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Bowling Green State University
New library policy limits eating, smoking; stresses quiet study

Noise, litter and smoking, long-standing concerns of the Jerome Library staff, have prompted some new rules in the library, but to assist faculty members in those areas for reporting problems or deficiencies in classrooms or offices, the operations staff is not equipped to handle all problems. Dr. Dwight Burlingame, dean of libraries and learning resources, said student monitors will be trained by Campus Safety and Security to assist with enforcing the new rules, and Campus Safety officers also will conduct a security audit of the library.

In addition to enforcing the new policy designed to control noise and litter in the library, some physical changes have been made in the building to help reduce those problems. Burlingame said all photocopiers have been centralized in one room, which has been carpeted to muffle the sound of the machines and the conversation of those who wait in line to use them. Telephones on stack floors also are to be removed so that phone conversations will not disturb those patrons using the study carrels. Intercoms to the circulation desk will be installed in place of the phones so that emergencies can be reported. An additional group study room also has been opened in Room 126 of the library.

Further measures designed to make the library more acoustically effective also are being studied, and a student public relations intern will be hired during the spring semester to prepare a campaign designed to urge library patrons to control their noise and litter.

Burlingame said the steps to improve the library atmosphere were taken after several years of study by the library staff, which helped the Student Government Association survey students about the library in 1978.

In 1982 advanced journalism students also suggested public relations programs aimed at improving the library and its services. Many of those suggestions, including providing classroom space for group study in the library, have been implemented with varying degrees of success.

Burlingame said the students themselves suggested that eating and drinking be prohibited in the library and that all vending machines be removed, but the library staff believes it is important to first try to contain such activities in a central area.

President issues statement on King holiday observance

Monday, Jan. 17, 1983, is Martin Luther King Day, a holiday for University employees. Classes will not meet on that day, and all University offices will be closed.

Only those activities deemed absolutely essential by area supervisors will continue during the holiday period. The policy regarding holiday payment for classified employees is outlined in Personnel Procedure Memorandum #11.

The next University holiday, Memorial Day, will be observed on Monday, May 30. President Olscamp has asked for thoughtful observation of the King holiday, issuing the following memorandum to the entire University community:

"The service of Martin Luther King in the cause of equal rights for all is a milestone in the history of our country. Perhaps no other American has done so much for the cause of his people since the Civil War, and yet his goals of justice and liberty for all remain unfulfilled 15 years after his death. It behooves all of us to pause on Martin Luther King Day and consider the legal, moral and human implications of his life and work."

Nominations invited for student affairs search committee

The search for a vice president for student affairs is expected to be fully underway within the next few weeks, and President Olscamp is now inviting nominations from faculty and staff for members of the search committee.

Because the position of vice president for student affairs is a new position within the University's administrative structure, the Academic Charter contains no guidelines for the search and selection procedure. Olscamp has therefore set up a 10-member search committee with the following membership:

Two representatives from the student affairs area.
One representative from intercollegiate athletics.
One representative from the Undergraduate Student Government.
One representative from the Graduate Student Senate.
One at-large student representative to be appointed by the president.

Noting that he will ensure that women and minorities are adequately represented on the committee, Olscamp said, "I am inviting the members of the community to submit suggestions for membership on this committee to me no later than Jan. 30. I cannot promise to appoint everyone nominated, but I shall give each suggestion the most serious consideration."

Olscamp said he intends to arrange campus visits in late March and early April for the five final candidates and to name the new vice president for student affairs by May 1.

In Brief...

Admissions reminder

The Office of Admissions has issued a reminder that the Dec. 15 and Feb. 1 dates listed in admissions materials as "deadlines" for submitting applications for the 1983-84 academic year are not "deadlines," but dates recommended to ensure consideration for admission to specific programs.

John Martin, director of admissions, said no action is taken for admission applications that are received beyond the recommended Dec. 15 date. Applications to the other colleges also will be accepted beyond the suggested Feb. 1 date.

Martin said a closing date for applications will be announced when the admissions office perceives it has received enough applications to fill the freshman class.

Lots sold

Two downtown Cleveland lots donated to the University by alumni Nick Mileti have been sold by the University Foundation to the Greater Cleveland Chapter of the American Red Cross.

The lots, the site of The Arena which once housed Cleveland's professional hockey and basketball teams, were sold for $60,000, according to James M. Hodge, director of development, who said proceeds from the sale will be used for alumni association projects. Mileti, who owned The Arena before it was razed in 1977, gave the lots on Euclid Avenue to the alumni association in 1978.
### Exhibits

Photographs by Russell McNight, through Jan. 26, McFall Center Gallery. Gallery hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 2-5 p.m. weekends. A reception for the artist is scheduled from 7-10 p.m. Friday, Jan. 14, in the gallery.

### Employment Opportunities

**CLASSIFIED EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

**NEW VACANCIES**

No new vacancies were received last week in the Office of Personnel Support Services.

**CONTINUED VACANCIES**

**Posting Expiration Date: Monday, Jan. 10, 1983**

- **1-10-1** Chemical Storekeeper 1
  Pay Range 26
  Biological Sciences

- **1-10-2** Clerk 2
  Pay Range 3
  Student Health Service

- **1-10-3** Electronic Technician 1
  Pay Range 37
  Technical Support Services

- **1-10-4** Food Service Worker
  Pay Range 1
  Leisure Union

- **1-10-5** Typist 2
  Pay Range 4
  Coordinators of Education/EDC
  Permanent part-time

- **1-10-6** Word Processing Specialist 1
  Pay Range 25
  Library
  Permanent part-time
  1-month position

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For ticket information, call the Memorial Hall ticket office, 372-2762.

**Saturday, Jan. 15**

Hockey vs. Western Michigan. 7:30 p.m. Ice Arena. For ticket information, call the Memorial Hall ticket office, 372-2762.

**Sunday, Jan. 16**

Creative Arts Youth Orchestra, directed by Grzegorz Nowak, 3 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center, Free.

**Monday, Jan. 17**

“The Murders Are Among Us,” German film with English subtitles, 7:30 p.m., Giam Film Theater, Free.

**Tuesday, Jan. 18**

Faculty Senate. 2:30 p.m., McFall Center Assembly Room. This meeting was originally scheduled on Tuesday, Jan. 25. Library seminar for graduate students on the topic of “Abstracting Services.” 4:30 p.m., Room 126, Jerome Library.

### Faculty & Staff

**Presentations**

- **Dr. Michael T. Marsden**, popular culture, presented a paper on “The Image of the American Indian in Popular Film: A Pluralistic Approach” at the 22nd annual conference of the Western History Association Oct. 21 in Phoenix, Ariz.

- **John W. Martin**, admissions, made a presentation on “BGSU’s Use of Positioning as an Aid in Developing a Marketing Plan” at the 38th national conference of the National Association of College Admissions Counselors on Sept. 29.

- **Dr. David Ostroff**, speech communication, presented a paper, “Bathtub Gin, Flappers, and 400 MHz: Cable Television Development as a Reflection of the 1920s,” at the annual meeting of the Society for the History of Technology Oct. 29 in Philadelphia.

- **Andreas Poulimenos**, music performance studies, has been cast in the role of Marcello in “La Bohème,” to be presented by the Orlando Opera Co. Poulimenos will perform with a number of international opera stars in the production.

- **Dr. F. Scott Regan**, speech communication, presented a paper, “What Should Be the Role of the University in Children’s Theater?”, at the Ohio Theatre Alliance annual meeting Oct. 2 at Otterbein College.

- **Dr. Harold Rowe**, educational administration and supervision, spoke on “A Principal’s Interservice Program for School Improvement” at the annual convention of the National Staff Development Council Oct. 18-22 in Detroit. He also gave a presentation to principals in the Toledo City Schools on “Leadership Styles and Team Building for Effective Schools.”

- **Dr. Ralph St. John**, applied statistics and operations research, moderated a discussion on “Experiments with Mixtures, III Conditioning and Ridge Regression” at the 26th annual Fall Technical Conference Oct. 21-22 in Atlantic City.

The conference was hosted by the Princeton section of the American Society for Quality Control.

### Faculty/Staff Positions

The following faculty positions have been authorized:

- **Academic Affairs**: Vice president for academic affairs and provost. Contact Dr. Frank Bialdanza, chair of the search and screening committee (2-3161).
- **Accounting and MIS**: Assistant/associate professor. Contact Lloyd Buckwell (2-0405).

**Open Positions**

- Art: Visiting artist/curator–graphic design. Contact search committee/design, School of Art (2-2706).
- **Deadline**: March 1, 1983
- **Home Economics**: Chair. Contact Sandra Packard (2-0151).
- **Deadline**: March 1, 1983
- **Management**: Assistant professor. Contact Chair Hahn (2-5944).
- **Deadline**: Jan. 31, 1983
- **Media and Electronic Administration**: Director. Contact Edward Morgan (2-0243).
- **Deadline**: March 1, 1983
- **Mental Arts**: Instructor of jazz music, music composition and history. Contact J.C. Faron Jones (2-2576).
- **Deadline**: March 1, 1983
- **Political Science**: Assistant professor. Contact chair, search committee (2-2921).
- **Deadline**: Jan. 15, 1983
- **Speech Communication**: Assistant professor. Contact Denise Traft (2-2224).
- **Deadline**: Jan. 14, 1983
- **Also, assistant professor (anticipated). Contact Herbert J. Greenberg (2-2151).**
- **Deadline**: Jan. 15, 1983

**Put it in writing**

Faculty and staff are reminded that MONITOR is continuing to accept “opinions to the editor” for publication the last Monday of each month in the “Commentary” section.

Commentaries which introduce a new topic for campus dialogue will be accepted in the range of 500-800 words. Those opinions not committed in response to a topic previously introduced must be limited to the range of 300 words.

All commentaries submitted for publication must be signed, typed and double-spaced. Those entries which are longer than the allowable length will be returned to the writer to condense.

The deadline to submit entries for the Jan. 31 issue of MONITOR is 5 p.m. Friday (Jan. 14). Questions about the procedures for submitting commentaries should be addressed to Linda Swaigood, editor, MONITOR, Office of Public Relations, 372-2616.