

November 16, 1976

## GUIDELINES SET FOR BUCKLEY AMENDMENT

Oakland University has identified 11 categories of information that it can release under compliance with the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (Buckley Amendment).

The government has only recently issued regulations concerning the act that was passed in 1974.

Information that the university considers to be directory or public information is listed below. Students who want part or all of this information withheld have two weeks from this date (November 16) to file individual requests with Cynthia Livingston, university compliance officer, room 144, Oakland Center.

Directory or public information includes name, address, telephone number, date and place of birth, major field of study, participation in officially recognized activities and sports, height and weight of members of athletic teams, dates of attendance, including admissions information, degrees and awards received, including scholarships, most recent previous educational agency or institution attended by the student, and other similar information.

The university will repeat publication of the above guidelines in the fall. Individual students will again have two weeks from the date of publication to request that any or all of the directory information be withheld.

## OU TO IMPLEMENT ENERGY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Oakland University has engaged Honeywell, Inc. to start an energy management system for the university.

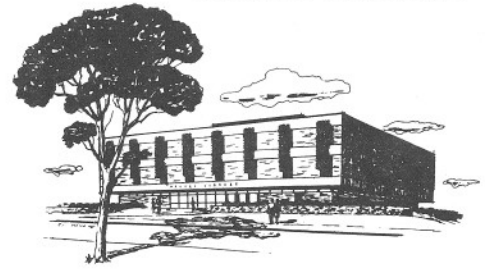
The system will give OU the ability to program and start and stop by remote control some 1,000 horse power of motors that power the fans, pumps, and other equipment on campus.

The university has made great reductions in energy use through a quick-fix method begun in 1971, and the energy management system is the next step in that energy reduction program.

George Karas, university engineer, said, "None of the earlier savings could have been achieved without the cooperation of the OU community. I know we will receive the same kind of cooperation in the next phase of conservation."

William Sharrard, mechanical engineer, explained that the quick-fix method included reduced building temperatures and lighting levels, reduced building hours, and building shut-downs during vacations.

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# OU NEWS

ROCHESTER, MICHIGAN

### RECORD CROWD AT TEST

The November 14 competitive scholarship examination and career day program was the most successful one ever held at the university, Ed Bagale, associate director of admissions and scholarships, said.

Some 800 students registered for the examination, an increase of 300 over last year. More than 200 additional students and their parents participated in the career day seminar and open house. More than 20 percent of the students attending were from out state, Bagale said.

Students were competing for renewable scholarships of from \$100 to \$600 a year. The awards are based on achievement without regard to family income. Representatives for OU's academic units participated in the program.

### OU SENATE MEETS NOVEMBER 18

The Oakland University Senate will meet November 18 at 3 p.m. in rooms 128-130 of the Oakland Center. The agenda is being distributed separately.

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The university has achieved all the energy and monetary savings it can under this procedure, Sharrard said.

Since 1971, OU gas consumption has fallen from over 300 million cubic feet to around 190 million cubic feet in 1975. Electricity use fell from 18 1/2 million kilowatt hours in 1971 to 14 1/2 million hours in 1975.

The university's electric bill in 1975 was \$350,000. Without current energy reduction measures, it would have been \$89,200 greater. The 1975 gas bill was just over \$300,000, but it would have been \$184,800 greater if the university had continued to consume gas at the 1971 level, Sharrard said.

The new energy management system involves the installation of relays and electrical controls running from the motors to data gathering panels in the major buildings. These controls will be linked to the Delta 2000 console already installed in the central heating plant.

The controls will allow the university to cut its costly peak demand time (the hour in which the university uses the most electricity forms a base for utility billing purposes), to set starting and stopping times for many pieces of equipment that need not be running at the same times, and to do equipment programming so that other fans and pumps can be operated or turned off to accommodate needs.

The new energy management system should be installed by the end of December. In addition to further cutting gas and electricity use, it should save another \$60,000 from the combined yearly gas-electric bills, Sharrard said.

## MAGAZINE CITES OU FOR QUALITY, LOW PRICE

Oakland University has been cited by Changing Times as an example of a quality school with a less than average tuition. Changing Times is the prestigious Kiplinger magazine.

The October, 1976 article entitled "Good Colleges at Bargain Prices" notes that a college should never be chosen by its price. Just as the most expensive schools aren't necessarily the best, the least expensive ones can not automatically be rated low, the article said.

The Changing Times article helps college-hunting students and parents by listing institutions with below average costs and above average academic credentials.

The magazine cited institutions whose total costs—tuition and fees, room and board, books and supplies, transportation and personal expenses are estimated to be less than \$4,568 a year, the national average for private four-year colleges in 1976-77. State supported schools were included in the list only if they cost less than that figure even for out-of-state students. OU's estimated costs were \$3,112 in state, \$4,368 out-of-state.

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## OU BLOOD DRIVE SUCCESSFUL

Oakland University donors contributed 370 pints of blood during the October 28 drive. The total was only one pint short of last year when OU had the largest single day blood drive in Oakland County.

The drive was coordinated by Brenda Hillock and Millie Hammerle from commuter services. The OU Student Nurses Association coordinated table volunteers to obtain donor's signatures prior to the drive and check temperatures the day of the drive. Commuter Council provided ice cream cones during the drive and donated proceeds of \$20 to the American Red Cross. Saga provided free orange juice to the donors.

Because of the continued success at OU, the Red Cross is recommending that the university hold a two-day drive in the future.

## BOARD MEETS NOVEMBER 30

The November 24 and December 22 meetings of the Oakland University Board of Trustees have been cancelled and a special meeting set for **November 30**.

The public session will be held at 8 p.m. in Lounge II of the Oakland Center.

## TWYMAN LECTURES

Margaret Twyman, manager of Meadow Brook Hall, was invited to present "The Meadow Brook Hall Conference and Cultural Center Philosophy and Operation Methods for Self-Sustaining Programs" at a recent conference on non-profit conference centers, held at Spring Hill Conference Center, Wayzata, Minnesota.

OAKLAND UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY SENATE

Third Meeting

Thursday, November 18, 1976

3:00 p.m.

128 - 130 Oakland Center

SUMMARY AGENDA

Submitted by George T. Matthews, for the Steering Committee

I. Reports from various standing committees.

II. Old Business:

I. Motion from the Teaching and Learning Committee with amendment concerning evaluation of teaching effectiveness by faculty colleagues.

Second Reading: debatable, amendable and eligible for final vote.

III. New Business:

None

GTM:jb  
Office of the Provost  
11/9/76

PLEASE NOTE: Copies of the full Senate agenda are available in all academic department offices for review.

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A FAIRY TALE CHRISTMAS  
AT  
MEADOW BROOK HALL  
10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
Wednesday - Sunday  
December 1 - 5

(December 1 is limited to pre-arranged group touring.)

Every year more and more families from all over Michigan and neighboring states begin their Christmas season at Meadow Brook Hall . . . this year in the delightful land of fairy tales and storybook themes.

As a member of the Oakland University community, you can simply take an extended lunch hour and enjoy "A Fairy Tale Christmas" right in your own "yard."

Meadow Brook Hall extends a special invitation (and special admission of only \$2.00) to the entire Oakland University "family" to share the holiday festivities, when this always-magnificent mansion is transformed into a Christmas wonderland for adults and children alike. Bring your spouse and children--the \$2.00 rate applies to immediate family of all OU faculty, staff and students.

The 1976 Christmas tour will feature, in addition to elaborate floral displays, exhibits from the Doll Hospital & Toy Soldier Shop, a Victorian doll house, a Ukrainian Christmas tree, and a candle factory.

SANTA CLAUS WILL MAKE FREQUENT APPEARANCES AT KNOLE COTTAGE. (Knole Cottage tours are 50 cents for all ages.)

Growing interest in Christmas at Meadow Brook Hall has also made it necessary to hold two Patron's Parties--Friday, December 3, and Saturday, December 4. Reservations are limited to 300 per evening, and the attached form should be sent as early as possible if you wish to attend. Patron's tickets are \$25 per person and include hors d'oeuvres at 7 p.m. and buffet dinner at 7:30 or 8:45 p.m. All proceeds are used for the preservation of Meadow Brook Hall

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PATRON'S TICKETS: Mail this form with check (made payable to Oakland University) to Meadow Brook Hall, Rochester, Michigan, 48063

Enclosed is my check for \_\_\_\_\_ Patron's Tickets. My preference is:

Friday, Dec. 3  
7:30 p.m. - First Buffet  
8:45 p.m. - Second Buffet

Saturday, Dec. 4  
7:30 p.m. - First Buffet  
8:45 p.m. - Second Buffet

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Excerpts from the quality yardstick: average scores of entering freshmen on college entrance tests are well above the national averages; admissions policies are selective; and a good percentage of the graduates go on to graduate schools.

The list is not intended to be exclusive. Some colleges may have been overlooked and many more would qualify if the price cutoff were higher, the article said.

Some of the "bargain institutions" include the University of Wisconsin at Madison, Baylor University, Wake Forest University, Auburn University, and St. Oalaf College.

## HOFFMANN, PETERSON HEAD CONFERENCE UNIT

Two new staff members have joined the Conference Department. They are Barbara Hoffmann, director, and Doug Peterson, who takes the newly created post of assistant director. Hoffmann replaces Dottie Owen who resigned last July. Completing the staff is Bee Stubblefield, conference assistant, who has been with the department one year.

Hoffmann has developed and coordinated the education program for Michigan Artrain and worked in the Continuum Center. Peterson is former executive director of the Artrain program.

The staff operates an expanded program that includes residential conferences during the winter and spring semesters. Meadow Brook Hall is being further developed as a regional and national conference center, and the Birmingham Center for Continuing Education offers another setting for conference programs.

The community is reminded that all conferences initiated by university personnel involving attendance by the general public need to be coordinated through the Conference Department. Inquiries should be directed to Hoffmann at 377-3272.

## PAY DISPUTE RULING SET

Judge Robert Webster has continued a temporary restraining order halting appeal hearings for faculty whose pay was docked during the September strike. Judge Webster has given the OU Board of Trustees until December 1 to determine by board resolution who should hold the appeal hearings and to determine due process procedures for these hearings.

The faculty union claims that the appeals should be heard by the board. The administration was going to hold appeal hearings before heads of the various academic units.

## NEWSPAPER JOBS OPEN

The OU Career Advising and Placement Office announces that The Newspaper Fund, Inc., will again conduct an Intern Scholarship competition for newspaper jobs next summer. This program is open to junior level students only. Persons interested in applying should do so before December 1, 1976. For information contact the placement office, room 201, Wilson Hall, or write The Newspaper Fund, P.O. Box 300, Princeton, New Jersey 08540.

## ENGINEERING JOB SEMINAR

The School of Engineering is holding a job placement seminar on November 18 from 2 to 5 p.m. in room 203, Dodge Hall of Engineering.

Walter Good, former college relations director, Ford Motor Company, will discuss campus interviews of college seniors and what interviewers look for in the students they talk to. Wayne Middleton, district engineering manager for administration and personnel, Michigan Bell Telephone Company, will discuss what happens when students are invited into an industrial plant for follow-up interviews.

In addition, Robert Edgerton of the OU Engineering faculty will discuss some aspects of professional registration for engineers. Ronald Kevern, director of the University Career Advising and Placement Office, will talk about the help his staff can give to students looking for jobs when they graduate.

## WARREN WRITES REVIEW

A book review by Donald I. Warren, sociology, was published in the September issue of The American Journal of Sociology. Warren reviewed Symbolic Communities by Albert Hunter.

## CALENDAR

November 16 - 29, 1976

### THE ARTS

- 17 Intermediate Jazz Concert, Varner Recital Hall, 8-11pm
- 19 Recital by Flavio Varani, Varner Recital Hall, 8pm, admission \$6
- 19-21 "Oedipus," Barn Theatre, 8:30pm
- 21 Collegium Concert, Varner Hall, 8-11pm
- 23 Student Recital, Varner Recital Hall, 8pm

### STUDENT ACTIVITIES

- 16,23, 30 Distribution of Literature, by Charlie Brown's, OC, Oakland Christian Fellowship
- 16-18 Hot Air Balloon Class, registration 11:30am-1pm, Crockery alcove, OC
- 16,18, 23,25 Aikido Club, Sports and Recreation Building, 1-2:30pm
- 17,24 Theological Social Concerns, 19E, OC, 12noon
- 17 Slide show, "Midwifery," Gold C, OC, 11am-1pm, Association of Women Students
- 18 Congress meeting, Exhibit lounge, OC, 6:30-11:30pm, University Congress
- 18 Talent Show, Dodge Hall room 201, 6-11pm, Area Hall Council
- 19 Sufi Meditation, Oakland Room, OC, 7-11pm, New Age Consciousness, admission \$4
- 20 Party and Dance, Crockery, OC, 9pm-2am, Hamlin Hall House Council
- 22 Sounding: A Liturgy, St. John Fisher Chapel, 7pm, Campus Minister
- 22 Sounding: About Ourselves, room 126, OC, 12 noon-3pm, Campus Minister
- 22 Film: "Sherlock Holmes and the Spider Woman," 11:30am-1:30pm, Abstention, OC, Film Series
- 22 Speaker: Dr. Donald Strachan, "Dentistry," 241 Dodge Hall, 12noon
- 24 Association of Women Students, Abstention, OC, 12noon
- 24 Counseling for Pre-Med Students, room 34, OC, 10am-3pm, Robert McPherson, Wayne State
- 29 Film: "Tom Jones," Abstention, OC, 11:30am-1:30pm, OC Film Series

### SPORTS

- 16 Foosball Tournament Finals, Pickwick, 2-5pm and 7-9pm
- 17 Pool League, Pickwick, 7:30pm
- 19-20 Wrestling, Ohio Open, Away
- 20 Men's Swimming, Away
- 22 Cards, Pickwick, 7:30pm
- 26-27 Wrestling, Southern Open, Away
- 27 Varsity basketball vs U of W, Away

### CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS

- 16 Lecture, Festivals and Holidays in Painting, Gold C, OC, 12noon-1pm
- 17 Workshop, Oakland Room, OC, 7-9pm, ACE
- 18 Workshops on Camping, Fire-side lounge, OC, 12noon-1pm, University Event Board
- 21 Order of Libowitz Workshop, Gold B,C, OC, 12noon-1pm
- 23 Women's Potential, Women's Center, OC, 12noon
- 29-30 Conference for Department of Social Service Training, Conference Department
- 30 Craft Workshop, Gold A, OC, 11am-3pm, ACE

### TOURS

All semester, Meadow Brook Hall is open for tours on Sunday 1-5pm.

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