Student group would examine Judicial Affairs

By Victoria Walsh
MUSTANG DAILY STAFF WRITER

A series of problems has spurred Vice President of Student Affairs Juan Gonzales to agree to assemble a student task force that may improve Judicial Affairs operations.

The task force will look at the policies and procedures of Judicial Affairs and supply more student input on some issues.

Although no details have been disclosed as to how the task force will be formed or how many students will serve on it, Gonzales recognizes the need for student involvement.

"I want to take a macro-perspective of Judicial Affairs and see how they function," he said. "I want to assemble a group of students with (Associated Students Inc.) help."

ASI Vice President Sam Aborne said certain things need to be addressed, such as notification about meetings and whether a lawyer is permitted.

"A task force is a good idea," Aborne said.

ASI has been discussing the task force concept for the last two months.

Sam Aborne is an ASI Board of Directors member but has been working independently of ASI on the task force. He has discussed the issue with Gonzales based on an unspecified case currently in Judicial Affairs.

Aborne said he wants to form a group that supports all students dealing with Judicial Affairs.

"I applaud Dr. Gonzalez for taking a courageous leap with ASI and admitting that Judicial Affairs has room for improvement," Aborne said.

Ryan Pennino, a member of Programs and Services Committee, is one of ASI's leaders in the effort.

"Some recent rulings (from Judicial Affairs) weren't substantiated," he said. "There's no minimum or maximum (to the rulings). You can get nothing or be expelled from the school."

Pennino created a potential draft of the task force's structure, operations of the committee and membership.

Physics professor Ken Hoffman poses next to a seismograph on campus. Hoffman said that San Luis Obispo is located in the San Andreas fault zone and in 1927, a major earthquake hit the nearby city of Lompoc.

Cal Poly’s ground may someday shake

By Christine Powell
MUSTANG DAILY STAFF WRITER

This year marks the 17th annual California Earthquake Preparedness Month. The governor's office of Emergency Services will coordinate events in schools, homes, businesses and public agencies to increase public awareness about the proper procedures to follow before, during and after an earthquake.

April 9 to 15 is designated as School Preparedness Week.

Many students are not worried that an earthquake may hit Cal Poly. However, San Luis Obispo is located in the San Andreas fault zone.

"We do live in earthquake country, but people aren't as aware because there hasn't been as much attention drawn to the area," Cal Poly physics professor Ken Hoffman said.

In terms of danger in this area, the possibilities are unknown. However, the duration between earthquakes is long, Hoffman said.

There are many faults west of the San Andreas fault that affect San Luis Obispo. The faults are San Simon, Nacimiento, Hoyt, Santa Lucia Bank, Edna Valley and others.

The California Institute of Technology, located in Pasadena, and University of California, Berkeley serve as the seismological "stations" for northern and southern California.

"In 1927 there was a major earthquake..." see QUAKES, page 2

ASI hopefuls speak for favorite politicians

By Karin Driesen
MUSTANG DAILY STAFF WRITER

Political science juniors Aron DeFerrari and Eddie Drake took part in a mock Bush-Clinton debate at the Monday night kickoff for Liberal Arts Week in Chumash Auditorium.

The debate was sponsored by the College of Liberal Arts Student Council and was moderated by political science freshman Gera Graves.

Every year there is some kind of panel discussion, council secretary Chantel Boyens said.

"This year we were thinking we could have a panel again, but then we thought political science is a part of liberal arts too, and since it's election year and we have these two prominent personalities, it would be a good idea," Boyens said.

DeFerrari, who is an Associated Students Inc. presidential hopeful, took on the role of Republican presidential candidate and Texas Gov. George W. Bush. Drake, who is running for ASI chair of the board, portrayed Vice President Al Gore.

Boyens said they stood out as the most obvious choices for the roles.

Each candidate had 10 minutes to speak about his platform and then responded to two questions from the opponent.

Drake's "Gore" emphasized the country's current good economy and low unemployment rate but distanced himself from President Clinton.

"Allow me to be honest: I'm upset with him as well," he said of President Clinton.

He added he wants to take the country into a new era where apathy is a thing of the past.

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Facilities Services installed net to prevent nests; professor protests

A net designed to prevent birds from building nests under an overhang was installed on the west side of the Fisher Science building during spring break. The net has caused some controversy among faculty and students, because the birds have been unjustly forced out of their habitats.

"It really upset me," said assistant professor Andrew Schaffner. "I thought people should know so they can inform Facilities Services how they feel. I have a feeling when people find out, they will not like it." Facilities Services implemented the system after receiving numerous complaints about the birds taking over the west side of the Fisher Science building. The net has caused some controversy among faculty and students, because the birds have been unjustly forced out of their habitats.

"The net was installed to prevent the birds from nesting above the windows and doors," said Overman, assistant director of Facility Services. "Generally, the policy is to keep the birds nesting above a doorway, it needs to be removed. If it is not a problem, we should not remove it."

Approximately 40 to 50 nests, with two to four swallows per nest, were under the overhang. However, no nests were removed when Facilities Services installed the net, Overman said.

"The swallows are a migratory, seasonal bird," Overman said. "We put the net up before they came so they would build their nests elsewhere. The birds are a nuisance."

Some, however, feel the net has caused some controversy among faculty and students, because the birds have been unjustly forced out of their habitats. By Kimberly Tahsuda

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Dan Gonzalez Mustang Daily

Facilities Services added a net near Fisher Science building designed to prevent birds from building nests under an overhang. Some feel the birds have been forced out of their natural habitat.

"They did a nice job putting the net up, but it prevents the birds from living in their natural habitat," Schaffner said.

Overman disagrees. "It is not a natural habitat for the birds," Overman said. "It is a building. There is other habitat available for the birds in the area. By moving the birds, they will be disturbed less." Facilities Services has received both positive and negative feedback regarding the net, Overman said.

"The colony has been growing pond by pond," Overman said. "If there was only a few, it would have been a different story, but there were hundreds."

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Laptops roam free while desktops are home on the range

By Adam Jarman
MUSTANG DAILY STAFF WRITER

After determining whether to buy either a Mac or Windows-based computer, the next logical step is to determine the type of computer: laptop or desktop.

"Laptops are generally regarded as companion computers to desktops, but they are sophisticated enough to be your primary computer," according to the purchasing advice section of Merlite.com. Executives often use both a laptop and desktop — one to keep at the office and one to take on business trips or home for the weekend. However, the average user will probably not need both but will need to determine which is the wisest investment.

Rick Wilson, owner of Macservices in San Luis Obispo, said he spends a lot of time helping customers make this decision. "We will talk about the client's special needs," he said.

Wilson said that people think they need a laptop but their need indicates a desktop would be a better decision.

"Laptops are cute ... they're a neat invention," said Dan Gookin in his book "Buying Computers for Dummies." "They're not a desktop computer," Wilson said that some people probably ever cared about. Any laptop will do it for you, he said. "We will talk about the client's special needs," he said.

Wilson said that most laptops come with hard drives so large that most people will never need to replace it for a larger one. The RAM, he said, comes with a minimum amount so each user can put in what they will need.

Graphical programs will need more RAM than simple word processing programs, he said. "What the microprocessor doesn't remember much. It's like an absent-minded professor: smart and quick, but forgetful," he said. "To help the microprocessor store information, RAM or memory is used."

The features of each laptop are different, Wilson said, so it is important to make sure the user needs before buying one. For instance, not all laptops allow the use of an extra monitor. Also, different ports allow each machine to have different types of peripherals (added pieces of hardware such as scanners and printers) to be plugged in.

"New laptops can do everything," Wilson said. "By the other hand, we don't need both a laptop and desktop, an additional hard drive and cheaper to upgrade. With a laptop, you have no real decision to make."

"When using the machine at a desk, the same is true for keyboards and mice. You can plug in a full-sized monitor, keyboard and mouse, and you're got a desktop computer," Wilson said.

Laptop users are not limited to the scaled-down features of the system, but with modern advances, laptop keyboards and "trackpads" (a mouse-like device that moves the cursor as the user glides a finger over the pad) are becoming just as comfortable and easy to use as full-sized models.

Even laptop models are now coming with 14- and 15-inch monitors, making them more compatible to their full-sized counterparts. Desktop computers are often easier and cheaper to upgrade. With a desktop, an additional hard drive can be installed as well as extra internal drives, such as Zip and Jazz, which allow data to be stored on portable disks that hold many times more than the standard floppy.

Laptops are much more limited to the size. It is still very possible to upgrade the machine, but instead of adding a hard drive, it may be necessary to completely replace the existing drive.

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Renewed ASI focus is needed and possible

My friends, ever think to yourself, "What has Associated Students Inc. ever done for me?" I have sat on the Board of Directors for the past three years or two iterations of this question. Oftentimes, we wind ourselves so tightly in knots of red tape and parliamentary procedure that true student interests are lost. More often, we see real student concerns and interests being sacrificed for the sake of cynical representatives and greek status points. It makes me frustrated, but note so, it makes me sad. I see a lack of leadership, and I see a lack of real student advocacy. We are truly stuck in a never-ending circle of do-nothingness.

What little student advocacy we do work on is typically thwarted by administration officials or other university committees. We have been attempting to play the reactionary role for far too long. The university monopolizes Pepsu, and we try to react. The university implements deferred nab, and we try to react. The university takes $900,000 of our money, and we try to react. You know what all these things have in common? We reacted, yes, but NOTHING came of it.

ASI and the ASI leadership in each individual case buckled under university pressure. In the end we passed a few resolutions, saying, "Oh, please. Mr. University, don't do this to us ever again." ASI needs to start taking a proactive approach in university and student affairs — an approach where we make the first move. A new kind of thinking and a new level of respect on campus is needed where ASI is listened to first by any administrative body before decisions are made that affect students, rather than the current status quo, which is vice-verse.

My friends, don't you want to get the wrong idea. I love ASI and this school. Remember when you were a kid and your mom told you she was only yelling at you because she loved you so much? Of course, as a kid you thought, "Yeah right, Mom, thanks for the lecture and the spanking" but in this case my passion is truly genuine.

I see so many ways that ASI could better itself and be a better organization for the students of Cal Poly. We have a great corporate side and we have managed, though good budgeting to keep any possible student fee increases far off in the distance. The Rec Center is great, the Children's Center is award-winning, and we just got a bunch of new computers installed in the University Union. All of these programs are facilitated or controlled by ASI as part of our corporate obligations. But we have wondered from the path we were originally intended to follow. We are focusing too much on the corporate side of ASI and forgetting about the real core of ASI, the part that makes us who we are: you. We need to represent you and your interests. As a board of director, I am tired of this trend of apathy. I, and only a handful of other directors, have written several pieces of legislation to try to keep the board representing student concerns. But we need your help. Tell me what's on your mind. We need your help. Write me an e-mail and tell me what you want ASI to do for you. To do anything, we simply need to write a bill for it and get board approval. It's time someone within this body show a little leadership and take the, real initiatives because it seems no one else wants to step up to the plate.

Eddie Drake is a political science junior.

DeFerrari's mistake was subject to mud-slinging Editor,

I was really disappointed during the national primaries this year when four candidates who had vowed to run in the proverbial mud-ditching. It is good to see that not much is different right here at Cal Poly. With the start date for campaigns in this year's Associated Students Inc. race a week away, we have already been exposed to a tasteless solicitation of votes. Ishmael Hall's attack on the current ASI and on Aron DeFerrari is commonplace at best. ("Don't uphold ASI favoritism," April 10).

Does this guy even know what campaign violations are? The violation charged of Mr. DeFerrari was the authoring of a newsletter article encouraging others to get involved and run for office. During this article he mentioned it was a rewarding experience. He then said he planned on staying involved. Is this a huge crime (or even a small one)? In my opinion, you have to look at the greater good. DeFerrari is promoting ASI, promoting student involvement and a "more than just a Form 81 relationship." It wasn't an easy thing for the board to decide, but the violation was trivial, unintentional and contrary to the intent of the regulation. What is govern-

ment without compassion? John Motfatt and the other judicial board members did the right thing by allowing DeFerrari to run. "There was a time when I respected current ASI President John Motfatt," Hall said. Well, there was a time when I did too — right now.

My freshman roommate used to tell everyone that he was going to be ASI president his senior year. He has graduated and started his professional career, but under Mr. Hall's McCarthy-like logic, we should probably look into this case and suspend him from ever running. This whole thing is silly. My point is, I am sure that each candidate has mentioned to at least one other person about running. It is preposterous to think otherwise. Obviously, they shouldn't all be punished. DeFerrari's only problem is that he was dumb enough to publicly encourage involvement. He should have known people would try to spin it.

If you want to talk about blatant, vote-soliciting propaganda being issued before the start date, look no further than the last paragraph of candidate Hall's opinion letter. "It is time to rise up and clean out our government." Translation: Don't vote for Aron DeFerrari, who has experience; take a chance and vote for me because I am the new guy who knows how to solve all the problems.

Again, we have to look at the intended result of Hall's letter: to smear anyone who has been involved in the past for his personal gain. "Things are about to change," said I. I guess things like dirty campaigns never do change, Mr. Hall.

Danny Thompson is an industrial technology senior.

Letters to the editor

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"We never quite know all the facts until after the facts."
Christopher Wolfe, a professor of political science at Marquette University, lecture on "Why Gay marriages fail". Wolfe addressed the title of the lecture by saying that gay people could not marry because of the necessity to consume a marriage. Since gays don't have sex to produce babies, they can't consume a marriage, he said.

Wolfe said that he has 10 children, and believes that the planet can sustain enough children for people to have as many as they want. He said that birth control has brought down American values. Within the first five minutes, about 15 people walked out and some people started protesting outside.

The protests made noise so that people couldn't hear the speaker inside, until authorities cleared them away.

One student who was in attendance, who did not wish to be identified, said that those who walked out should have listened to both sides of Wolfe's story. "If they don't listen to him, they're just as ignorant as those with beliefs like him," he said.

Wolfe continued by saying that gays and lesbians were capable of love. However, he then compared a man telling his family that he is marrying another man to a man telling his family that he is marrying two women.

By that rationale, he said that polygamy would never work. He said he based his theories on western perspective and reason.

Wolfe addressed other subjects that had the audience whispering under its breath, such as the role of women in the family. He said that women should take care of the children at home.

He also said that men have higher sex drives than women and he said you could find evidence of this belief in Cosmopolitan and "Larry Flynt".

"If they don't listen to him, they're just as ignorant as those with beliefs like him," he said.

Wolfe went back to the subject of homosexuality by stating that he wouldn't want his children to be taught by gay teachers or gay-friendly teachers.

Throughout Wolfe's lecture people chose to leave the room. One student said that his statements verbally upset many of those in attendance. "It seemed like he thought everyone would see his moral way as the right way, and I think his moral way is bulls--," Peter Marino, a student in attendance.

Two women.

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DeFerrari's "Bush" touched on the importance of building a stronger military as well as drastically revising the Department of Education.

"Without these things we are a country left weak with very obvious enemies," he said regarding military improvements.

He also said educational power needs to be given back to the states so people can make more decisions on a local level.

The candidates went back and forth with questions and accusations on topics such as gun control, education and campaign-finance violations. "Bush" accused "Gore" of finance violations, and "Gore" reportedly said that he was not the ideal messenger but that soft money bars are the only way to bring back integrity to American politics.

When "Gore" accused "Bush" of being a "Daffy" state of Texas of having some of the lowest SAT scores in the nation, "Bush" responded by saying that he is working on it. He said some of the results came from a large Latino population whose bilingual education program is just beginning.

One defining question came from audience member and history professor Paul Hilpelt, who asked each candidate what his most important accomplishment would be. "Gore" listed prosperity, a thriving economy and a smaller federal government.

"There are a lot of things that I really agree with, like education, but there are a lot of things I disagree with Bush on. It was acting," Aron DeFerrari political science senior said as he would like to see accomplished. "Bush" said he also wanted prosperity and a smaller government, but mostly wanted to see a "turned around morale in America" and a vision of what is good and right through his own character as an example.

Portraying the candidates was an acting job for the students, but they also agreed with most of what was debated.

"I did a fair amount of research," DeFerrari said. "There are a lot of things that I really agree with, like education, but there are a lot of things I disagree with Bush on. It was acting. I said what I thought the governor would say, but there were some questions where I wanted to say what I thought."

Drake, who worked in Washington, D.C., as an intern for Gore last fall quarter, said he knew a lot of the information off the top of his head.

"Everything I said I agreed with," Drake said.

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**ASI NEWS**

**ASI ELECTION CALENDAR**

- **Active Campaigning Begins:** Sunday, April 16
- **Active Campaigning Ends:** Tuesday, April 25
- **Elections:** Wednesday and Thursday, April 26-27
- **Run Off:** Wednesday, May 3

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**POLY ESCAPES**

- **Open House** is this weekend, April 15th, and Poly Escapes will be there. This is a great opportunity for you to come by and find out what our program is all about. Poly Escapes is the outdoor program here at Cal Poly, and we do everything from leading trips, to renting outdoor equipment. Our shelves are filled with tents, sleeping bags, kayaks, stoves, cross-country skis, snowshoes, and much more. Hey, we even have an ice cream maker! Don't pass up this great opportunity.

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Sullivan said. "The information we provide is important to people who don't attend the games." Athletic Department officials plan to change the URL to a ".com" for advertising and marketing purposes.

"We've had ".edu" we couldn't advertise on the site," Sullivan said. "This is why we decided to go to a ".com" site. Now the site is another extension for advertising, and it provides another avenue to raise money for scholarships.

"The site also features broadcast games, similar to radio. "The benefit is, it is free and you can listen from anywhere in the world," Sullivan said. "We can call the play-by-play on the site."

"The site has been successful, with 1,200 hits during the first week, and has received positive feedback. "For the most part, everyone is enjoying it," Sullivan said. "Family members love to see stories, pictures, statistics and Baker Baker, our pitcher, really enjoys hearing about our team."

Unlike news coverage from media outlets, the site does not give special attention to any certain sport. "As the 2000 Olympic, sports, such as swimming and tennis, don't receive the big headlines in newspapers like football and baseball," Sullivan said. "On this site, everything is treated equally. We give as much exposure as possible for every sport.

The site was designed by graphic communicator senior Gina Canando as a project. "Gina worked closely with our office because we knew exactly what we wanted the site to look like when we got started. She did an excellent job; it worked out well.

"Overall, the revamped site offers an easy-to-navigate and user-friendly outlet for Cal Poly athletic information. "We're very happy with it," Sullivan said. "We are doing our best to give the fans the information they want while promoting Cal Poly teams and programs."

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The Sports Complex could be bought for the right price.


"While these sponsors could bring home a nice paycheck, they don't much for the overall aesthetics of the stadium."

What the Sports Complex really needs is a name that describes its location to Cal Poly or San Luis Obispo. How about "Farmers Market Stadium?" No, that might not cause fans to bring products to the games. Tomatoes make for good projectiles when your team hasn't won in a month.

"What about "Mustang Complex?" That sounds like an equine affliction."

"We have the Performing Arts Center, how about the "Performing Sports Center?" That's too needless, since our teams don't always perform.

"The Los Owls has this fascination with March Grass, maybe we could name it "Mardi Grass Stadium." Won't work, entrants will have to be 18 or older, killing the family atmosphere Cal Poly athletics has been trying to build. "Madonna Stadium?" No, people will expect the Material Girl to sing the national anthem."

"That sounds like an equine activity. No, that just can't happen."

"Let's see, what about a school organization? The "USC Coral Field" and "College of Republicans Complex" just don't do it for me. I'm partial to "Mustang Daily Stadium," but that won't happen either.

But, there is one sure-fire name that Cal Poly just can't pass up. "Foundation Field," where all students receive free admission after buying a ticket. ""Horse old "Sports Complex" sounds better and better.

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"This is by far the best team we've had at Cal Poly. The skill and intensity level of the team is really high."

-Chad Wallin

Wallin said.

"After beating Santa Barbara at the regionals, we know that we have the ability to beat any team in the nation," Wallin said.

-National Tournament at www.calpoly.edu/edwards/ephokee/nation­als2000. The site will include scores and photos from the tournament.

Giants fans sport different attire at new park

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) -

Balls splashing into San Francisco Bay. A 26-foot-tall mitt in left field. A Burger King sausage in Tommpa's
departed Bell Park. Giants fans in shorts and T-shirts instead of parkas and mittens.

There wasn't an earmuff to be

seen from their parents, wore sleeveless shirts and worked on their tan during games at Candle­stick Park.

"It's a beautiful park, but right

field could become a circus with all of those bounces out there," Dodger right fielder Shawn Green said after a workout Monday.

"The wall itself has already gener­

ated some controversy. There will be some boos coming off the 25-foot-high brick surface, driving right field fans crazy," Wallin said.

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Cal Poly athletics unveils new Web site

By Kimberly Tahsuda

The official Cal Poly Athletics Web site has been given a new address and makeover.

The improved site, at www.gopoly.com, provides a user-friendly information source for all 18 varsity sports at Cal Poly.

"Our old site served its purpose, but things were hard to find," said Jason Sullivan, director of sports information. "Getting around the site is much easier now."

The site, formerly www.calpoly.edu/athletic, offers the latest news regarding Cal Poly athletics. Information including news, pictures, awards, season outcomes, box scores, statistics, schedules and rosters are on the site. Links with ticket prices for games, athletic staff, camp information and a spirit shop are also available.

The site, which debuted March 20, is updated daily by the athletic department. The sports information office and journalism intern wrote brief game summaries that are available after each game. Game statistics, box scores and play-by-plays are also available.

"We make it a point to put some sort of information regarding the game on the site within a half an hour, even on the weekends," said Sullivan.

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Baseball Beats Nevada 11-8

April 9 - The Mustangs went 2-1 on the weekend at Nevada, after an 11-0 win Sunday afternoon. Jere Black did pick up the win on the mound, as the Mustangs improved to 17-17 overall and 0-7 in the Big West. Steve Wood homered, while Jason Bean got a win. (5-3) with 7 RBIs as Cal Poly pounded out 16 hits. The Mustangs beat UC Santa Barbara April 14-16 this year.

Men's Tennis Wins 7-0 over UC Riverside

The Mustangs swept UC Riverside Sunday in a non-conference match. Brett Masi improved his dual record to 12-4 with a shutout No. 1 singles. Cal Poly (11-4) hosts Pacific in a Big West match April 15.

Cal State Northridge Defeats Cal Poly

The Matadors completed a three game sweep in Big West softball action with a 9-3 win over Cal Poly Sunday afternoon.

The Mustangs will next be in action when they travel to Utah State for three games on April 15 and 16.

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