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# Monitor

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## In Brief

### CEDAR POINT TICKETS AVAILABLE MAY 28

Discount tickets to Cedar Point go on sale Monday (May 28) at the Information Desk in the University Union.

All University employees and students are eligible for the discount. A University I.D. must be presented at the time of purchase.

Tickets will be sold on a cash-only basis for \$10.50 each, a savings of \$2.45 per ticket. Children four years of age and under are admitted free and do not require a ticket.

The Information Desk is open Monday through Thursday from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

### NO MAIL MAY 28

Because of the Memorial Day holiday which is being observed by federal agencies, including the U.S. Post Office, on Monday (May 28), there will be no incoming or outgoing mail on campus that day.

The campus post office will, however, operate as usual.

### FINAL NOTICE!

Faculty and staff who have not returned library materials due May 11 are being billed for the replacement cost of those materials.

Bills will be mailed the week of May 28. Charges can be avoided if overdue books and other materials are returned to the circulation desk from which they were borrowed by Wednesday (May 30).

### SUMMER HOURS

The Center for Archival Collections in the Jerome Library will observe the following summer hours:

Monday through Thursday: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Friday: 8-11 a.m.

The Center will be closed on May 30 for Memorial Day.

The University libraries will, however, remain open as usual on Memorial Day. Hours on Wednesday (May 30) will be 7:30 a.m. to 10 p.m.

## Library Friends award book grants

Seven faculty and one department have received grants totaling \$2,000 from the Friends of the University Libraries for the purchase of special books in their respective disciplines.

The annual awards are granted on the basis of proposals submitted to the Friends by departmental library representatives.

Recipients of this year's special purchase funds are **Richard James**, music composition/history, \$200 for Bodleian library manuscripts and polyphonic music before 1640;

**Sooja Kim**, home economics, \$200 for books on nutrition;

**Janis Pallister**, romance languages, for issues of *Les Cahiers Francais*;

**The department of popular culture**, \$200 for dime novels;

**William Rock**, history, \$200 for British documents;

**David Skaggs**, history, \$500 for colonial office records;

**Denise Trauth**, speech communication, \$300 for Pike & Fisher reports;

**Donald Wilson**, music composition/history, \$200 for scores and recordings of recent works.

## Patton named business dean; Willis to head health college

The colleges of Health and Community Services and Business Administration will have permanent deans, effective July 1.

Robert A. Patton, who has served as acting dean of the business college the past two years, has been named permanent dean of that college. Clyde R. Willis, a professor of speech pathology and audiology and director of the Center for Human Services at Western Michigan University, will head the College of Health and Community Services.

Dr. Patton, who joined the Bowling Green faculty in 1967, was selected from a field of nearly 50 applicants following a national search begun last November. He succeeds Karl Vogt who was named vice president for business operations a year ago.

A professor of applied statistics and operations research, Dr. Patton chaired that department from 1977-82. Prior to coming to Bowling Green he taught mathematics and statistics at the University of Missouri.

Dr. Patton is a graduate of Tarkio College and the University of Missouri at Columbia, where he earned both master's and doctoral degrees. He has taught and advised at the graduate and undergraduate levels within his department and has co-authored articles which have appeared in a variety of professional journals.

In 1981-82 he chaired the University's ad hoc committee on tenure and promotion. During the past year he has served on the Task Force on Configuration and the ad hoc Task Force on Computing.

Dr. Willis succeeds Mary Edmonds who was named vice president for student affairs last spring. Edward Morgan, associate dean of the College of Health and Community Services, has served as acting dean during the interim.

A member of the Western Michigan faculty since 1965, Dr. Willis has directed

the Center for Human Services, a part of the College of Human Services, since 1980. The center is designed to coordinate continuing education, research, community service and clinical education within the university.

As a speech pathologist, Dr. Willis has held adjunct faculty positions in the division of plastic surgery at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids, Mich., and on the family practice teaching faculty at Southwestern Michigan Area Health Education Center in Kalamazoo. He also has been a consultant in speech pathology at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Battle Creek, Mich., and has coordinated the Regional Center for Allied Health Leadership, a branch of the American Society of Allied Health Professions.

He received his bachelor's degree from the State University of New York at Geneseo in 1959 and earned both master's and doctoral degrees from Indiana University at Bloomington. From 1961-63 he directed Oklahoma State University's speech clinic, leaving that post to join the faculty of Indiana University where he remained until moving to Western Michigan.

A frequent speaker at national and international conferences on communication disorders, Willis has conducted numerous workshops and inservice training programs for professional groups. His work has been widely published in professional journals.

He has taught speech courses at both the graduate and undergraduate levels and has received numerous grants from state and federal agencies for his research. In 1983 he was the principal investigator for a \$295,000 grant from the U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services to study health promotion and disease prevention in allied health programs.

## Computer purchase plan to be implemented by fall

Faculty, staff and students should be able to purchase microcomputers for their personal use at a substantial discount early next fall, thanks to a Microcomputer Purchase Plan approved by the Board of Trustees at its May 11 meeting.

The purchase plan approved by the board enables the University to enter into purchase agreements with computer vendors, providing an opportunity for faculty, staff and students to buy certain microcomputers and software at a sizeable educational discount.

Richard Eakin, vice president for planning and budgeting, said the University has notified vendors of its interest in participating in a purchase plan and is soliciting bids from those vendors. Those bids must be returned by June 12, and, allowing time to complete agreements and iron out legal technicalities, faculty, staff and students should be able to purchase microcomputers for their personal use through the University by Sept. 1.

Both hardware and software will be available, at the discretion of the vendors,

through the discount purchase plan. The computers and accompanying software will be purchased by faculty, staff and students through University Computer Services.

Among the microcomputers likely to be available are Apple Macintosh and Lisa computers, IBM PCs and PC jrs. Discounts may be as high as 30-35 percent over list price.

Dr. Eakin said the University stands to benefit significantly from offering computers at a discount to its faculty, staff and students. Noting that negotiating and implementing a purchase plan will require some extra effort on the part of University personnel, particularly those in computer services, he said those efforts should result in a more computer-literate campus. "We believe that by offering microcomputers at a very reasonable cost to our faculty, staff and students the overall quality and efficiency of our University will improve," he said, adding that he encourages everyone to consider the benefits of the plan.

# Faculty & Staff

The change in format of summer MONITOR limits the amount of news that can be published. Items submitted for the Faculty & Staff section will be published as space allows. However, it may be several weeks after items are received before they can be published.

## Presentations

**Trevor J. Phillips**, educational foundations and inquiry, presented a paper, "Turner of the Philanthropic, or How to Transplant Youthful British Delinquents to American Soil and Receive Bouquets to Boot," at the annual meeting of the Midwest Victorian Studies Association April 13 in Ann Arbor.

**Neil A. Pohlmann**, educational administration and supervision, and **Mearl R. Guthrie**, business education, presented a program, "Report on Employee-Employer Survey. Your Input from 1983 Meeting. What Did We Learn and How Can We Use It?," as part of the 23rd annual School Secretaries Workshop April 24 on campus.

**Mary Makovitch**, business education, discussed "Micros and Minis: What's There? Who Has It? Why Should I Use It?"

**Dean Purdy**, educational development/sociology, organized the Political Sociology and Political Sociology: International

## Telescopes equipped for viewing eclipse

Two specially equipped telescopes will be available on the roof of the new Physical Sciences Laboratory Building for those interested in viewing the solar eclipse on Wednesday (May 30).

The eclipse will be visible in northwest Ohio from 11:10 a.m. to 2 p.m., with the maximum, or mid-eclipse, to occur at about 12:35 p.m., according to Roger Ptak, physics and astronomy. The telescopes will be available from noon-2 p.m.

Brief presentations explaining the moon's eclipse of the sun also will be given in the new planetarium at 12:30 and 1:30 p.m. If the sky is completely cloudy, only the 12:30 p.m. presentation will be given.

Dr. Ptak cautioned against viewing the eclipse directly through any means other than specially equipped telescopes. Smoked glass and over-exposed negatives do not afford sufficient protection for the eyes, he said.

One safe alternative to viewing the eclipse directly is to punch a tiny hole in a piece of cardboard and, standing with your back to the sun, project the eclipse through the hole toward a sidewalk or onto a piece of white paper, he noted.

An eclipse of the sun occurs somewhere in the world each year, according to Dr. Ptak, although those which can be viewed in the United States are much less frequent. Ohioans will view only about an 80 percent eclipse this year.

For further information about the availability of the special telescopes or the presentations on the solar eclipse, contact Dr. Ptak or Dale Smith in the physics and astronomy department, 372-2422.

## Faculty/Staff Positions

The following faculty positions are available:

**Firelands:** Instructor, manufacturing/machine design technology. Contact Algalee Adams (93-229). Deadline: May 29, 1984

**Library:** Cataloger. Contact Gail Junion (2-2106). Deadline: May 30, 1984

**Mathematics and Statistics:** Assistant professor. Contact Vijay Rohatgi (2-2636). Deadline (extended): Jan. 21, 1985

The following administrative staff positions are available:

**Architect's Office:** Interior design coordinator. Contact Susan Caldwell (2-2558). Deadline: June 13, 1984

**Athletics:** Assistant director, Summer Sports School/assistant soccer coach. Contact Gary Palmisano (2-2401). Deadline: May 31, 1984. Also, assistant basketball coach. Contact chair, Search and Screening Committee (2-2401). Deadline (changed): June 1, 1984. Also, head women's basketball coach. Contact chair, Search and Screening Committee (2-2401). Deadline: June 15, 1984

**Center for Educational Options:** Director of independent studies and special programs. Contact Beth Casey (2-0202). Deadline: June 5, 1984

**Residence Life:** Residence hall complex coordinator, residence hall director, residence hall manager (three positions). Contact Fayette Paulsen (2-2456). Deadlines: June 1, 1984

Perspectives sessions at the Midwest Sociological Society Meetings April 18-21 in Chicago.

**Don McQuarrie**, sociology, participated as a discussant in the sessions.

Dr. Purdy and **Jack Taylor**, educational development, also presented a paper entitled "Modeling of Academic Variables for Predicting the Successful Matriculation of Minority Students in Higher Education" as part of the meetings.

**Gerald Rigby**, criminal justice, chaired a panel discussion on "Personnel Issues in Criminal Justice: Politics and Practices" at the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences March 27-30 in Chicago.

He also chaired a panel on "Potpourri: Things I've Wanted to Say (or Publish) but Which Nobody Wanted to Hear (or Read)" and presented a paper entitled "Some Unthinkable Thoughts on Punishment, Publicity and Payment."

Dr. Rigby attended the annual meeting as trustee-at-large and a member of the Executive Board.

At the same meeting **John W. Flickinger**, criminal justice, presented papers on "Utilization of Non-Paid Professionals: Pluses and Minuses" and "The Politics of Criminal Justice Training: Who is in Control?"

**Dorothy K. Williamson-Ige**, speech communication, presented "What is Happening in K-12: Special Topics in Teaching Speech Communication" at the annual meeting of the Central States Speech Association April 14 in Chicago.

She also presented a paper entitled "It Would Be Nice to Integrate Intercultural Communication throughout All Secondary Speech Education Curricula — But How?"

At the same meeting **Briant Hamor Lee**, speech communication, presented "Effectiveness of Creative Drama in the K-12 Classroom."

## Hess named dean of CSU college

Gary R. Hess, history, has been named dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at Cleveland State University, effective Aug. 1.

A member of the Bowling Green faculty since 1964, Dr. Hess chaired the history department from 1973-81 and was acting dean of the College of Arts and Sciences in 1981-82.

He has taught courses on the history of the Vietnam War, American foreign policy, American journalism, problems in 20th century America and American diplomacy.

## Former professor dies in California

Thomas Vickrey, 34, a former professor of chemistry at the University, died May 16 in California following an extended illness. He had been employed as a chemist for the Hitachi Corporation in Sunny Vale.

Dr. Vickrey joined the Bowling Green faculty in 1980, leaving in 1982 to teach in California. Prior to coming to Bowling Green he was an assistant professor of chemistry at Texas A&M University.

## Psychology chair named ACE Fellow

Donald V. DeRosa, psychology, has been named a 1984-85 American Council on Education Fellow in Academic Administration.

During the coming academic year he will work with Richard C. Atkinson, chancellor of the University of California at San Diego, participating in a wide variety of administrative activities.

His primary activities will be on the UCSD campus in LaJolla, but he expects to have the opportunity to travel to other campuses in California and the Southwest during his year as an ACE Fellow.

He also will attend seminars on problems of academic administration and will be involved in extensive study of higher education administration.

Established in 1965, the ACE Fellows program is designed to strengthen leadership in American higher education by identifying and preparing faculty and staff for administrative positions in colleges and universities. About 35 fellows, nominated by presidents or chancellors of their institutions, are selected nationwide each year.

Dr. DeRosa, who joined the faculty in 1968, has chaired the psychology department since 1975. In his absence next year Robert L. Conner will serve as acting chair.

Dr. DeRosa is the second Bowling Green faculty member in three years to be selected for the ACE Fellows program.

Peter M. Hutchinson, economics, was a fellow in 1982-83. Two other faculty, Sandra Packard, dean of the College of Education, and Martha Tack, educational administration and supervision, have also participated in the program.

The American Council on Education is the nation's major coordinating body in postsecondary education.

## Employment Opportunities

### CLASSIFIED EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

\*Indicates that an internal candidate from the department is bidding and being considered for the position.

### NEW VACANCIES

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| 6-5-1 | <b>Carpenter 1</b><br>Pay Range 7<br>Plant Operations & Maintenance                              |
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