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EDITOR'S NOTE

InterComm will be a monthly publication beginning with this issue. It will not be distributed during the summer quarter. Faculty and staff members are encouraged to contribute information about themselves and campus activities. The deadlines for each issue will be announced in the "monday memo." Hopefully we will be able to stay on schedule with internal publications the next two months while the campus editor is out of commission. Thanks for your contributions and continued support.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Susan Porter (OSU-Music) has been invited to present a paper entitled "English-American Interaction in American Musical Theater at the Turn of the Nineteenth Century" at the Keele University - Sonneck Society Conference on British-American Interaction in Music. The conference will be held at Keele University, Staffordshire, England in July 1983.

Jim Machor (OSU-English) chaired and served as discussion leader for a special session on "American Romance: Form or Fabrication?" at the 97th annual convention of the Modern Language Association of America, held December 27-30 in Los Angeles.

Mindy Winterman (OSU-Academic Advisor) presented a career planning program for Lima Junior Achievement officers on Thursday, January 20 at the Junior Achievement Center.

Carol Fasig (OSU/LTC-CED) presented a workshop on "Communication and Personal Effectiveness" for representatives from the Regional Council on Alcoholism. Women from seven counties attended.

Judy Rayburn and Linnea Hopewell (LTC-Radiology) were part of a faculty group of radiology technology educators that presented a workshop on "Clinical Evaluation" at Central Ohio Technical College on December 3.

John Hellman (OSU-English) was a guest on the hour-long call-in talk show, "Access", on WOSU in Columbus on November 30. John discussed "new journalism" along with host, Tom Webbell, and Professor John Clarke from the School of Journalism.

Margot Keller (LTC-Early Childhood) presented a lecture entitled "Reading with Pre-schoolers" at the Lima Public Library during a "Working with Younger Children Workshop." The workshop was attended by approximately 75 Head Start teachers, education students and Early Childhood Development students.

Leslie Rigali-Rankin (OSU/LTC-Info Services) also participated in the "Working With Younger Children Workshop." Her presentation was entitled "Puppetry and Children."

Will Wells (LTC-Gen. Studies) published two poems, "The Wanderer" and "Picking the Pears Too Soon" in the Fall 1982 issue of The Beloit Poetry Journal. Will has other poetry publications that will appear in the forthcoming Kansas Quarterly, Fall 1983 issue and West Branch, Fall 1982 issue.

Phil Heath (OSU-EMCE) has published a new book entitled Developing Social Responsibility in the Middle School. The book was published by NEA, 1983. Phil also co-authored an article with Rhonda Hawk called "Deciding About Energy." The article appeared in the January 1983 issue of Science and Children.

Jim Biddle: January 6 - attended the OSU Council of Deans meeting.
January 13 - attended the Elementary Principal Update.
January 20 - two-year college presidents met with the Ohio Board of Regent's Chancellor.
January 20 - attended luncheon for OTCCA where Roberta Steinbecker and Barry Opperman reported on JTPA (Joint Training Partnership Act), the legislation that will replace CETA.
January 26 - Jim acted as host to Dick Anderson from the OSU Economic Department at the Lima Sertoma Club where Dr. Anderson was speaker.

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Easter Straker's first radio remote, broadcast on December 10 from our campus, was very successful. Special thanks to Woody Zimmerman, Sam Bassitt, Linda Robinson, Al Schneiberg and the LTC graduates for their appearance on the program.

December 3 - Wayne Reinhardt discussed "Teaching about religion in the public schools" on Valaire's radio show. Norm Rex talked about the "Changing role of Engineering in America."

December 8 - Doug Torrance appeared on Easter Straker's television program to discuss OSU one-stop admissions.

December 17 - Doug discussed same topic on Valaire's program.

December 28 - Leslie Rigali-Rankin appeared on Easter's radio program to discuss the InterComm, Holiday Issue and read selections from it.

January 7 - Carol Fasig and David Blaeuer discussed winter quarter continuing education course offerings and their Math Anxiety workshop on Valaire's radio program.

January 14 - Mike Wurst appeared on Valaire's program to discuss the paramedic profession and the LTC EMT-P program.

January 19 - Lynne Tolle promoted National Children's Dental Health Month on Easter Straker's television program. She discussed the many community service projects that the LTC Dental Hygiene students will be involved in.

January 21 - Bob Burnett discussed career placement for college students on Easter's radio program.

CULTURAL AFFAIRS

The Cultural Affairs Board has released their schedule for the Thursday Noon Series and Film Series.

February 2 (Wed) - Dayton Opera Co. Tour Preview

February 10 - Jane Rummel, flute with Barb Young, piano

February 17 - Male Quartet from Bluffton College
February 24 - Dave and Kay Gordon, traditional and original music
March 3 - Campus Ministry presents "Covenant Players"
March 10 - Twain and Poe

Film Series:

February 1 - The Lady from Shanghai - GA 015/2 p.m.
February 15 - Macbeth (with Orson Welles) - GA 015/2 p.m.
February 22 - Hitchcock's Life Boat - GA 015/2 p.m.

OHIO JOB SERVICE

Mindy Winterman, OSU-Academic Advisor, announced that two representatives from the Ohio Job Service will be on campus to speak to students, faculty and staff on February 15 at noon in SAB 160. Dick Stephenson, Vocational Counselor, and Jack Blackburn, Office Manager, will discuss employment search strategies, choosing the right vocation, occupational research materials/apptitude testing and job market shifts and trends.

HISTORIANS

The Ohio Historian Society will present a "Workshop for Local Historians" in Galvin 118-124 on February 26 from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. The lectures to be presented are: Elements of Oral History; Administering and Processing; and Manuscript Collections. Pre-registration is required. The deadline is one week prior to the workshop. The fee is \$3.50 per person. If you would like registration information, call the Office of Information Services.

ON CAMPUS

Dr. Wayne Kaufman, a local veterinarian and husband of OSU-Academic Advisor, Mary Beth Kaufman, will be on campus to talk to students on February 24 in Galvin 432 at noon. Dr. Kaufman will discuss: The Field of Medicine; Veterinary School Requirements; Medical School Requirements; and Suitable Undergraduate Preparation Alternatives. All students interested in medicine or veterinary medicine should be encouraged to attend.

DENTAL HEALTH

February is National Children's Dental Health Month. The students and faculty in the LTC Dental Hygiene program will be involved in a variety of community service projects. On February 4 from 9-10:30 a.m. the local dental hygiene associations will sponsor "Breakfast with the Tooth Fairy" at Lazarus' Skyview Restaurant. Reservations for the breakfast must be received by February 1 at Tooth Fairy Headquarters, 1031 Richie Avenue, Lima, Ohio 45805. The students will also conduct a "Brush In" for all of the students at Marimor. Proper home care instruction and dental education lessons will also be provided to all grade levels at Edison Elementary School. Good luck, Dental Hygiene. We are proud of the community service you are providing.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Carol Fasig is looking for people to teach non-credit workshops on Calligraphy and Journal Writing. If you know someone who might be interested, please call her at ext. 255. If you have any other suggestions for workshops, contact her. Previews for spring quarter include a short course on computers taught by Jim Bode, a writer's conference jointly led by Linda Bayliss, Sheri Kimmel, Will Wells and Charles Hanson; "Selecting and Caring for a Car" will be taught by Jim Smith; and Maxine McCabria will teach "Nutrition and Wellness."

EMCE

The OSU-Lima EMCE staff planned and hosted an Elementary Principal's Update Luncheon for Lima City principals on January 13. The staff informed the principals about the OSU education program courses, student teaching, field work and future study areas.

STUDENT TRENDS

According to a recent article in the Lantern the average student and his/her course of study is changing. The average OSU student in 1982 was a white, male and 23 years old. He carried a course load of 14.5 credit hours and majored in Electrical Engineering. These statistics were part of a survey prepared by Michael Young, director of Planning Studies. Young compared his statistics to stats on the average 1975 OSU student. The average student 7 years ago was six months younger, carried a course load of 15 hours and majored in Psychology.

Young said that the fact that students were older reflects a trend that students are taking longer to graduate. More students are working during college and many adults are continuing their education. The working students may also account for the smaller course load. The switch from humanities fields to technical areas of study follows a national trend. Young explained, "People are interested in a field which will enable them to get a job." Race and sex did not change in the past seven years. There are still about 5 percent more men at OSU than women.

LTC BOARD

The LTC Board met December 14 and January 25. Quorum was present at both meetings. At the December 14 meeting, the Board approved special faculty appointments for Winter and Spring quarters. They also authorized, upon recommendation by Dr. Biddle, the purchase of one removal disk drive for the Digital Voc 11/750 Computer. Advisory Committees for Nursing, Electronic Engineering, Industrial Engineering, Mechanical Engineering and Early Childhood were approved. During the January 25 meeting, the Board approved appointment of new regular faculty and staff members, an increase of \$319,860 to the previous authorization for the Pell Grant Program and the new LTC budget revision. The Advisory Committee for Law Enforcement was also approved.

REMEDIAL REPORT

The Ohio Board of Regents recently heard the results of the fourth annual report of College University Remedial Course Enrollments in Math and English which indicated that on a statewide basis, approximately 21% of all entering students in the 1981-82 academic year required remediation in mathematics and 15% in English.

MIND MATTERS

Reach a total of 100 using as few numbers as possible from those given below. Each number may be used only once:

5 17 19 37 39 46 66

What comes next in the series below:

BAD CEF DIG FOH

“Cowards die many times before their deaths; the valiant never taste of death but once” means:

- a) A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush.
- b) You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink.
- c) Only the brave die young.
- d) Don't cross the bridge until you come to it.
- e) Old men are more afraid than young men.

