

November 2-16, 1976

HONORS COLLEGE, JOURNALISM MAJOR OKAYED

The Oakland University Board of Trustees has approved a major in journalism and an Honors College of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences. Implementation is planned for Fall, 1977.

The journalism major was approved effective with the board's October 27 meeting. The honors program approval is official on November 3. The delay allows interested students a chance to comment on the new college. Richard H. Headlee will hear student views on behalf of the full board and determine if there is some major reason why the program should not be implemented.

There are currently no student representatives in the Assembly of the College of Arts and Sciences and trustees, while supporting the honors program, agreed that some additional time for student comment should be provided. The trustees rejected a University Congress position that it had a legal right to be consulted on the formation of the program and rejected student requests that the college be rejected because it was an elitist concept.

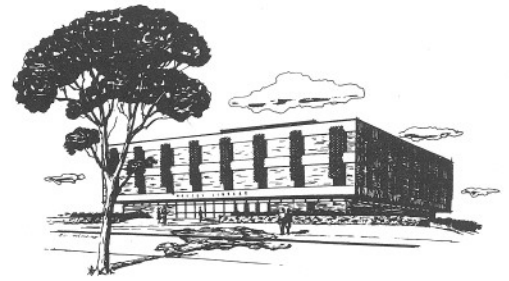
Planning for the first year of the Honors College will be done by Honors Program Committee. The members: Sheldon Appleton, political science; Melvin Chernow, history; David R. Cole, classics; Charles Lindemann, biology; Norman Susskind, modern languages; and Lewis Pino, research and instructional services. This committee was first formed on December 16, 1975, and charged with developing a proposal for an honors program in the College of Arts and Sciences. A director for the Honors College will be selected from the faculty in arts and sciences.

OU COMMUNITY CAN HELP STOP PARKING LOT THEFTS

The Department of Public Safety is seeking community help to stem simple larcenies and vandalism in the OU parking lots.

Persons observed loitering in the lots or engaged in apparent auto repairs should be reported, Earl Gray, director of public safety, said. Observers should call 377-3333 and an officer will check the actions of the person or persons being reported.

The problem is not acute, but we should all cooperate to stop these actions from occurring on the campus, Gray said.



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DEMONT GIVES ADDRESS

Billie DeMont, associate provost, recently delivered an address to the general session of the National Conference of Professors of Educational Administration. The title of her presentation was, "Women, Power, and Leadership." She and Roger A. DeMont, professor at Wayne State University, chaired a special interest group at the conference and presented a paper "Toward a Personal Commitment to Professional Accountability," which appeared in the September issue of the Bulletin of the National Association of Secondary School Principals. The DeMonts also co-authored "The Commitment to Personalized Learning and its Relationship to Student Behaviors," which will be published in the October issue of Liberal Education.

STATE'S DOLLAR SUPPORT HIGH PERCENTAGES LOW

The State of Michigan ranks 6th nationally in the total amount allocated for the operation of state college and universities, with an estimated appropriation of \$593,930,000.

However, the state ranks 27th in the amount of appropriations per capita with an average expenditure of \$64.86 and 37th in the nation in amount of appropriations per \$1,000 of personal income. That figure is an average of \$10.51 per thousand.

The figures are included in an article by Jack Magarrell carried in the October 25 article in the Chronicle of Higher Education. In the percent increase in appropriations between 1974-75 to 1976-77, Michigan's appropriations rose 13 percent to rank 40th from the top. Over the ten year period Michigan's appropriations increased 169 percent, good for 49th place among the states.

Magarrell's figures come from a variety of sources, including the U.S. Census Bureau, the U.S. Department of Commerce, and M.M. Chambers, professor of educational administration at Illinois State University. Professor Chambers has been compiling data on state appropriations for 18 years.

Appropriations by all states increased 24 percent over the past two years compared with a 15.8 percent inflation rate as measured by the Labor Department's Consumer Price Index. But the combined rise growth in prices and enrollment rose 30 percent, Magarrell said. The Higher Education Price Index, the cost of goods and services purchased by colleges and universities, was up 15.7 percent, and the enrollment of students for degree credit climbed 13.4 percent.

HIKING, CROSS COUNTRY SKI AREA OPEN

Nature lovers will have at least six miles of trails to follow this winter as Oakland University opens up the south-central portion of the campus off Butler Road.

Several miles of the trails are now ready for use, George Karas, university engineer, said. The trails, developed in consultation with the university's transportation committee, have been designed to expose wetlands, interesting tree growth, and possible picnic sites for the university community.

One completed trail runs from the barn or "piggery" east through the ravine area to the intersection of Walton Boulevard and Adams Road. Another trail starts at the southeast corner of Varner Hall and runs south and west. A picnic area is being developed on this trail where it intersects the east end of Londale Road. Revenue from the facilities use fee are being used to underwrite the cost of developing the trails. The area is intended for use by the university's cross country team, Karas said.

See map

DAWSON PUBLISHES

James Dawson, has recently had his article "Creating Pitch Sensitivity in Saxophone Performance" published by Woodwind World-Brass & Percussion. The professional journal is directed toward teachers and performers and is distributed throughout the United States and to 68 foreign countries.

EASTERLY DEMONSTRATES GAMES

Jean Easterly, education, demonstrated "Decisions," a simulation game of goals, choices, and values, at two recent conferences of the Michigan Council for the Social Studies and the North American Simulation and Gaming Association. She will give a third demonstration on November 4-7 at the Washington, D.C. meetings of the National Council for the Social Studies. At this meeting Easterly will demonstrate a second game, Access, a game designed to deal with women's issues. The game was designed by Easterly and Susan Ebel, director of Continuing Education for Women at the University of Michigan.

COMEDY SET FOR NOVEMBER 9

The Ok-Used Theatre Company, a professional group from Lansing, will present two performances of "Woman and Man" during a November 9 visit to Oakland University. Both performances of the original comedy by the company will be presented in the Barn Theatre. Curtain times are 3 and 8 p.m. Admission is \$1.00.

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NOTICE

OAKLAND UNIVERSITY ORDINANCE #8

An ordinance to amend Oakland University Ordinance #4, known as Public Safety Ordinance, by modifying the provisions relating to the use of alcoholic beverages on the campus of Oakland University by including the Barn Theater.

The Board of Trustees of Oakland University ordains:

Oakland University Ordinance #1 is hereby amended by modifying Section 2.02 thereof to read as follows:

2.02 Alcoholic Beverages. No person shall use or possess any alcoholic beverage on the campus except in permitted areas as established in this section. The lawful possession and the lawful and moderate use of alcoholic beverages shall be permitted in the private areas of University housing facilities including rooms, suites, apartments, and private homes and during scheduled and official University activities at the following locations: Meadow Brook Festival grounds; Sunset Terrace; Meadow Brook Club House; Meadow Brook Hall; residence hall lounges; Gold Room; Oakland Room; Faculty Lounge; Meadow Brook Room; South Cafeteria; Sunset Cafeteria; Abstention in the Oakland Center; Meadow Brook Art Gallery in Wilson Hall; and the lower level of the Barn Theater. The use of alcoholic beverages shall not be deemed to be moderate if it causes material impairment of the senses, judgment, or physical abilities of the

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user, or if it is used in association with a disturbance of the peace or other disorderly conduct.

Ordained by the Board of Trustees of Oakland University on
August 9, 1976 to be effective on publication.

Arthur W. Saltzman
Chairman

John De Carlo
Secretary

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NOTICE

OAKLAND UNIVERSITY ORDINANCE #9

An ordinance to amend Oakland University Ordinance No. 1, known as the Public Safety Ordinance, by supplementing the provisions thereof relating to Campus Regulations, Traffic Regulations, Lost Property, and Impounded Vehicles.

The Board of Trustees of Oakland University ordains:

Oakland University Ordinance No. 1 is hereby amended by adding thereto new Sections 2.27, 5.08, 5.09, 5.10, 5.11, 5.12, 5.13, 5.14 and 6.13, and by modifying Section 6.07, to read as follows:

2.27 Bridle Paths. No person shall ride any horse or other animal on the Campus except upon designated bridle paths.

5.08 No person shall drive a motor vehicle into an intersection or onto a marked pedestrian crosswalk unless there is sufficient space on the street ahead so that the motor vehicle can be driven clear of the intersection or crosswalk without the necessity of stopping in the intersection or upon the crosswalk.

5.09 No person shall park a motor vehicle on the campus for the purpose of displaying or advertising the vehicle for sale or for the purpose of washing, polishing, lubricating, or repairing the vehicle; provided, however, that this prohibition shall not be applicable to emergency repairs or to displaying,

advertising, or selling merchandise from a vehicle as authorized by the President or his designee.

5.10 In any proceeding for the violation of any provision of this ordinance relating to the parking of a vehicle, proof that the particular vehicle described in the complaint was parked in violation of the ordinance together with proof that the Defendant named in the complaint was either the registered owner according to the vehicle registration records of the Secretary of State or the lessee from the registered owner or that the Defendant was the person to whom any University permit affixed to the vehicle was issued shall be accepted by the court as establishing probable cause for the issuance of a warrant against the Defendant and shall create in evidence a presumption that the registered owner of the vehicle or the lessee of the registered owner was the person who parked or placed the vehicle at the time and place where the violation occurred.

5.11 No person shall park or store any mobile home, trailer, boat, or similar vehicle or property on the campus except in areas designated and posted for such purposes.

5.12 Where traffic control signals are not in place or in operation, the driver of a motor vehicle shall yield the right of way to a pedestrian crossing the street within any marked crosswalk or at any intersection.

5.13 A pedestrian crossing a street at any point other than within a marked crosswalk or at an intersection shall yield the right of way to vehicles on the street.

5.14 Except as otherwise provided, the operator of any bicycle upon any street shall be subject to all provisions of this ordinance which are applicable to the operators of motor vehicles and shall be entitled to the rights of motor vehicle operators as provided hereunder to the extent that the provisions of this ordinance can apply to the operation of bicycles.

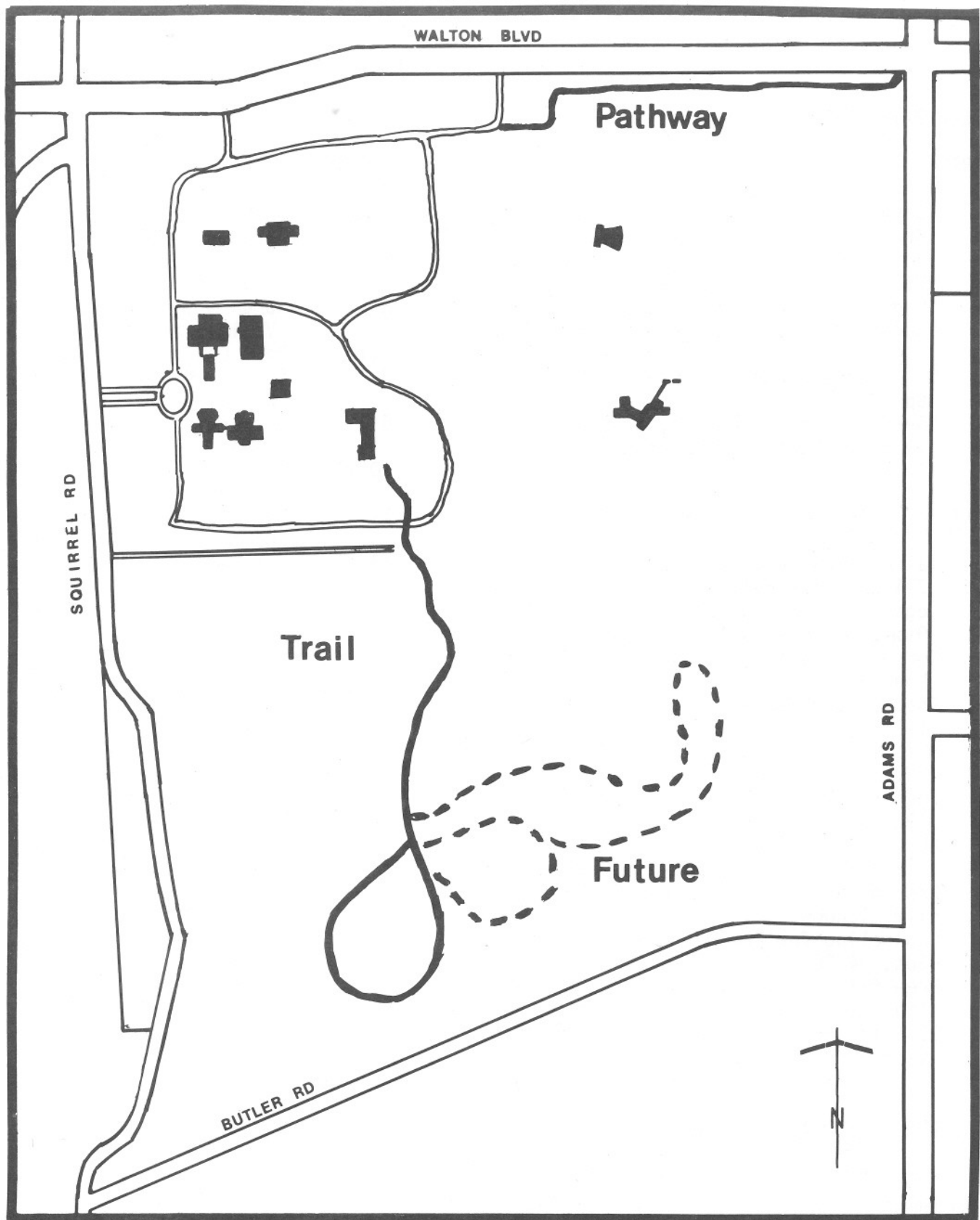
6.07 Lost Property. The Director of Public Safety shall be responsible for the collection and disposition of abandoned, lost and found, or stolen and recovered property on the campus. He shall maintain accounting records for such property, and shall establish regulations and procedures for the identification of the owners and for the return to them of such property and for the orderly disposition of unclaimed or perishable property. He is authorized to conduct periodic public auctions of unclaimed property and the net proceeds of any such sale shall accrue to the general fund of the University. The Director of Public Safety may also hold lost goods which are found on the campus as the agent of the finder for return to the lawful owner and may return such goods which are unclaimed to the finder in accordance with such procedure and policies as the Director of Public Safety may establish.

6.13 Removal of Impounded Vehicles. No person shall remove or operate a motor vehicle which has been impounded until such vehicle has been released from impoundment by the Department of Public Safety.

Ordained by the Board of Trustees of Oakland University this 27th day of October, 1976, to be effective upon publication.

Alan E. Schwartz
Chairman

John De Carlo
Secretary



HIKING TRAILS

Solid lines - areas completed
Dotted lines - work in progress

CALENDAR

November 2-16, 1976

THE ARTS

- 2-4 "Gertrude Kastle Collection," Meadow Brook Art Gallery
- 3 Indian Concert, Varner Recital Hall, 8pm
- 4-16 "The Night of the Iguana," MBT
- 5-7 "Oedipus," Barn Theatre, 8:30pm
- 8 Student Recital, Varner Recital Hall, 8pm
- 12 OU Singers Concert, Varner Recital Hall, 8pm
- 12-14 "Oedipus," Barn Theatre, 8:30pm
- 14 New Music Concert, Varner Recital Hall, 1-5pm

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

- 2-3 Talent Show Auditions, Abstention OC, 7-11pm, Area Hall Council
- 2,4,9, Legal Aid Information Services, 19 OC, 11,16 9am-2pm, University Congress
- 3 Commuter Council, 12noon-1pm, Faculty Lounge OC
- 3,10 Theological Social Concerns, 12noon-1pm, 19E OC
- 4 Miss OU Talent Show, 8-11pm, Abstention OC, Intrepid Souls
- 4 Formerly Married Group, 12noon-1pm, 19E OC
- 8 ACE, 3-4pm, Faculty Lounge OC
- 9-10 Voting for Miss OU, 8am-5pm, Table #3 OC
- 9 Fashion Show, 11:30am-1pm, Fireside OC
- 10 Film, 12noon, Gold room OC
- 10 Counseling for Pre-Med Students, 10am-3pm, 34 OC, ABS office
- 12 Free film, 10am-12noon & 1-3pm, Abstention OC, Order of Leibowitz
- 15 OC film series, 11:30am-1:30pm, Abstention OC, OC Operations

SPORTS

- 2,4,9, Aikido Club, Sports & Rec. Bldg., 1-2:30pm
- 11,16
- 2 Cross Country vs U of M, away, 4:30pm
- 2 Women's Volleyball vs Grand Valley, away, 6:30pm
- 3,10 Pool League, Pickwick, 7:30pm
- 3 Soccer Team vs U of M, away, 7:30pm
- 6 Soccer Team vs Wisconsin, here, 1:30pm
- 10,11 Table Tennis, Pickwick, 2-5pm & 7-9pm
- 12 Men's Swimming, Gold-White, Sports & Rec. Bldg., 7:30pm
- 13 Wrestling, Wildcat Open, away, 10am
- 15,16 Foosball Tournament, Pickwick, 2-5pm & 7-9pm

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, DISCUSSIONS

- 4,11 Camping, backpacking, cooking, 12noon-1pm, Fireside OC
- 4,11 Congress meeting, 6:30-11:30 pm, Lounge II OC
- 6 Preschool, Early Childhood, OU Conference Department
- 7,14 Liebowitz workshop, 12noon-11pm, Gold B OC
- 8 Youth Code Revision, OU Conference Department
- 8-10 Protective Service, OU Conference Department
- 10 Housing Payment Dates
- 12-13 OU Reading Conference, OU Conference Department

OU, CLERICAL TECHNICAL WORKERS APPROVE CONTRACT

The United Auto Workers/Clerical Technical Local 1925 has ratified the terms of a two-year agreement between the local and Oakland University. The ratification vote was held Thursday, October 28 and passed by a vote of 117-2. The OU Board of Trustees approved the agreement on October 27.

As of October 29, negotiations between the university and three remaining bargaining units are continuing. Those units are the OU American Association of University Professors, the Police Officers Association, and Local 14 of the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees.