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EVENING ENGINEERING COURSES OFFERED AT OAKLAND U.

The School of Engineering at Oakland University announced today its intention to offer regular undergraduate courses in engineering during evening hours. Dean John E. Gibson commented that this decision was made in line with Oakland's long continued efforts at cooperating with people in the community interested in achieving their Bachelor's Degree while employed in local industry. Gibson further course offerings would be of particular interest to present graduates of community college programs as well as other employees in local industry interested in upgrading their professional skills.

Dr. Howard R. Witt, Assistant Dean of Engineering for undergraduate programs, stated that several courses most often selected by students transferring from local community colleges into the engineering program at Oakland would be offered in the early evening hours beginning in September, 1972. Those interested in more information should contact Dr. Witt or Dr. Kenneth Meade, Assistant to the Dean of Engineering.

These are courses for full baccalaurate credit. The engineering
program of Oakland University is
fully accredited by the North
Central Association of Colleges and
Secondary Schools and the Engineers'
Council for Professional Development. Oakland University presently
has a complete evening College Program under consideration involving
new offerings and a complete schedule of operations. A decision on
this matter is expected in the next
'few months.

EIGHT NEW PLAYWRIGHTS TO HIGHLIGHT MEADOW BROOK THEATRE 72-73 SERIES

Eight playwrights never before represented on the Meadow Brook Theatre stage will be seen in the 1972-1973 season, Terence Kilburn, Artistic Director of the Meadow Brook Theatre announced today.

Works by Ben Hecht and Charles Mac Arthur, Luigi Pirandello, Clifford Odets and Sean O'Casey, are included in the offerings for the theatre's seventh season.

"We are tremendously pleased that the present concept of programming has been so enthusiastically endorsed by our audience," Kilburn said. "As a matter of fact, this season has played to nearly 90% capacity. Meadow Brook will continue to offer a wide variety of plays -- dynamic American works

balanced by great European classical comedies and dramas."

The season will open on Thursday, October 12 with "The Front Page" by Ben Hecht and Charles Mac Arthur. This comedy, set in the turbulence of Chicago in the 20's, is a fast-paced foray into the world of the big city newspaper reporter.

"Inherit The Wind," by Jerome Lawrence and Robert E. Lee, will be the second play, depicting one of the most sensational court trials of the century.

"The Torch Bearers," a comical classic by George Kelly, will high-light the Christmas season providing holiday entertainment for young and old.

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The Erick Hawkins Dance Company will teach and perform at Oakland University this summer. Beginning July 3, the troupe will conduct a two-week workshop in modern dance. As part of the 1972 Meadow Brook Music Festival, the troupe will present two evening concerts on July 10 and 11.

Erick Hawkins and seven members of the company will offer beginning and advanced classes in modern dance technique and composition, and lectures on the history, aesthetics and philosophy of modern dance. A master craftsman of cheoeography, Hawkins goes beyond design to a new technique of movement.

The evening concerts of the Erick Hawkins Dance Company in the Howard C. Baldwin Pavilion mark the first mark the first modern dance presentation of the Meadow Brook Festival. These concerts of offer students training in the modern dance workshop an opportunity to study the disciplines of professional expertise of musicians in performance.

POPULATION GROWTH CONFERENCE

A two-day conference on Population Growth: Economic Implications will be conducted on Friday, May 5, and Saturday, May 6, at Oakland University. The program is sponsored by the Michigan Population Council in cooperation with the university's Conference Department.

The purpose of the program is to examine the relationship between population growth and Michigan's economic health.

Mrs. William Milliken will serve as honorary chairwoman of the conference. Among the speakers will be Dr. Ralph MacMullan, Director, Michigan Department of Natural Resources; Deborah Oakley, Department of Population Planning, University of Michigan; Senator Gilbert E. Bursley, Vice-Chairman, Senate Corporation and Economic Development Committee; Dr. Marion Edman, Professor Emeritus of Education, Wayne State University; Homer Hall, rapresenting Mayor Roman Gribbs; Dr. Maurice Reizen, Director, Michigan Department of Public Health; Robert Parke, Jr., Deputy Director, Féderal Commission on Population Growth and the American Future; and E. K. Hawkins, representing the World Bank, Division Chief for Population and Human Resources, Department of Economics.

For further information contact the Oakland University Conference Department, 377-3272.

OAKLAND UNIV. HOSTS MATHEMATICS MEETING

Oakland University will host the Michigan Section of the Mathematical Association of America (MAA) for their annual spring meeting, May 5 & 6, 1972.

Two Oakland University mathematics faculty will participate in the Friday-Saturday affair. Professor L. J. Nachman will participate in a panel discussion on "Training of Elementary School Teachers for the Future." Professor D. G. Malm's panel will discuss the "Role of Computers in the Training of Mathematics Teachers K-14."

Officers of the Michigan Section of the MAA are chairman M. T. Wechsler, Wayne State University, and vice-chairman D. J. Lewis, while Girard Tarr, Troy, and Jack University of Michigan.



Award-winning Robin Will and her work in acrilic on canvas entitled "48063."

AWARDS

rour Oakland University art students were awarded prizes during the annual Student Art Exhibition held in the Oakland University Art Gallery through April 25, 1972. The students received \$25 each as prizes for their accomplishments.

First places in the painting competition were awarded to sophomore Mike Cassady for his work "Sue at Eleven," junior Robin Wil for her work "48063," and senior junior Robin Will Elaine Bernat for her untitled green and white acrilic painting.

Junior Thomas Chapman received a first prize for his sculpture "Charlie Parker (Homage to) #19."

Jurors who selected the winners were Professor John Egner, Department of Art, Wayne State University and Professor Mel Leiserowitz, Department of Art, Michigan State University.

O.U. PUTTER'S OUT ON TOP

The Pioneer's putting staff came out on top after winning a quadrangle match with Albion College, Northwood Institute and Saginaw Valley State College, on Friday, April 21, at the Bald Mountain Golf Course.

Oakland University won the match with a score of 313, followed by Albion with 320, Northwood with 325 and Saginaw Valley with 336.

Medalist for O.U. was Taylor junior, John Hillman, with a oneover par 73. O.U. Captain Dave DeWulf, Bloomfield Hills, had a 76 Brown, Pontiac, each fired 82.

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH GRANTS APPLICATIONS NOW BEING ACCEPTED FOR 1972-1973

The Alumni Council has announced that funding will be available for the third consecutive year to support grants to outstanding undergraduates for independent scholarly projects during the winter, spring and summer sessions.

Applications are sought under the following conditions:

Applications describing the research to be done should be submitted by November 13, 1972 to the Office of Research Services, 371 DH, Ext. 73222, where forms and advice may also be obtained.

Proposals will be reviewed by the University Research Committee along with representatives of the Alumni Association during the month of December. Decisions will be announced in late December.

All O.U. undergraduates who have earned 30 or more semester hours of credit are eligible to apply. quests should be limited to \$200 with the funds to be used for appropriate supplies, services, travel, etc., connected with the scholarly project.

MEADOW BROOK HALL TOURS CONTINUE

Tour stately Meadow Brook Hall. The baronial home of Matilda Dodge Wilson, built in the style of the great manor houses of England and complete with its furnishings and art objects will be open to the public from I-4 p.m. on Sunday, May 7.



The dollhouse in the woods, Knole Cottage is patterned after its parent, Meadow Brook Hall.

KNOLE COTTAGE REVISITED

Knole Cottage, the pint-sized offspring of Meadow Brook Hall has been spruced up for the return of its original custom pieces of 3/4 size period and antique furniture. Richard Wilson, brother of the late Frances Dodge Van Lennep, has returned the furniture on loan to O.U.'s Division of Continuing Education.

The six-room playhouse where Frances Dodge used to sew and sweep the floor and burn wood in the fire-place was reopened on Sunday, April 23, when 2,000 Girl Scouts of the Northern Oakland County Girl Scout Council toured Meadow Brook Hall. The 4th and 5th grade members of Rochester Troop #242 are responsible for docent and house-keeping services at Knole Cottage.

Perhaps the world's finest playhouse, complete with five-foot-high doorways, steam heat, electric kitchen appliances and running water, Knole Cottage was designed as a place where Frances might learn the art of being a homekeeper. She even had a checking account and was "responsible" for running her house.

Visitors to Knole Cottage will be delighted with the wrought iron half-round marble end table and Italian shaped oval wall mirror in the entrance hall. Off the hall is a miniature coat closet and beyond it is the charming living room with a paneled fireplace complete with Adam andirons. There is a cozy window seat with five sunny windows, and on the floor is a Newfoundland throw rug with a dogsled scene.

In the dining room, which has a built-in china cabinet, is a 1/2 size harvest table with matching teawagon, four bamboo turned side chairs, a 3/4 size floor screen with green fabric inserts, a Chinese plant stand and a mezzotint, "Children Playing."

Exquisite 3/4 size furnishings include a Dutch marquetry Queen Anne open arm chair with a yellow tapestry slip seat, a camel-back Chippendale wing chair with square tapered legs and loose down T-seat cushion upholstered in gold brocade, a maple secretary with Dutch Queen Anne legs, a maple ladder-back side chair with rush seat, a maple dropleaf end table with turned stretcher legs and a plant stand with mahogany finish and turned stretcher legs.



Complete with tea set and easy chair, Knole Cottage living room's fireplace presents a cozy scene.

On the living room wall hangs a mezzotint, "Boy With Hare," by T. Hamilton Crawford, and "Girl With White Hat," by H. T. Greenhurd brightens the dining room.

The kitchen has a scaled-down two-burner stove, a small refrigerator, a child's dropleaf oval table with turned legs and a matching teacart.

Outdoors, the child-size lawn furniture includes two green umbrella tables with chairs, a green glider set and chairs, two doll-size sets of redwood picnic tables and benches and two sets of doll wooden outdoor furniture.

To arrange for group tours contact Mrs. Robert Simmons, Girl Scout consultant for Meadow Brook School, Rochester, Michigan, 313-375-9798. Half of the \$1.00 tour fee will be donated to O.U.'s Child Care Center.

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William Gibson's well-loved "The Miracle Worker" will be presented in January, 1973. One of the most moving dramas of the modern theatre, "The Miracle Worker" is the inspiring story of Helen Keller's teacher, the indomitable Annie Sullivan.

"Right You Are! (If You Think You Are)" will be staged by the Meadow Brook company next February. The play is a masterful blend of mystery, comedy, and drama by Luigi Pirandello, one of the major Italian playwrights of the century and one of the great theatrical innovators of all time.

The sixth play of the season will be Clifford Odets' "The Country Girl," an absorbing and mature conflict considered by many to be Odet's finest play.

Two European playwrights, Moliere and O'Casey, will share a double bill in April. "A Doctor in Spite of Himself" is Moliere's delightful and boisterous satire on the medical profession, and "Bedtime Story" is a farce in the Irish manner, as only the magnificent Sean O'Casey can create it.

The final four weeks of the season, the Meadow Brook stage will be haunted by the sinister figure of "Dracula." This masterpiece of horror and suspense has been enjoying a nostalgic comeback and great success across the country.



campus calendar EXTENSION BOOKCENTER: Bookstore

Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE Tuesday May 2 1:30 PM OU vs. Adrian and Albion (golf) at Adrian Wednesday Matinee Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE 2:00 May 3 Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE 8:30 OU vs. Northwood Institute (golf) at Midland Thurs day 1:30 PM Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE May 4 8:30 1:00 PM OU vs. Ferris and CMU (golf) at Big Rapids Friday OU vs. Spring Arbor (double header) at Spring Arbor 1:00 May 5 OU vs. Grand Valley (tennis) at Oakland 7:30 Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE 8:30

12 noon OU vs. Lake Superior (golf) at Sault Ste. Marie Saturday OU vs. Lake Superior (tennis) at Sault Ste. Marie May 6 12 noon Matinee Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE 6:00 PM Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE 9:30

OU vs. Ashland (double header) at Ashland, Ohio Sunday 12 noon 1-4 PM Meadow Brook Hall Tours May 7 Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE 6:30

1:00 PM OU vs. MSU (golf) at East Lansing Monday May 8

OU vs. U of M - Flint (golf) at Grand Blanc Tuesday 1:00 PM OU vs. Hillsdale College (double header) at Oakland May 9 1:00

1:00 PM OU vs. WSU and Aquinas (golf) at Oakland Wednesday May 10

PROFESSOR ARLENE JACKSON HAS ARTICLE ACCEPTED

Professor Arlene Jackson of the Department of English has just had an article, "Daniel Deronda and the Victorian Search for Identity," accepted for late 1972 publication by <u>Studies</u> in the <u>Humanities</u>.

KLECHNER'S PAPER TO ASEE

"A Professional Development Program - Formal Continuing Education for Practicing Engineers" was presented at the North Central Section meeting of the American Society for Engineering Education in Cleveland, April 14, 1972, by Professor Keith R. Kleckner, Assistant Dean of the School of Engineering.

APPLY NOW FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE COURSE

Applications are still being accepted for the Community Service Course 201-202 for fall semester.

Forms are available in the Urban Affairs Center, 120 North Foundation Hall and should be returned to Irene Robinson, Program Director in that office.

OAKLAND CENTER BUILDING HOURS SPRING SESSION 1972

BULLDING:

7AM-7PM* -Monday-Friday 9AM-7PM* Saturday & Sunday

*Exceptions for special scheduled events

FOOD SERVICE: Residential

SUNSET ROOM, Monday-Friday 7:15-8:15AM Full Breakfast Continental 8:15-10:00AM Breakfast 12:00-12:45PM Lunch Soup and

12:45-3:00PM Sandwiches 4:00-5:30PM Dinner GRILLE, Saturday and Sunday

9:00AM-5:30PM Breakfast Lunch 4:00-5:30PM Dinner

Public Monday-Friday

7:15-10:00AM SUNSET ROOM 4:30-5:30PM 10:00AM-4:00PM

SOUTH CAFETERIA II:00AM-I:15PM

Saturday and Sunday GRILLE

Monday-Friday 8:30AM-5:00PM* Saturday and Sunday Closed

*Exception Monday-Wednesday, May 8-10, Open 8:30AM-7:00PM

Gift Shop

10:00AM-1:00PM Monday-Friday 2:00-4:00PM

Saturday and Sunday Closed

CHARLIE BROWN'S:

Monday-Friday 8:00AM-4:45PM (Closed for lunch around 1:15PM) Saturday and Sunday

NOTE: Vending service available on lower level. Hours at Charlie Brown's will be extended when needed for conferences and special events.

STUDENT ORGANIZATION OFFICE: Monday-Friday 8:00AM-5:00PM Saturday and Sunday

COMMUTER SERVICES OFFICE: Monday-Friday 8:00AM-5:00PM Saturday and Sunday

PICKWICK GAMES AREA: Monday-Friday 10:00AM-6:00PM-Saturday and Sunday 1:00-6:00PM

Closed

SHAG SHOP: Monday-Friday 10:00AM-5:00PM Saturday and Sunday Closed

MGM LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANERS: 12:00-4:00PM Monday-Friday Saturday and Sunday Closed

These hours are subject to change for holidays and for special events.

JACKSON'S PAPER

Professor Glenn A. Jackson of the School of Engineering will present a paper entitled, "A Parameter Identification Method Combining Acceleration Search and Continuous Parameter Tracking," at the 15th Symposium on Circuit Theory, University of Missouri at Rolla, May 4, 1972.

11:00AM-1:00PM 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 University Relations, which is charged with exercising edi-9:00AM-6:30PM torial judgment over all articles.