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JUNE 22

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MEADOW

ALUMNI GOLF OUTING SET FOR WOLVERINE CLUB

The Alumni Golf Outing will be held Saturday, June 22, at the Wolverine Golf Club, co-chairmen Phil Williams, class of 1964, and Bill Connellan, class of 1967, have announced.

The annual event has a straightforward purpose, "to bring alumni, faculty and staff together for a fun day, and to build the base for an annual outing that will bring money into the Alumni Association," they said.

Tickets at \$20 per person include golf and buffet dinner.

Split tickets at \$10 each are available for those wishing to participate in either one but not both of the above events. Charge for a foursome is \$75. Reservations may be obtained by calling 377-2158.

First tee-off time will be 9:30 a.m. and the program will include 18 holes of golf, the buffet dinner, and prizes. There will be a cash bar. The Golf Club is located at 25 Mile and Romeo Plank Roads in Mt. Clemens.

Friends Swim Meet Sets Record

The Eighth Annual Friends of Oakland Swim Meet raised \$1,476 to top the previous high of \$832 set in the 1972 meet. The funds support various university functions including the athletic program.

The Amateur Athletic Union (A.A.U.) sanctioned age group swimming meet was originally sponsored by the Friends of Oakland, a group of supporters aiding the university before a large alumni body was available. While the meet is now sponsored by the Alumni Association in cooperation with the physical education faculty, it retains its original title.

Alumni volunteers operate the concession stand and donate cupcakes to be sold. A luncheon for swimming meet officials is donated and prepared by the alumni volunteers. Chairperson for the 1973 officials luncheon was Beverly Miller, class of 1963, and the coordinator of the swimming meet was Leon Mellen, class of 1967.

Funds Allocated From 1973 Fund Drive

Allocation of funds in the successful 1973 Alumni Association Fund Drive was made by the Association's Board of Directors at the March meeting.

The division follows: Kresge Library, \$5,000; Alumni Undergraduate Research Fund, \$800; Alumni Athletic Fund, \$205; Alumni Short-Term Student Loan Fund, \$180; Isaac Jones Memorial Scholarship Fund, \$80; Upperclassman Grant Fund, \$80; and Students for the Village Fund, \$60.

Pioneer Club Holds Winterfest



Oakland University's Pioneer Club had its first get-together of 1974 Saturday, February 16 in the Meadow Brook Estate Club House. The "Winterfest" began with optional ice skating and tobogganing, followed by dinner and live music.

The Pioneer Club consists of OU Alumni who contribute \$50 or more annually to the Alumni Fund. There are currently forty-seven members, twenty-eight of them new members.



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ALUMNI FUND GOAL IS \$10,000

OU Alumni Association Annual Fund Drive chairpersons, Don and Judy Moran of '63, have announced a 1974 Fund Drive goal of \$10,000. The drive opens May 1. "We're concentrating on raising the participation level this year, hoping for a 50% increase over last years total," Don commented. He adds, "Five percent of Oakland alumni participated in the '73 drive. With the national average at 17%, OU alums have a challenge I feel they can meet." The '74 Fund Drive is especially concerned with providing support in the following areas:

Kresge Library. The '73 alumni gift of \$5,000 to Kresge Library, which is being matched by the Friends of Kresge Library, made a sizable impact upon the library budget. However, the library's needs are ever-present and growing. The Alumni Fund will continue to channel support in its direction.

Scholarships. Alumni Memorial Scholarship. A new scholarship fund initiated by a resolution passed at the March 11 Alumni Association Board of Directors meeting. Established to honor deceased alums, purpose of the scholarship will be decided at some future time.

Isaac Jones Memorial Scholarship. Originally begun by alumni after the

death of Oakland University's first Black graduate, this scholarship aids deserving Black students from the Pontiac area.

Special projects. Alumni Athletic Fund. Physical education is becoming more and more important to students with heightened awareness of the necessity of physical fitness and relaxation. The Alumni Athletic Fund was initiated to channel support for this growing part of campus life.

Undergraduate Research Grant Fund. This fund is the only source of support for research at the undergraduate level. Yearly funding at approximately \$1,000 allows five or six grants to be awarded. As 30 to 40 students apply for these grants, it is hoped that this level of funding can be substantially increased in 1974.

The Village Project. Initiated by students, the Village Project proposes to preserve the original beauty of the Meadow Brook Estates by renovating the creamery, the grainery and the barns just south of Dodge and Hannah Halls for use in several areas. Included in the project are a film theatre, stage theatre, open market, student art and craft centers, etc. Students for the Village have been challenged by President O'Dowd to raise \$10,000 for their project. Mr. O'Dowd has pledged

to match funds collected by the students. As of March 25, close to \$7,000 had been raised. As an excitingly different project, The Village is in need of support from all sources. Each class has a chairperson for this years fund drive. The following alums have volunteered their time in this capacity:

1963-Don Moran
1964-(To be announced)
1965-Bill Shea
1966-Barb Williams
1967-Pat and Mike Dobesinski
1968-Al Mann and Tom Rapp
1969-Ron McPherson
1970-Paul Angott
1971-Joe Davidson
1972-Augustine Wright
1973-Elaine Petz

Each class chairperson will receive direction from a member of the Steering Committee composed of Don and Judy Moran, chairpersons; Jim Girardot, Beverly Miller, Jim Morrison, and Mary Sloan.

Class chairpeople are looking for alumni who would be willing to give up a little time for working on mailings and participating in a telethon to be held in September. Anyone interested in helping should contact the Alumni Relations Office, 377-2158.

COME CELEBRATE SPRING

May 11, 1974
at
Meadow Brook Hall
Alumnae Luncheon

Complete Guided Tour 10:30
Adult Refreshments 12:00
Luncheon & Fashion Show by Hadley's 12:30
Elizabeth Orion, "The Theatre" 1:30

\$6/person, Non-alumni guests welcome.
\$1 additional charge for optional tour.
To make reservations call 377-2158.

ALUMNI NOTES

1965

Tolbert L. Ennis, Captain in the U.S. Air Force received the Meritorious Service Medal at Barksdale AFB, LA. He was cited for his outstanding duty performance at McConnell AFB, Kansas. Captain Ennis, his wife Sandra, and their daughter are now stationed at Barksdale, where he serves with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

1967

Gary Miller was honored by the Rochester Jaycees as the community's Outstanding Young Educator. Gary has taught in the Rochester School District since his graduation from Oakland. He has been active with the International Club, and prior to this year, he was the faculty advisor to the student council.

1968

Ray Barcalow has moved to Onaway, Michigan, where he is teaching high school physics, chemistry and math. His wife Deb (Stolze) is an RN there at the smallest hospital (18 beds) in Michigan.

1970

Jack A. Nolish is engaged in the general practice of law with the law firm of Albert H. Reifler, P.C. in Pontiac. After graduation from Oakland, Jack attended Wayne Law School and graduated in May, 1973. He was admitted to the Bar in December of the same year.

1971

Cynthia A. Wister graduated from recruit training for women at the Naval Training Center in Great Lakes, Illinois. Seaman Wister is now scheduled to report to Personnel School, also at Great Lakes.

1972

Michael J. Goci was recently awarded his silver wings at Laughlin AFB, Texas upon graduation from U.S. Air Force pilot training. Lieutenant Goci has been assigned to Webb AFB, Texas, where he will fly with a unit of the Air Training Command. His wife, Ann (Patteuw) is a 1971 graduate of Oakland.

Gregory J. Stuk earned an MS in Information and Computer Science from Georgia Institute of Technology December, 1973. He began working as a member of the technical staff of Bell Telephone Laboratories, Raritan River Center, Piscataway, N.J. this past March, 1974.

Swimming Team 7th in NCAA College Division

Oakland University swimmers continued where they left off at the Motor City championships, where the team was first, with 79 points and a seventh place finish in the NCAA Division II (college division) swimming championships last weekend at Long Beach, California.

Freshman Paul Karas of Rochester was outstanding as he won the 500-yard freestyle in 4:44.4, 10 seconds faster than his previous best time.

He also captured fifth in the 1,650-yard freestyle in the 16:48.5 and sixth in the 200-yard freestyle in 1:45.4. All three swims were personal bests and Oakland University records.

Paul also swam on two Oakland relay teams that placed in the top 12 to become an All-American swimmer in five different events.

Rod Mitchell, a freshman from Flint, captured All-American honors five times with an eighth place finish in the 200-yard individual medley in 2:01.5, a fifth place in the 400-yard individual medley in 4:19.3 and as a member of all three of Oakland's All-American relay teams. Rod's leadoff leg of the 400-yard freestyle relay was clocked in 48.57 seconds for a school record in the 100-yard freestyle.

Bob Jenrow, another freshman, placed 12th in the 200-yard breaststroke in 2:17.3.

Alumni Active in Careers Conference

The OU Career Advising and Placement Office sponsored a day-long student conference Tuesday, March 5. Professionals from many fields discussed their careers.

The program ran from 9:00 a.m. until 4:20 p.m. in a variety of rooms in the Oakland Center and it offered insights into careers in automotive industry, banking, civil service, computer science, education, law, medicine, transportation, and urban analysis.

Participating alumni were Bill Connellan, Leslie Griffin, Trustee David Lewis, Camille Turski, and Honorary Alumna Dorothy Hope.

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Five Students Win Alumni Association Research Grants

Five Oakland University students have been awarded undergraduate research grants by the university.

The stipends of up to \$200 each are given on a competitive basis by the University Research Committee and supported by funds from the Alumni Association.

The 1974 winners, their research topics and hometowns are listed below:

Christine Nykyforiak, a biology major, received \$200 to study the enzyme systems of the freshwater snail. Miss Nykyforiak's residence is in Warren.

Irene Ann Gennick, a chemistry major, received \$200 to study synthesis and characterization of substituted carborene. Miss Gennick also resides in Warren.

Terry L. Fraver, 739 Wilwood, Rochester, received \$200 for a study of the relationship between Irish and American radical unionism before World War One. He is a history major.

Rebecca Failor of Sterling Heights received \$180 for her research on electron spin resonance of DNA fragments. Miss Failor is a chemistry major.

Deborah C. Davis, a biology major, received \$200 for studies on regulation of Nitrate reductase. Her home is in Detroit.

GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS \$12,841,000 APPROPRIATION FOR OU

Governor William Milliken has recommended a \$12,841,000 general fund budget appropriation for OU for fiscal 1974-75. The figure is part of an \$18,575,000 gross budget for the institution.

OU's recommendations are part of the governor's overall state budget recommendation now being considered in the Michigan Legislature.

The OU gross budget is composed of the \$12,841,000 appropriation recommendation and \$5,734,000 in institutional revenue. The revenue is derived from tuition and fees and miscellaneous income. The 1974-75 appropriation is \$994,000 higher than the 1973-74 figure and institutional revenue is up \$264,000 over the current fiscal year.

The \$994,000 and \$264,000 increases make the proposed 1974-75 gross budget \$1,258,000 higher than 1973-74.

CLASS OF '64 TEN YEAR REUNION MAY 18, 1974

Campus Tour	4:00
Happy Hour in the Oakland Room	5:00
Meadow Brook Theatre's musical comedy, "I Do!, I Do!"	6:00
Candlelight Dinner in the Abstention ...	9:00

\$12.50 per person

To make reservations, call the Alumni Relations Office,
377-2158 from 8:30 - 1:30.



John Motzer

John Motzer chosen "Mr. Soccer"

John Motzer, soccer coach at Oakland University, has been selected as "Mr. Michigan Soccer--1973," in the first such award made by the Michigan Soccer Association.

Motzer has been active in various levels of soccer in the Detroit area for over 20 years. He is the only person in Michigan to hold a "B" coaching license from the United States Soccer Federation. Motzer guided OU to an 11-2-2 record in 1973.

Motzer was a player with four teams in the Detroit Soccer League. They were the Detroit Bavarians, St. Andrew Scots, Sport Club 24 and the Carpathia Kickers. He was named 30 times to play for the Detroit All-Stars. In addition, he coached the Kickers to league and state championships in 1971 and 1972.

In 1967, Motzer was assigned by the Michigan Soccer Association the task of developing youth soccer which has grown to three youth leagues with over 50 teams now organized.

For his contributions to the development of soccer in the Wolverine state, John Motzer was the "honored guest" of the Michigan Soccer Association at its annual general meeting on Sunday, March 24, 1974 at the German-American Cultural Center.

CLASS OF 1964 LOST ADDRESSES

We do not have current addresses of the 1964 graduates listed below. We have listed the last address we have on file for each person. If you know of a more recent address, will you please jot it down and return to the Alumni Relations Office, 374 South Foundation Hall, Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan 48063. We would very much like to be able to contact these people and invite them back to campus for their Tenth Reunion this May.

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Centerport, New York 11721

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Additions to the Honor Roll 1973 Fund Drive

Bobbie S. Aust '69
Richard G. Keller '72
Margaretha Hsu '70
Michael A. Morrison '72
Genevieve Speier '70
Thomas Hill '64
Jerry L. Johns '65
Annette L. Johns '66

Joseph Papelian '72
Nancy K. Souders '63
James J. Burkart '63
Mary Burkart '65
Robert L. Fantini '68
Henry Schonschack '69
James Girardot '68
Peter Garcia '66

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Saturday, June 22, 1974 at Wolverine Golf Club Oakland University Alumni Association Golf Outing

*First tee-off - 9:30 a.m.

*\$20/person

\$75/foursome

*Includes - 18 holes of golf (golf only \$10)

prizes

buffet dinner (dinner only \$10)

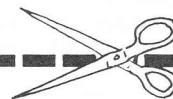
cash bar

*Purpose - to bring alumni, faculty and staff together for a fun day.

*Model of the O.U. Golf Course on display.

*Chairmen - Bill Connellan '67 & Phil Williams '64

*All alumni and their guests are welcome.



Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Preferred tee-off _____

Others in foursome: _____

- ☐ Golf & Dinner (\$20)
- ☐ Golf only (\$10)
- ☐ Dinner only (\$10)
- ☐ Discount for foursome
registered together

Make checks payable to Oakland University; mail to Alumni Relations, 374
SFH, Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan 48063

ENTRY DEADLINE - MAY 31

COMING EVENTS

MEADOW BROOK ART GALLERY EXHIBITS

Sun., April 28-Sun., May 19
 "Annual Michigan Water Color Society Exhibition"
 (For Gallery Hours call 337-3005)

MEADOW BROOK HALL TOURS

Every Sunday afternoon 1-5PM.
 Tickets available at door. \$3.50 general admission; \$2
 alumni, children under 12, and senior citizens.

STUDENT ENTERPRISE THEATRE

Friday, June 7-Sun., June 9
 Friday, June 14-Sun., June 16
 "House of Blue Leaves"

All performances are at 8:30 p.m. in the Barn Theatre.
 Tickets available at Campus Ticket office or by calling
 377-2245.)

New O.U. Golf Course

The Board of Trustees has authorized OU to proceed with
 construction of the first nine holes of a proposed 18-hole
 golf course and teaching facility.

The resolution stated that, "Resolved, that the proposal to
 the president to construct an 18-hole golf course and
 related facilities, the construction of which is to be
 financed entirely by private contributions, is hereby
 approved, and the president is authorized to contract for a
 nine-hole golf course and teaching complex immediately
 since funds are available and to contract for the second
 nine-hole course as private funds for this purpose become
 available.

The first nine holes and teaching complex will cost
 \$204,000, a sum already in hand from an anonymous
 donor. Construction should be completed by mid-1975.

SPORTS

Tennis

May 1	Wayne State University	
May 3	Ferris State Invitational	
May 4	Ferris State Invitational	
May 8	Open	
May 10	Northwood Institute	away
May 11	Lake Superior State College	away
May 15	Open	
May 17	GLIAC	
May 18	GLIAC	

Golf

May 3	Saginaw Valley State College Invitational	away
May 4	Saginaw Valley State College Invitational	away
May 6	Northwood Institute	away
May 9	Practice for Spartan Invitational	away
May 10	MSU Spartan Invitational	away
May 11	MSU Spartan Invitational	away
May 13	Wayne State University	away
May 15	Furniture City Golf Classic, Aquinas College	away
May 17-18	Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Tournament	

Baseball

May 2	Grand Valley State College	
May 6	Spring Arbor	away
May 10	Shaw College	away
May 11	Northwood	
May 13	Wayne State University	
May 15	University of Detroit	
May 17	Akron University	
May 18	Shaw College	

For game time and information, call 377-3190.

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