NOTE OF APPRECIATION

Editor, the MAJOR:

As we write this to a winter routine, I would like to express sincere gratitude to the 116 individuals, businesses, civic groups and churches who contributed by sending food, clothing, bedding, supplies, and other gifts to the United Way Christmas Charity Binola. Without their generous help, many might have been without the shelter, food, clothing, and other gifts the binola distributes.

Thanks are also extended to the staff of the binola who have operated the operation, and to the students who have been the primary source of help during the season.

State University

Jan. 19

Sat., 10 a.m. - noon. "Day of the Child" in the BGSU Family Services Center, 425 Stage, main building.

Mon., 7:30 p.m. "Why do people cry?" The College of Social Work features a free film presentation. Call 429-5104 for more information.

Tues., 5:30 p.m. "The best of the bicentennial year in Michigan." The Strobel Library features a free film presentation. Call 254-6220 for more information.

Wed., 7:30 p.m. "Vendetta in Chicago." The Gish Film Theater features a free film presentation. Contact Bryan McFall, (2-2786) for more information.

Thurs., 7:30 p.m. "Division." The Gish Film Theater features a free film presentation. Contact Bryan McFall, (2-2786) for more information.

Fri., 7:30 p.m. "The gift." The College of Social Work features a free film presentation. Contact Ronald Smith, (2-2363) for more information.

Sat., 8:30 p.m. "Women's Basketball, vs. Ohio State." The Center for and University Athletics, (2-2363) for more information.

Sun., 1 p.m. Free security in the Recreation Center.

Book examines communication of people of diverse, ethnic backgrounds

Communication is an unyielding topic in culture, said Dr. Albert Gonzalez, Jonathon and Margaret Elinor King Professor in Communication, and the literature on communication is a rich resource with many references. For those wishing to understand the complexities of communication among diverse ethnic and social groupings, Gonzalez and his colleagues have published a book that is a highly recommended read.

Gonzalez and his colleagues feel that in traditional intercultural communication studies, there is no description of culture. Culture, he added, "is what we're talking about." The people of Ohio and the area in which they live and work are part of a culture, and the study of communication is the examination of how people from diverse cultures interact.

Dr. Timothy Fralin, a professor of psychology at the University of Notre Dame, said that it's important to understand how communication differs among cultures because "communication is a means of sharing meaning." The book provides a valuable resource for educators and researchers interested in understanding communication among diverse groups.

The book examines communication of people of diverse, ethnic backgrounds.

Eckel appointment to aid in facilitating American businesses' investment opportunities in Russia

Dr. Norman Eckel, accounting and MIS professor, is the consultant to the U.S. Russia Information Resource Network on business education. Thomas Messer, the chairman of the BGSU Department of Business, said that Eckel "will be a great addition to the college's efforts to develop closer ties with Russia." Eckel has been involved in international business education and has traveled to Russia to develop business relationships.

Eckel will take a year's leave of absence from BGSU to work in Moscow. He said that he has been asked to work with the Russian government on business education and to facilitate American businesses' investment opportunities in Russia.

Camcorders available

Faculty, staff and students with a valid ID can purchase VHS camcorders from Intracom Computer Services. The camcorders are available for $25 or $75. The camcorders have adjustable focus, an on-demand color spectrum and a two-hour battery life. Each camcorder includes a manual, a service warranty and a quick-start guide. The camcorders can be purchased at the College Bookstore.

Gould appointed president of association

Dr. Kenneth Gould, Graduate College and Romance languages, has been elected president of the American Association of Canadian Studies in the United States. The association's biennial conference in New York will feature Gould as the keynote speaker.

The association, which has more than 1,500 members, is the leading scholarly association dedicated to the study of Canadian studies. The conference will focus on "Canada's Place in the World: The Challenges of a Changing Environment." All members are invited to attend the conference.

President Gould will serve a two-year term.

MATH PH.D.

All students in the program will be required to complete a unique feature for a university the size of BGSU. Wisconsin Technical College has not out of three state schools there and BGSU has not. It has some of the most high grade point averages, in the 3.2 and 3.3 range for Russell and of the Southern Association for College and the Southern Association for College.

The book examines communication of people of diverse, ethnic backgrounds.

Q & A ABOUT COLLECTIVE BARGAINING

A variety of questions have been raised about faculty collective bargaining and its impact on the University. Our faculty have requested that the University improve the process through a collective bargaining agreement. The University and the faculty have agreed to negotiate a new agreement.

Question: A recent BGSU Faculty Association newsletter claims that during the past year our faculty have reviewed requests for and it approved amount of those funds are available from the Office of Moscow office that provides American space as well as computers, communication style and the United States. Many people find it more convenient to pledge by payroll "missing economy."

Answer: Dr. Christopher Dalton, vice president for planning and Budgeting, said that payroll pledges are just one way that faculty members can support the University. Faculty members can also contribute to the University through donations or by volunteering their time and expertise.

Answer: The most accurate source of information for students is the number of students enrolled in degree programs. The number of students enrolled in degree programs is typically higher than the number of degree-seeking students. This is because some students are enrolled in more than one degree program.

Answer: Each campus has a different rate for overnight guests. This is because each campus has a different number of guest rooms and a different number of guests. The rate for overnight guests is typically higher than the rate for day guests. This is because the University wants to encourage students and faculty to stay on campus.

Answer: Each campus has a different rate for academic sessions. This is because each campus has a different number of academic sessions. The rate for academic sessions is typically lower than the rate for overnight guests. This is because the University wants to encourage students and faculty to stay on campus.

Answer: Each campus has a different rate for off-campus guests. This is because each campus has a different number of off-campus guests. The rate for off-campus guests is typically lower than the rate for academic sessions. This is because the University wants to encourage students and faculty to stay on campus.

Answer: The rate for academic sessions is typically lower than the rate for overnight guests. This is because the University wants to encourage students and faculty to stay on campus.

Question: A recent BGSU Faculty Association newsletter claims that during the past year our faculty have reviewed requests for and it approved amount of those funds are available from the Office of Faculty Benefits. The most accurate source of information for students is the number of students enrolled in degree programs. The number of students enrolled in degree programs is typically higher than the number of degree-seeking students. This is because some students are enrolled in more than one degree program.

Answer: The most accurate source of information for students is the number of students enrolled in degree programs. The number of students enrolled in degree programs is typically higher than the number of degree-seeking students. This is because some students are enrolled in more than one degree program.

Answer: Each campus has a different rate for off-campus guests. This is because each campus has a different number of off-campus guests. The rate for off-campus guests is typically lower than the rate for academic sessions. This is because the University wants to encourage students and faculty to stay on campus.

Answer: The rate for academic sessions is typically lower than the rate for overnight guests. This is because the University wants to encourage students and faculty to stay on campus.

Question: A recent BGSU Faculty Association newsletter claims that during the past year our faculty have reviewed requests for and it approved amount of those funds are available from the Office of Faculty Benefits. The most accurate source of information for students is the number of students enrolled in degree programs. The number of students enrolled in degree programs is typically higher than the number of degree-seeking students. This is because some students are enrolled in more than one degree program.

Answer: The most accurate source of information for students is the number of students enrolled in degree programs. The number of students enrolled in degree programs is typically higher than the number of degree-seeking students. This is because some students are enrolled in more than one degree program.

Answer: Each campus has a different rate for off-campus guests. This is because each campus has a different number of off-campus guests. The rate for off-campus guests is typically lower than the rate for academic sessions. This is because the University wants to encourage students and faculty to stay on campus.
COMMENTARY

Editor, the Monitor:

Last year the combined efforts of BGSU faculty, staff and students working a total 300,000 hours in a year helped to provide funds to be used by the University of the United States of a project that will provideiver the next five years. This project is the University's "Community Service Scholarships Program" (CSSP), which is supported by the United States Department of Education.

The CSSP provides scholarships for undergraduate and graduate students who volunteer their time and skills to community service projects. The program is administered by the University's Community Service Office.

In addition, the CSSP provides funding for community service projects that are organized and coordinated by community organizations.

The CSSP is a unique opportunity for students to gain valuable experience and make a positive impact on their communities. It is also an excellent way for students to develop important skills such as leadership, teamwork, and communication.

The CSSP is open to all full-time undergraduate and graduate students at BGSU. To apply, students must complete an application form and submit it to the Community Service Office. Applications are available on the BGSU website.

If you are interested in learning more about the CSSP or would like to apply, please visit the BGSU Community Service Office website.

Sincerely,
[Your Name]

BGSU Community Service Office

Q & A ABOUT COLLECTIVE BARGAINING

Richard E. Hildreth, Associate Director of Collective Bargaining and Labor Relations, answers questions from employees.

Question: What does "collective bargaining" mean?

Answer: Collective bargaining is the process in which labor unions negotiate with employers to determine terms and conditions of employment, such as wages, hours, and benefits.

Question: How are union agreements typically reached?

Answer: Union agreements are typically reached through a process called "collective bargaining." This process involves negotiations between the employer and the union, and can take several weeks or months to complete.

Question: What is the role of the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) in collective bargaining?

Answer: The role of the NLRB is to ensure that the collective bargaining process is fair and that employees have the right to participate in it. The NLRB investigates complaints of unfair labor practices and takes action to correct them.

Question: How can employees get involved in the collective bargaining process?

Answer: Employees can get involved in the collective bargaining process by participating in union meetings, attending employer presentations, and providing written comments to the employer.

Question: What should employees do if they have concerns about their union agreement?

Answer: Employees should contact their union representative or the union's grievance procedure if they have concerns about their union agreement. They can also seek help from an attorney or a labor relations professional.

Gould appointed president of association

Dr. Karen Gould, Graduate College and romance languages, has been appointed president of the American Association of College and University Presidents (AACUP).

Gould's appointment is effective immediately and will continue through the end of the association's biennial conference in New York City in 1997.

The association, which has more than 1,200 member institutions, is the largest organization of U.S. colleges and universities.

Gould is a professor of modern and comparative literature at the University of Washington in Seattle, where she has been a member of the faculty since 1987.

She was chosen to head the association's biennial conference in New York City in 1997, which will be held in conjunction with the annual meeting of the American Studies Association.

In addition to her role at the University of Washington, Gould is also a professor of comparative literature at the University of California at Berkeley.

Gould served as a delegate to the association's annual meeting in 1993 and is a member of the association's executive committee.

Her research interests include comparative literature, critical theory, and political philosophy.

MATH PH.DS.

A unique feature for a university the size of BGSU, where there are only a few Ph.D. programs in the sciences, is that we can offer a double degree in Mathematics and Ph.D. in an area of science. This is available for students majoring in Mathematics who wish to pursue a Ph.D. in an area of science.

The double degree program is designed to allow students to combine the study of mathematics with a second area of study, such as physics, chemistry, or computer science. The program requires students to complete a total of 90 credit hours, consisting of coursework and research in both areas.

Students in the double degree program are typically supported by financial aid and can often complete both degrees in a shorter time than if they pursued them separately.

The program is open to students who have completed a bachelor's degree in Mathematics or in an area of science and who have demonstrated a strong interest in pursuing research in both areas.

Students interested in the double degree program should contact the Graduate Program in Mathematics for more information.

Faculty and students in the double degree program have the opportunity to work with faculty in both departments, and to take advantage of the resources and facilities available at BGSU.

The double degree program is an excellent opportunity for students who are interested in pursuing a career in research or in a field that requires a strong background in mathematics and science.

The program is currently available to students in the departments of Mathematics and Physics, and will be expanded to other science departments in the future.
Tuesday, Jan. 25
Ams & Sciences Faire Lecture Series

Wednesday, Jan. 26
BGSU Faculty Arts Series, presented in cooperation with the Center for the Arts, will perform, 8 p.m. Shreve Hall, Moore Music Arts Center.

Thursday, Jan. 27
Calendar: "Commuter Students And Full-Career Employees Making The Transition: The Promotion To Faculty," registration begins at 8:30 a.m. for the day, Union Room.

Groups attending Festival Series get discount
The Festival Series Board, in an effort to promote the last two Festival Series shows, is offering a special group price of $50 for 10 tickets (regular $50). For groups of 10 or more, the following shows will be eligible: "The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe," presented by the BGSU Drama Department, for performances at 8 p.m. on Jan. 25 and 26 in the Moore Music Arts Center, Hilltop Hall.

Attend EAP sessions
The Employee Assistance Program (EAP) Employee orientation sessions have been added. The next two sessions will continue on Jan. 25 and 27. The sessions are aimed at helping employees answer the questions they have about the University's new program. For information, call Debbie Miller in the EAP office, 372-4665 or 310225.

Monday, Jan. 24
Eyes on the future. An evening of visionaiy tours by an American artist. For information, call 392-4730 or 310863.

Friday, Jan. 28
Hockey vs. Michigan State 7:30 p.m. (in the Convocation Center).

Saturday, Jan. 29
Comic Plays, the Second blast of the season. Presented by the College of Communication and Information, at 4 p.m. in the Union Room. Press call 372-7814 or 372-2268 for more information.

Monday, Jan. 31
Comic Plays, "Open Sesame," 7:30 p.m. in the Convocation Center.

BGSU-FAC and Room 157 will present the Spring 1982 Faculty Arts Series, "Life and Times of Balzac," on Jan. 25 and 26 in the Moore Music Arts Center.

 accompanies the BGSU Art Department's recent exhibition of this artist's work, "The Giant's Mirror." Information on a reservation is available in the Office of Admissions.

It's a new Beginning for the "Center for the Arts.

Notable note for the new Vision Service Plan
Faculty members are reminded that Faculty Arts Series, a number of telephone calls from employees concerned with the original Vision Service Plan (VSP) regarding the procedure for receiving benefits under the plan. In a number of instances appointments for vision exams have been scheduled before a benefit was voided. To avoid this situation the University presented his "Vision Services," to the employees for short-term work on special projects or to other students of retired faculty, for the current academic year.

Using applications for faculty lounge; Frances Himes, Feb. 3, 8 p.m.

Mary Holley, personnel officer, said that personnel services began agencies.

During 1981-82, the University Bookstore sold $180,000 worth of books and services to employees for short-term work on special projects or to other students of retired faculty, for the current academic year.

Mary Holley, personnel officer, said that personnel services began agencies.

During 1981-82, the University Bookstore sold $180,000 worth of books and services to employees for short-term work on special projects or to other students of retired faculty, for the current academic year.

Mary Holley, personnel officer, said that personnel services began agencies.

During 1981-82, the University Bookstore sold $180,000 worth of books and services to employees for short-term work on special projects or to other students of retired faculty, for the current academic year.