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OAKLAND UNIVERSITY

AP ASSEMBLY INITIATES ADVISORY COMMITTEES

The Administrative-Professional Assembly, in cooperation with President O'Dowd and his executive group, has initiated an advisory committee structure with the goal "...to improve communication across administrative units so that Oakland University works better." Initial planning originated in 1973, and the concept became formalized in late August.

Meeting bi-monthly, the committees will function to improve lateral information flow and to engage in problem resolution as desired by Vice Presidents Coffman, Obear, and Swanson. Each advisory committee is composed of members outside the vice president's division. The Assembly Executive Committee, and the president and his executive group, have high hopes for the contributions of these committees.

Members of the committees are the following:

Academic Affairs--Harvey Hohaus, Urban Affairs; Judith Keegan, Student Services; Ronald Kevern, Career Placement; Patrick Nicosia, Business Affairs; Mary Withington, Computer Center.

Business Affairs--Johanna Brazzell, Urban Affairs; William Jorns, School of Education; William Marshall, Oakland Center; Dorothy Owens, Conferences; Ronald Somerville, Office of the Registrar.

Campus and Student Affairs--Rob Bunger, Office of Provost; Joe Davis, Admissions Office; Ray Harris, Budget Office; Gladys Rapoport, Financial Aids; Harry Van Hook, Continuing Education.

APs having questions are encouraged to contact any committee member.

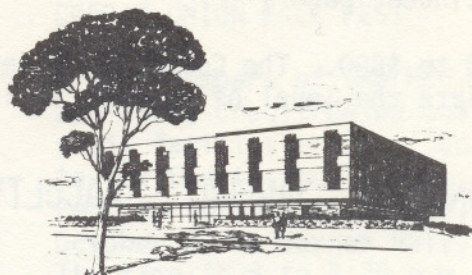
DEADLINE TOMORROW FOR RESEARCH PROPOSALS

Research proposals will be accepted from members of the Oakland University faculty and staff under two deadlines this year with decisions normally announced one month after each closing date.

Applicants seeking support for fall and winter should file completed proposals with the Office of Research and Instructional Services in 212 Varner Hall before 5 p.m. on Wednesday, October 15. Those seeking support for projects beginning in the spring or summer of 1976 should apply before February 15, 1976. Requests for decisions on proposals at times other than indicated above will be honored only under truly unusual circumstances.

Application forms and advice on proposal preparation are available from the director of Research and Instructional Services (7-3222). Requests are expected to range from about

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OU NEWS

ROCHESTER, MICHIGAN

CAJUN CONCERT TONIGHT

Cajun-rock music star Doug Kershaw will be performing in concert at Oakland University tonight at 8 p.m. in the Oakland Center Crockery Room.

Cajun music is a form of country music that evolved out of the swampland country of Louisiana. Kershaw began his performing career at the age of eight and his recording career at 15. He is considered to be the greatest Cajun singer-composer and master of the amplified fiddle and 28 other instruments. He has played at rock concerts, bluegrass festivals, and at the prestigious Newport Jazz Festival. Kershaw enjoys performing at universities because he feels that young people are more prepared to listen to his wide range of music. His latest recording on Warner Brothers "Alive and Pickin'" is high on the Record World and Billboard LP Charts.

Tickets are \$3 for OU students, and are available at the Campus Ticket Office, 48 O.C., and at the door. Free beer will be available. The concert is sponsored by the Concert Lecture Board.

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\$200 to \$600. The Committee reserves the right to negotiate the level of support in individual cases.

ECONOMIST JANEWAY, FACULTY IN SEMINAR

Eliot Janeway, the internationally-known economist, will be the keynote speaker at a two-day session of free lectures and seminars on the topic "If Detroit is no Longer Motown - What Then?"

The program, which features faculty members from Oakland University as panelists, will be held Saturday, October 18, and Sunday, October 19, at Lahser High School and the Bloomfield Township Public Library.

The program seeks to broaden understanding of the long-range social and economic future of Michigan under the impact of reduced levels of auto production.

The series will open with Janeway's presentation at 9:30 a.m. on October 18 in the auditorium of Lahser High School at 3456 Lahser Road in Bloomfield Hills. The seminars will run from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, and from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday, and will be held at the library, 1099 Lone Pine Road near Telegraph.

Participants from Oakland University and their seminar subjects will be as follows: Nigel Hampton, English, "The Automobile in American Literature"; Alice C. Gorlin, economics, "The Automobile in Michigan's Economic Future"; Harry Gold, sociology, "Problems of a Changing Labor Market: The Case of the Automobile Industry"; Conrad C. Brunk, philosophy, "Automobile Politics: A Conflict of Social Interests"; and John Barnard, history, "Looking Backward: Can We Know Where We Are Going From Where We've Been?"

Registration forms will be available at the library and will be accepted on a first-come-first-serve basis.

KINSEY APPOINTED TO EYE DISEASE COMMITTEE

Dr. V. Everett Kinsey, Director Emeritus of the Institute of Biological Sciences, Oakland University, has been appointed to a subcommittee on retrolental fibroplasia recently established by the Fetus and Newborn Committee of the American Academy of Pediatrics. The committee will aid fellow members in their defense in a recent flurry of malpractice suits involving therapeutic use of oxygen to prevent death in premature infants from respiratory failure. Retrolental fibroplasia is a blinding eye disease affecting premature infants caused by excessive exposure to oxygen.

The subcommittee, which consists of neonatologists, experts on RLF in the field of ophthalmology and legal counsel experienced in RLF cases, held their first meeting September 19 at the Babies Hospital, Presbyterian Medical Center of Columbia University, New York, to prepare an analysis on the "development, dissemination and application of knowledge concerning the relationship between oxygen and RLF."

NEED FOR RECYCLED PAPER

Student Organizations and Activities Department has issued a plea for recyclable paper. If any department has paper, please direct it to Rita Kalish, 48 O.C.

ORIENTAL ART ON EXHIBIT

On Monday, October 20 from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m., the Marson Ltd. Company of Baltimore, Maryland, will be exhibiting a collection of original oriental art of approximately 500 pieces from Japan, China, India, Tibet, Nepal, and Thailand. The oldest prints date back to the eighteenth and nineteenth century and include Chinese woodcuts, Indian miniature paintings and manuscripts. A representative will be present to answer any questions about the work, the artists, and the various graphic techniques. Prices are available for everyone's budget. The items will be on display in the Exhibit Lounge of Oakland Center.

PRIZES IN VILLAGE RAFFLE

The Students for the Village are having their second raffle, October 30. Ticket sales began on October 8, and will run until October 29. The object of the raffle is to guess the number of nuts displayed in a large glass bottle near Charlie Brown's in the O.C.

Prizes include: skis and bindings, a quadraphonic amplifier, a trip to Toronto for two, a warm-up suit, leather belt and jewelry, 2 Detroit Lions tickets, and a \$10 gift certificate. All of the gifts were donated by Rochester area merchants.

UNIVERSITY BOARD ACCEPTS GIFTS AND GRANTS

The Oakland University Board of Trustees accepted over a million dollars in gifts and grants at the Wednesday, September 24 meeting on campus.

The total of \$1,228,607 has been received by the university since the board's July meeting.

Largest single grant source was the Department of Health, Education and Welfare with eight grants totaling \$671,735. Most of the funds were for student grants, direct student loans, and work-study funds. One grant of \$21,000 was an "Upward Bound Fine Arts Institute," and another grant of \$25,028 supports a "Veterans Cost of Instruction" program.

Two grants totaling \$45,546 were received from the National Institute of Health. One of \$31,870 is under the direction of Venkat N. Reddy, Institute of Biological Sciences, for indirect cost for research on "Intra-ocular Transport." The second grant is to Barry S. Winkler, also of the Institute of Biological Science, for indirect cost on his research on "Photoreceptor Electrogenesis, Its Dynamics and Controls."

Among other major grant sources were: Public Health Service, \$134,505 for a "Federal Licensing Examination" program for physicians under Director Moon J. Pak; United States Department of Labor, \$100,000 in support of a "Manpower Development Higher Education System Program," under Director William Moorhouse, education; and \$57,421 from the Pontiac School District for a "Bilingual/Bicultural Inservice Training Program" for Pontiac teachers under the direction of Sue Tenorio, education.

A \$38,007 grant was received from the Mayor's Office of Manpower Development in the city of Detroit for a summer training program for Oakland Prep, the alternative education training program run by OU in Detroit. A \$26,573 grant from Chrysler Corporation will be used for a basic French program to train Chrysler personnel who will be working abroad. The Oakland Prep program is administered through OU's Department of Urban Affairs. Director for the basic French program is Don Iodice of OU's Department of Modern Languages and Literatures.

OU FACULTY PRESENT PAPERS AT EYE CONFERENCE

Eight Oakland University faculty members will present papers at the international conference on biochemistry of the eye to be held this Thursday through Sunday at OU.

The by-invitation-only program will cover ongoing research into the causes of cataracts, glaucoma, and retinal disease. The OU Institute of Biological Sciences is conference host for the third straight year.

Scheduled to present papers are: Venkat N. Reddy, director of the OU institute; V. Everett Kinsey, former director; Bhargavan Chakrapani; Frank J. Giblin; Kenneth R. Hightower; John R. Reddan; Nalin J. Unakar; and Barry S. Winkler.

CREDIT UNION FALL FEST

All members of the MSU Employees Credit Union and their families are invited to the first annual Fall Fest to be held on Monday, October 20 in Varner Hall. The time is 8 to 9:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served, and there will be entertainment by the Hotel Webster Band and the great Sir Lawrence, magician. Adding to the excitement will be door prizes and drawings for a color TV set, 10-speed bicycles, household appliances, and more. The party will be hosted by the Oakland Branch Advisory Council and staff with Mitchell Livingston as master of ceremonies.

TEPLEY PUBLISHES PAPER

Norman Tepley, physics, in collaboration with N. K. Batra and R. L. Thomas of Wayne State University, has published a paper, "Magneto-acoustic Quantum Oscillation Studies in Gallium at 9 GHz," in the June, 1975, issue of Journal of Physics F: Metals Physics. The research, an offspring of a temporary marriage of the OU nine billion cycle ultrasonics facility (one of only a handful in the world) and the Wayne sixty thousand gauss superconducting magnet, reports the observation of an unusual new interaction of electrons in metals with ultrasonic waves.



United Way

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

OCTOBER 14-21

THE ARTS

- 14-21 "A Midsummer Night's Dream," MBT,
Tickets and Times 377-3300
- 17 Afram Jazz Ensemble, VAR Recital
Hall, 8pm
- 17-19 "The Emigrants," SEFS, 201 DH, 7pm
- 20 Collegium Musicum, St. John Fisher
Chapel, 8pm
- 21 "Cries & Whispers," SEFS, 201 DH,
7pm

EXHIBIT & TOURS

- 19 Meadow Brook Hall Tours, MBH, 1-5pm
- 20 Oriental Art Exhibit & Sale,
Exhibit Lounge, OC, 10am-6pm

SPORTS

- Soccer
- 15 Michigan State, home, 3:30pm
- 16 Albion College, home, 3:30pm
- 18 Huntington College, away, 2pm
- Women's Tennis
- 15 Wayne State, away, 3pm
- 18 Grand Valley State, home, 1pm
- Intramural
- 14 Badminton, men and women, entries
due for tournament
- 16 Wrestling tournament, entries due
5pm
- 20 Three-Man Basketball

KEY

- OC Oakland Center
- CC Continuum Center
- VBH Vandenberg Hall
- DH Dodge Hall
- SFH South Foundation Hall
- MB Meadow Brook
- NFH North Foundation Hall
- MBH Meadow Brook Hall
- SET Student Enterprise Theatre
- SEFS Student Enterprise Film Series
- VH Varner Hall

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

- 14 Doug Kershaw Concert, Crockery,
OC, 8pm
- 14-21 Raffle tickets for Oct. 30
raffle on sale, Students
for the Village, Charlie
Browns, O.C.
- 15 Medical Technology Students,
Health Sciences, 201 DH, 3pm
- 17 Hayride, Hamlin Hall Council,
time and place to be an-
nounced

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, DISCUSSION GROUPS

- 15 Careers in Transition, Club-
house, C.C., 7:30-10:30pm
- 16 Career Development, OC, 11am-
2pm
- 16 Ecumenical Worship, Campus
Ministers, St. John Fisher
Chapel, 7:30pm
- 16 Rap Group for Divorced People,
Campus Ministers, 19E OC,
12noon-1pm
- 17 Rap Group for Christian Stu-
dents, Campus Ministers,
19E OC, 12noon-1pm
- 20 Religious Sense and Nonsense,
Campus Ministers, 19E OC,
3:15pm
- 21 Transactional Analysis Program,
Women's Potential, 126 OC,
1-3pm
- 21 Creative Divorce, Clubhouse,
CC, 7:30-9:30pm

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