Programmed for the Women’s Chorus is “Ave Maria” by Tomas Luis de Vittoria, “Choral Hymn from the Rig Veda” by Gustav Holst, and folksongs by Vaughn Williams and Shumann.

The Men’s Chorus will present “Cantique de Jean Racine” by Gabriel Faure, and “The God Who Gave Us Life” from ‘The Testament of Freedom’ by Randall Thompson. Both ensembles will also include spirituals and barbershop singing in their programs.

Tickets for the Home Concert are $4 for the public and $2 for students. They are on sale at the UU Ticket Office or in downtown San Luis Obispo at Boo Boo Records and Cheap Thrills. Reservations can be made by calling ext. 1421 between 10 am and 4 pm on weekdays.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21
Baseball: Cal State Hayward, SLO Stadium, 2:30 pm. ($)
Speaker: John Sumner (PG&E) will discuss “Diablo Canyon, An Energy Update.” Architecture Building, Room 226, 10 am. (!)
Banquet: Annual banquet will cap Engineering Week, with guest speaker and awards to outstanding graduating seniors in engineering programs. Madonna Inn Garden Room, 6 pm no-host cocktails, 7 pm dinner. ($)
Men’s Basketball: Cal State Los Angeles, Main Gym, 7:30 pm. ($)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22
Deep Sea Fishing: Cast your lines out for some good fishing and maybe even catch sight of some whales out of Morro Bay. Sponsored by ASI Outings. Details in the Escape Route, UU 112, or call ext. 1287. ($)
Men’s Tennis: Saddleback Junior College, tennis courts, 9 am. (!)
Baseball: Cal State Hayward, SLO Stadium, noon. ($)
Men’s Tennis: Cal Poly Pomona, tennis courts, 1 pm. (!)
Women’s Tennis: Cal State Los Angeles, tennis courts, 1 pm. (!)
Women’s Basketball: UC Riverside, Main Gym, 5:45 pm. ($)
Sports Auction: Cal Poly Scuba Club will hold a sports auction in UU 220. Preview at 6:30 pm, bidding soon after. (!)
Men’s Basketball: Cal State Northridge, Main Gym, 8 pm. ($)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23
Concert: Cal Poly Men’s and Women’s Choruses will perform at the annual Home Concert. Theatre, 8 pm. ($)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24
Women’s Week: Pick up schedule of events at UU Information Desk or call ext. 2476. Continues through March 1...
Speaker: Christopher Benton will discuss “Daylighting: Present Trends in Application and Analysis.” Architecture Gallery, 7:30 pm. ($) One-Woman Show: Vinnie Burrows will present “Sister! Sister!” Chumash, 7:30 pm. ($)
Concert: The Fresk Quartet (Sweden) will perform. Theatre, 8 pm. ($) TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25
Women’s Basketball: Cal Poly Pomona, Main Gym, 7:30 pm. ($)
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26
Books at High Noon: Paul Huston (Library) will review “The Joint: Language and Culture in a Maximum Security Prison,” by Inez Cardozo-Freeman. Staff Dining Room, noon. (!)

Gumby Extravaganza: Art Clokey (creator of Gumby) will discuss the Gumby TV series and show film clips from the series. Continues on Thursday, Feb. 27. 6 pm. ($)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27
Speaker: Sandra Gilbert (Princeton) will present keynote address for Women’s Week. UU 220, 11 am. (!)
University Club: Harry Fierstine (School of Science and Math) will discuss “Fishing for Marlin with Shovel and Sculpel.” Staff Dining Room, noon. (!)
Speaker: John Fiske (U.S. Forest Service) will discuss herbicides and intensive forest management. Science A03, 1 pm. (!)
Women’s Tennis: Cal State Bakersfield, tennis courts, 1:30 pm. (!)

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, 805-546-2236—Foundation: mobile unit near the Fire Department (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.

State
CLOSING DATE: 3-7-86
Micrographics Technician, $1,496-$1,772/month, Enrollment Support Services/Student Data Systems.
ASI/University Union
CLOSING DATE: 3-31-86
Sports Information Director, Cover all aspects of the Cal Poly intercollegiate athletics program; write news releases; edit news releases; compile statistics; develop programs and press guides; work with media—radio, TV and newspapers to develop features on individuals and unique aspects of the program; stimulate university and community interest in intercollegiate athletics. Send resume to: Dr. Kendrick Walker, Interim Director of Athletics.

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