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A History major voices out against Student Congress' newest recycling program and thinks the whole thing should be canned.

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The unexpected rescheduling of the Board of Trustees meeting to Friday, February 23 at 3 p.m. created a stir of speculation as to where the Board was headed in its delayed presidential search.

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Gary Russi



Kevin Early



Gong xi fa cai!
Happy New Year!
As of midnight Saturday, the Chinese began celebrating a new year, which also marked the beginning of spring. The Chinese calendar, based on the country's planting and harvesting schedule, has 12 animals to represent each 12 year cycle.

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Every year a conference championship has been held, the men have won it. This year the men will be going for their 18th straight GLIAC title. On the men's side, OU is clearly the cream of the crop.

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Food plans put on the table Aramark visits campus to showcase ideas

By SALLY TATO
News Editor

Residence Hall students got a taste of what Aramark has in store for OU's food service when a representative presented prospective plans at last week's Residence Hall Council meeting.

The purpose of the meeting was to let students know what franchise names, as well as Aramark owned restaurants, the company would

bring to campus if it was voted OU's new food contractor by the Board of Trustees in April.

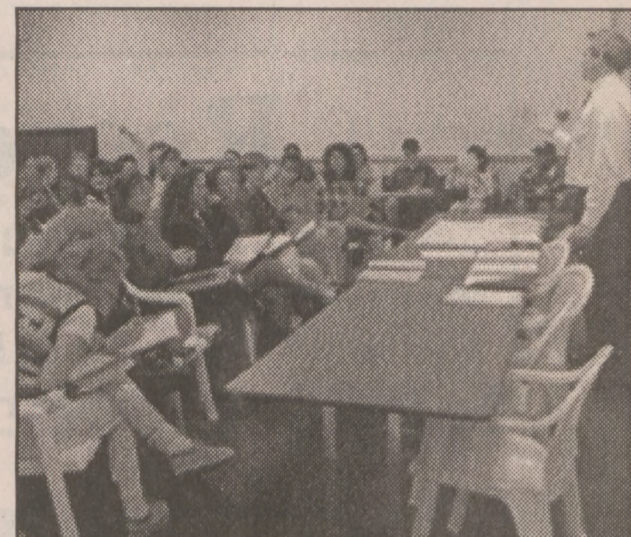
More importantly, though, the company got a chance to find out what students thought about the changes, from verbal feedback and surveys distributed during the meeting.

"They're definitely interested," said Jean Ann Miller, assistant director of Residence Halls. "Residence Hall students are a cap-

tive audience regarding food service. They're excited about changes and the options of franchise food."

However, students were also quick to voice differing opinions if necessary.

Miller cited one example when students objected to the idea of Aramark closing the cafeteria on the weekends and having students use their meal cards at the food



Post Photo/Patty Young

SHOW AND TELL: An Aramark representative attended last week's Residence Hall Council meeting

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Law and politics discussed by new student group

By JAIME SHELTON
Staff Writer

Senior Political Science major Andre Tchakerian has big plans as president of OU's new Law Society.

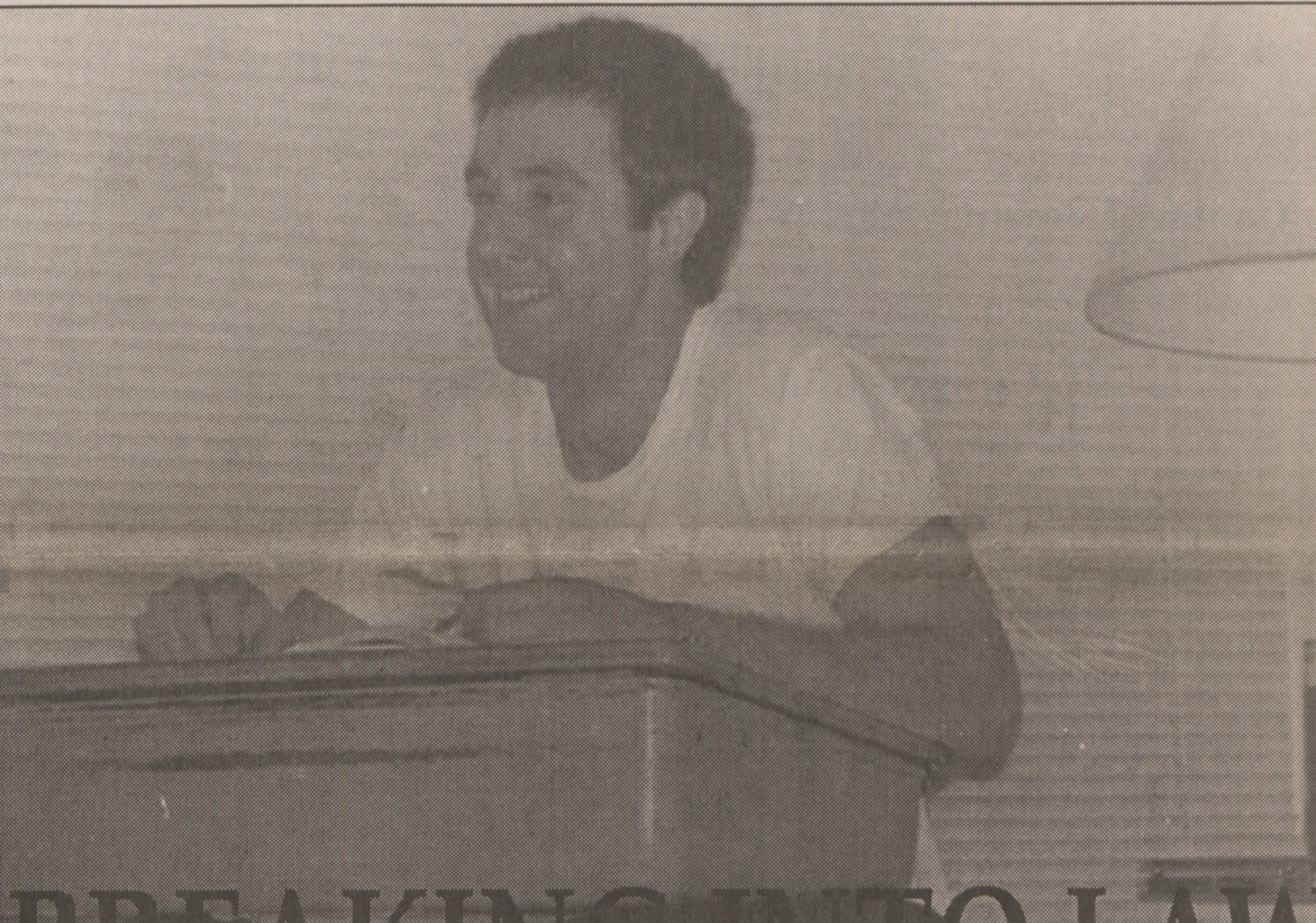
Only a couple weeks old, Tchakerian formed the society because he saw a need for additional advice and assistance with studying for law tests at OU.

By creating this organization, Tchakerian said students can become more involved with people in the criminal justice system.

"We're in baby steps right now," said Tchakerian but added that plans are underway for events including : tours of law offices, guest lecturers, and a LSAT workshop.

"This is not something that's just going to help Andre, but the whole

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BREAKING INTO LAW

OU students join the ranks with the hundreds of others testing their skills for law school suitors

By SALLY TATO
News Editor

Rob Malleis had to leave his fingerprint at the door before enduring what now probably goes down in his memory as the most nerve-racking hours of his 22-year-old life.

No, he wasn't under arrest. Instead the Political Science

senior was one of about 15 in a North Foundation Hall classroom a few weeks ago hoping that all his studying, pre-testing, and preparing would produce results high enough to get him into his preferred choice law school.

Malleis hopes to get accepted to University of Detroit's Law School but isn't happy with his performance on the Law School Admissions Test (LSAT) even though he does-

n't know the results.

"I don't think I did as well as I wanted to," said Malleis who already plans on re-taking the test in June, despite the fact that he hasn't received his results yet.

Political Science Chairman Vincent Khapoya would say Malleis is on the right track.

According to Khapoya, high LSAT results are a key to law school acceptance.

Graduating with a political

science degree, however, is not, Khapoya said.

"We do not have students designated as pre-law because technically you don't have to be a political science major to go to law school," Khapoya said.

Instead good grades, an undergraduate degree, letters of recommendation and high LSAT scores pave the way to

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High turnout expected at annual awards banquet

By SARA CALLENDER
Staff Writer

In celebration of Black History Month, OU will again host its annual 'Keeper of the Dream' awards banquet with keynote speaker Fr. William T. Cunningham, executive director of Focus: HOPE.

"The banquet truly brings the campus together as one multi-cultural family," said Kevin Early, Assistant Professor of Sociology and banquet founder.

The sold-out fourth annual banquet and reception takes place tomorrow evening honoring the 1995 Keeper of the Dream

scholarship recipients, Bridget N. Green and Kelly M. Schehr, for their scholastic contributions to multi-cultural understanding and good will.

Both recipients were nominated by Felecia Bumpus, Coordinator of Intercultural Programs in CIPO.

"I'm surprised, happy, honored, elated and grateful, especially to Felecia Bumpus for nominating me," said Green, Student Activities Funding Board Chair.

Schehr, Student Programs Board Chair, agrees. "I'm really happy," she said. "The greatest honor of the award was being nom-

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Proceeds from the banquet support two scholarships each year to OU students who have made outstanding scholastic contributions toward multi-cultural understanding and goodwill.



WINNERS: Bridget Green (left) and Kelly Schehr are "Keeper of the Dream" scholarship recipients

Keeper of the Dream Banquet

- WHAT: 4th annual 'Keeper of the Dream' Banquet
- WHERE: Oakland Center Crockery
- WHEN: February 22 at 6 p.m.
- TICKETS: \$50 per person including dinner and reception
- FEATURES: Fr. William T. Cunningham, executive director of Focus: HOPE of Detroit will speak at the event

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Celebrate Black History Month!!!!

Outcome of the February 12th Student Congress Meeting

- The First Reading of Bill 96-08 was tabled until the February 19th meeting of the Student Congress. The bill would allocate \$575 to purchase pencil sharpeners to be placed in the hallways of classroom buildings.
- A motion was made to suspend the bylaws in order to facilitate the inclusion of Resolution 96-09, which resolved that the OUSC President appoint cabinet positions to an interim status within one OUSC meeting of an executive cabinet vacancy and that the President make a permanent appointment to any vacant cabinet position, within a total of three weeks following a vacancy, not applying to the spring/summer term. The bill was passed with 12 yeas and 2 nays.
- Charge 96-02 was passed by a voice vote.

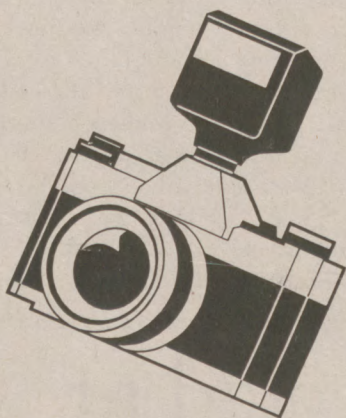
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