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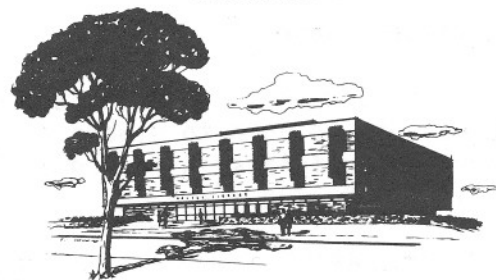
NO GROWTH IN FUNDING RECOMMENDATION

Governor William Milliken has recommended a 1976-77 state appropriation for OU that contains no real dollar growth or allowances for inflation.

Milliken is recommending an appropriation of \$13,493,100. OU had asked for \$15,943,500.

OU received an identical \$13,493,100 appropriation for 1975-76, but on December 9, 1975, the state reduced that sum by \$250,000 in an effort to balance the state budget.

The net effect of the governor's current recommendation, if approved by the legislature, will be to move OU's 1976-77 funding up to the level originally approved for the current fiscal year.



OU NEWS

ROCHESTER, MICHIGAN

UTILITY COSTS SOAR AT OU DESPITE USAGE DROP

Although energy consumption has dropped steadily at Oakland University over the past five years through diligent conservation efforts, costs for both electrical and gas power have escalated more than \$100,000 each according to Michael Crupko, coordinator of architectural services at the university. The most dramatic rise in costs has been over the past twelve-month period.

In 1971 an energy-conscious Division of Campus Development studied the trend toward climbing energy consumption and implemented guidelines to reverse the trend. In 1972 energy use leveled off, and in 1973 the level of use began to decline. The university used significantly less gas and electrical power in 1975 than it did in 1971, despite the addition of a new extension to the Oakland Center and the opening of a new Public Safety and Services Building last fall.

Inflationary costs of energy, however, have escalated the cost of utilities sharply. Costs of gas power have risen from \$180,750 in 1971 to \$290,750 in 1975; electrical costs have risen \$130,000 since 1971, from \$230,000 to \$360,000 in 1975.

UNIVERSITY ORCHESTRA IN FRIDAY CONCERT

Beethoven and Verdi arias and two-tone poems, Mussorgski's "Nights on Bald Mountain" and Smetana's "The Moldau," will be performed this Friday, February 20, in a free public concert at Oakland University.

Soprano Constance Grubaugh will be guest soloist with the Oakland University Orchestra. The program is at 8 p.m. in Varner Hall. A work by Finnish composer Heikki Suolahti will conclude the concert.

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NEW PUBLICATIONS EDITOR

Susan Davis, a 1971 graduate of Oakland University, began her duties as publications editor for the university in December. She is responsible for editing major publications.

Davis formerly was a reporter for the Pontiac-Waterford Times. She also has experience in graphic arts production. Her office is located in 101 NFH, and her telephone number is 377-3504.

STUDENT TOUR TO SPAIN

The OU Student Travel Committee is sponsoring a tour entitled "Spain '76" which includes a week at either Torremolinos or Marbella on the sunny coast of Spain. The departure date is Sunday, April 25, and the return date is May 3. The package prices are \$389 per person or \$439 per person, depending on accommodation choice.

The deposit of \$125 to reserve space in the tour is due as soon as possible. Complete fee must be paid by March 16. For complete information, call Carol Epling, 377-3570.

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The orchestra is under the direction of David Daniels. Membership is open to students, faculty, staff, and to interested musicians in the community.

CONTEMPORARY WORKS BY DANCE THEATRE

The Oakland University Dance Theatre will present a concert of original works on March 5, 6, and 7 in Varner Recital Hall.

Music will be provided by the Motor City Free Arts Ensemble, a contemporary music group. Curtain time is 8 p.m. on March 5-6 and 2 p.m. on March 7. Tickets at \$3 each are available at the door and by calling 377-3190.

Works in dance/theater, jazz, and contemporary movement will be performed. Original choreography is by members of the dance company and by guest artists Denise Szykula and Mari Winsor of Detroit.

The semi-professional student dance company has performed throughout southeastern Michigan. OU faculty member Carol Halsted directs the dance theater.

PHILOSOPHY LECTURE, SEMINAR BY MIT PROF

The Philosophy Department announces a public lecture by Professor Jerry Fodor, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, on Thursday, February 19 at 4 p.m. in 156 North Foundation Hall on the topic "Some Psychological Studies of Meaning: Current Approaches to Studying Lexical Meanings in Terms of Mental Structures." All are welcome.

Fodor will also conduct a three-day seminar on the topic "Reduction, Intensionality, and the Unity of Science"; in other words, whether it is desirable and/or feasible to reduce explanations in the behavioral sciences to the kind given in the natural sciences. The seminar will meet 10-12 a.m. and 1:30-3:30 p.m. on Thursday and Friday, February 19 and 20, and 10-12 a.m. on Saturday, February 21, in room 310 Kresge Library. Students who sign up will be asked to attend all five sessions and read two recent articles on the subject (available mimeographed in the philosophy office, 530 Wilson Hall). Enrollment for this seminar will be held to 25 students. Call the philosophy office, 377-3390, if you are interested.

DATE CHANGE ON WORKSHOP

The date of the first workshop on creative teaching techniques originally scheduled for Friday, February 13, has been changed to this Friday, February 20. The workshop will be held from 3-5 p.m. in the Oakland Center. To make reservations, call Lewis Pino at 377-3222.

CASSIS NEW OC ASSISTANT

Glenn Cassis, presently with the office of Student Organizations and Activities, has been appointed assistant director of the Oakland Center. Cassis will begin his new duties on the 16th of February and will be located in room 112, just off the Fire-side Lounge in the Oakland Center.

THURSDAY SENATE MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Oakland University Senate on Thursday, February 19, at 3:15 p.m. in rooms 128-130 Oakland Center. The agenda will be concerned with motions from the Academic Policy Committee and the Academic Budget and Planning Committee.

TROY ALLEN ON CHANNEL 56

Troy Allen, financial aid, will be interviewed on Channel 56 television on February 24. The 8 p.m. program is sponsored by the Michigan Student Financial Aid Association. Participants will discuss financial aid opportunities for new and continuing students.

OU, an official publication of Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan is published weekly during the school year and distributed free within the university community. Its content is under the editorial control of the Office of Public Relations.

ATHLETIC PRIVILEGE CARDS AVAILABLE

OU employees are reminded by Corey Van Fleet, physical education, that faculty-staff privilege cards are available at the sports building office between the hours of 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at no cost. The faculty-staff privilege cards are the only means of identification for your spouse and children enabling them to use the various sports building facilities on campus. These ID cards must be presented by the immediate family members when using the sports building, the tennis courts, the ski tow, and the Oakland University golf course, or when gaining reduced admission tickets to various sports building programs and/or athletic contests.

Faculty and staff, as well as the family members, failing to produce the required identification are denied admission to the various sports facilities and/or charged general admission prices. The employee must appear in person at the sports building office to obtain the faculty-staff privilege card for their family members.

OU LIBRARY TO LINK WITH OHIO COLLEGE

In early 1976 the Technical Services Division of the OU Library will link with the Ohio College Library Center (OCLC), an on-line shared cataloging data base in Columbus, Ohio which includes both Library of Congress and OCLC member-libraries' bibliographic records. This linkage is being accomplished through Oakland University library's membership in the Michigan Library Consortium, which includes among its member libraries all four-year state-supported institutions in Michigan.

This new source for bibliographic information and catalog cards will increase the productivity of the division, decrease the rate costs, and provide fast access to more bibliographic information than is now available in conventional sources. As of August 15, 1975, the data base contained 1,555,000 bibliographic records.

JEWELL WIBBY ATHLETIC FUND FOUNDED

A women's athletic scholarship fund has been established in tribute to Jewell Wibby, an OU graduate who died January 13. Wibby, the mother of two OU graduates, Craig and Sue Wibby, was from 1963 to 1975 a member of the Friends of the Kresge Library and the Friends of Oakland, two groups dedicated to fund raising in behalf of the library and student scholarships. The fund will help provide scholarships for undergraduate Oakland women who are participating in intercollegiate athletics. "The establishment of this scholarship fund," said Corey Van Fleet, physical education director, "is a fitting tribute to a great lady who was dedicated to Oakland University and to fostering opportunities for women in sports."

COVENANT PLAYERS PERFORM

The Covenant Players, a repertory theater group from Los Angeles, will perform in the Abstention of Oakland Center from 12 noon to 1:15 p.m. on Monday, February 23. The campus community is invited to participate without cost.

TOUR OF DENTAL SCHOOL

Like to find out what dentistry and dental school is like? There will be a tour to the University of Detroit School of Dentistry on Friday, February 20, at 2 p.m. To attend, sign up in the pre-med office at 61 OC before February 19.

MAZZARA A PANEL GUEST

Richard A. Mazzara, modern languages, was a participant in a development group on the Portuguese language at the meeting of the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese held last December 28 in Chicago. Mazzara's topic was "Using Translations and Translation."

TO TRAIN WITH SAGA

Oakland senior Larry Hadley has been accepted as a management trainee by Saga Food Service, according to Jerry Gurss, district manager. A student headwaiter for two years, Hadley will complete phase one of the comprehensive Management Training Program in April. Upon graduation, he will be assigned to another account to complete his training.

CALENDAR

February 17-24, 1976

THE ARTS

- 17-22 "Relatively Speaking," MBT, Tickets and Times 377-3300
- 17 "The Lavender Hill Mob," SEFS, 201 DH, 7pm
- 18 "Adventures in Texture," Varner Recital Hall, 8pm
- 19-22 "A View From the Bridge," ADA, Studio Theatre, Tickets and Times 377-3015
- 20 University Orchestra, Varner Recital Hall, 8pm
- 22 "Dirty Harry," SEFS, 201 DH, 7pm
- 24 "King Kong," SEFS, 201 DH, 7pm
- 25 Marvin Holladay Concert Series, Varner Recital Hall, 8pm
- 25 Concert, Varner Recital Hall, 12noon
- 27 Grebe-Angermier Piano Duo, Varner Recital Hall, 8pm
- 29 "The Godfather," SEFS, 201 DH, 7pm

EXHIBITS AND TOURS

- 17-23 "Art of Pre-Columbian America," Meadow Brook Art Gallery, Times 377-3005
- 22 Meadow Brook Hall Tours, MBH, 1-5pm

BLACK AWARENESS PROGRAM

- 17 "I am a Man," Gold Room, 2pm
- 17 Poetry Workshop, VB Lounge, 7-10pm
- 17 "East Africa," Gold Room, 2-8pm
- 18 Women's Night, Gold Room, 8pm
- 18 "Angola," Panel Discussion/Forum, Fireside Lounge, 12noon
- 19 Afram Jazz Ensemble, Fireside Lounge, 12noon
- 19 "Black Women," Gold Room, 2-8pm
- 21 Malcolm X Day, OC, 9am-5pm
- 24 Dick Gregory Lecture,

CAMPUS TICKET OFFICE - 48 OC, 377-3580

SEMTA Bus Tickets
 SET Tickets
 SEFS Memberships
 MBT Tickets
 Entertainment '76 Passbooks
 ADA Tickets
 Student International Identity
 Bonstelle Theatre
 Hilberry Theatre

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

- 17 Stuart Zonder Concert, Commuter Council, Abstention, 12noon
- 17 "Hospital," New-Charter College, Gold Room, 7pm
- 19 Financial Aid Information Day, 125 OC, 10-12am, 2-4pm, 6-8pm
- 19 Concert, Abstention, 8pm
- 20 Tour of U. of D. for pre-med and pre-dental students, sign up 61 OC, 2pm
- 20 Payment of Toronto by Train due, 48 OC, before 5pm
- 21 Fashion Show Cabaret, ABS, AHC, DSOA, Imperial Beta III, Crockery, 9pm
- 23 Student Life Reception, Crockery, 3-5pm
- 23 The Covenant Players, Campus Ministers, Abstention, 12noon
- 20 Dance, Intrepid Souls, Crockery, 9pm
- 17 & 19 Akido Club, Sports and Recreation Building, 1pm
- 24 "Titticut Follies," New-Charter College, Gold Room, 7pm

SPORTS

- Varsity Basketball
- 18 Wayne State, home, 7:30pm
- 21 Ferris State, away, 3pm

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, DISCUSSION GROUPS

- 18 "Career Development for Women," Women's Center, 11am
- 19 Bible Study: "The Parables," Campus Ministers, 19E OC, 11am
- 20 Religion and Life Rap Group, Campus Ministers, 19E OC, 11am

KEY

- MBT Meadow Brook Theatre
- MBH Meadow Brook Hall
- SET Student Enterprise Theatre
- SEFS Student Enterprise Film Series
- VBH Vandenberg Hall