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## 1983: A good year for private giving

The key word in describing private support to the University during 1983 is "up."

Gifts to establish endowed scholarships were up over the \$100,000 mark; the number of alumni who gave to the University was up 29 percent over the previous year, and the total cash contributions to the University were up to a record \$2,007,046.

In all, more than \$2.55 million in cash and other gifts were donated to the University by alumni, faculty, parents, students, businesses, corporations, organizations and friends of the University.

James Hodge, director of development, called the 1983 fund-raising efforts both "encouraging" and "gratifying."

"The University — whether it is in the quality of our faculty, academic programs or the success of our athletic teams — has a great deal of which to be proud. It is encouraging to know that others recognize this excellence and it is gratifying that they are willing to support the University with their gifts," he said.

Hodge stressed the involvement of the entire University community — students, faculty and staff — in the success of 1983 fund-raising efforts.

"Faculty and staff have a great

influence with donors and are instrumental in identifying and securing private funding for scholarships, research, equipment and special projects. As they interact with alumni and friends of the University and meet with other professionals they are building bridges which may — and often do — result in gifts," Hodge said.

Of the \$2 million in cash contributions, more than \$106,000 was designated for the establishment or enhancement of endowed funds. The contributions boosted the total amount of endowed funds to \$1.89 million.

More than \$154,000 in cash was donated to the University's Annual Alumni Fund, which is used to provide scholarships and support for various academic programs.

Other areas which raised significant private dollars included WBGU-TV, the Falcon Club, Medici Circle, the Parents Club, the Peregrine Society and the Press Club.

## In Brief

### TRUSTEES TO MEET

The Board of Trustees will meet at 10 a.m. Friday (June 8) in the Ohio Suite of the University Union.

The 1984-85 educational budget is on the agenda.

### COMPUTER BITS

Faculty and staff who are still using keypunch cards in their computer work are reminded that the card reader system and keypunches are scheduled to be permanently removed from the Union lab early in July. After this system is removed, the academic area will not have direct access to a card reader.

To assist those people who are still using keypunch data, University Computer Services will sponsor a seminar, "Introduction to the IBM PC as a Keypunch Replacement," from 1:30-3 p.m. Thursday (June 7) in the Union lab.

Advance registration for the seminar is required and may be completed by contacting the secretary in 238 Math-Science Bldg., 372-2102, between 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

### NO STEAM, NO STEAM!

The Central Heating Plant will be shut down for necessary repairs from 6 p.m. Friday, Aug. 17, until 6:30 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 21.

During this period there will be no steam available for any purpose. This will affect building heating, air conditioning, pool temperature, laboratory cleaning, dish washing and any other activities that require hot water.

The steam supply will be limited from Sunday, Aug. 12, until the shutdown on Aug. 17. During that time some steam will be available, but there will be no air conditioning in the technology building, Offenhauer Towers or the business administration building.

The heating plant shutdown will not affect any buildings east of Mercer Road, south of Wooster Street or north of the technology building. All other buildings on campus should prepare accordingly.

### FOR SALE

The ethnic studies department has for sale to University departments and offices a Savin 770 copier. For further information contact the department secretary, 372-2796.

## DeCrane succeeds Lenhart in student affairs post

A University graduate who has held various administrative posts in the student affairs area during the past 15 years has been named associate dean of students for University student activities.

Gregory T. DeCrane, who has been filling the position on an interim basis since the death of Richard Lenhart last January, will assume the post July 1.

In announcing the appointment, Mary Edmonds, vice president for student affairs, said, "There was stiff competition for this position, but we were fortunate to have a nationally known candidate within our midst. I believe this appointment affirms Gregg's value to the University and to the student affairs profession." She added, "We also owe him a great vote of thanks for assuming the awesome responsibilities that Richard Lenhart had undertaken so well for so many years."

DeCrane, who received both bachelor's and master's degrees from the University, joined the staff in 1969 as program coordinator for student activities.

In 1972 he was named director of student activities and new student programs, assuming responsibility for planning activities for the University's

16,000 students. In that position he also developed the current orientation program for new students and coordinated the summer Pre-registration sessions for incoming freshmen.

In 1979 DeCrane was appointed director of student organizations and new student programs, adding to his duties administrative responsibility for the more than 160 student organizations on campus.

He has continued in that role during the past five months while assuming Lenhart's duties, and he will continue as director of this summer's Pre-registration sessions, scheduled to begin July 9.

A member of various student affairs and alumni committees within the University and in the community, DeCrane received the Hollis A. Moore Award for "outstanding service to the welfare of the entire University community" in 1982, and in 1975 he received a Special Achievement Award for University service.

Also active in University governance, DeCrane will serve during the coming year as president-elect of the Administrative Staff Council.

## Zwierlein named Rec Center new associate director

Ronald E. Zwierlein has been named associate director of the Student Recreation Center.

Head coach of the men's and women's swimming teams since 1981, Dr. Zwierlein plans to retire from active coaching to concentrate on his new administrative assignment, which begins July 1. He succeeds Gregory Jordan, who was named director of the University Ice Arena in March.

"The Recreation Center opening, which sought a person with the kind of academic background and previous administrative experience that I have, made this an opportune time for me to make this change from coaching to administration," Zwierlein said. "This new assignment will mean for me a more structured schedule; one that I hope will permit more time for my family," he added.

Zwierlein will be responsible for daily operations of the center. His duties will include supervising 120 student employees, coordinating the various groups which use the center on a

continuing basis and promoting the facility as one which furthers "healthy and active lifestyle."

Zwierlein received both bachelor's and master's degrees from the University in 1968 and 1970, respectively. He earned his doctorate in recreational administration at Ohio State University in 1980.

Prior to joining the Bowling Green coaching staff in 1981 he was director of athletics and chair of the department of physical education at John Carroll University.

He also was a physical education teacher and head swimming coach at Fremont Ross High School, and he held a similar position with the Rochester (N.Y.) City Schools.

Zwierlein holds professional memberships in Phi Epsilon Kappa physical education fraternity; the International Swimming Hall of Fame; the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance; the American Divers and Coaches Association and the College Swimming and Diving Officials Association.

# Rec Center sports full summer schedule

The Student Recreation Center has something special for both children and adults this summer.

Drop-in fitness and select-a-sport activities for adults begin June 18. The following free programs will be offered:

**Stretch and Flex:** 5:15 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, Archery/Golf Room;

**Slimnastics:** 10:30 a.m. Mondays and Wednesdays and 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, Combatives/Dance Room;

**Fit-For-All-Aerobics:** 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays and 5:30 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, Combatives/Dance Room;

**Adult Swimming:** 7-8 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, June 26-July 19 and July 24-Aug. 16, Cooper Pool;

**Water Aerobics:** 8-9 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, June 25-July 18 and July 23-Aug. 15, Cooper Pool.

Although both the adult swimming and water aerobics programs are free, advance registration is required because of limited enrollment. Registration begins at 9 a.m. Monday, June 11, in the Rec Center.

Also to be offered for adults are regular weight room awareness sessions to

familiarize Rec Center members with the Universal and Nautilus equipment in the Center and informal how-to sessions on bicycling, racquetball, weight training, frisbee golf, squash and wallyball, as well as an orientation to the outdoor Fitness Trail. Further information on these programs is available in the Rec Center Office.

Four sessions of learn-to-swim classes for children will be offered beginning June 25. There is a \$5 per child fee for the swimming programs. Registration begins at 9 a.m. Monday, June 11, at the Rec Center.

Classes for all levels will meet Monday through Friday in two-week sessions. The first session begins June 25 and ends July 6. The second session runs July 9-20; third session, July 23-Aug. 1; fourth session, Aug. 6-17.

Waterbabies (ages 3-18 months) will swim in the Club Pool from 9-9:30 a.m.; Goldfish (ages 18 months to three years), 9:40-10:10 a.m., Club Pool; Pre-Beginners (ages 4-5), 10:20-11:05 a.m., Club Pool; Beginners (under 6 years of age), 11:15

a.m. to noon, Club Pool; Beginners (over 6 years of age), 9:15-10 a.m., Cooper Pool.

Advanced Beginners and Intermediates will meet in two sessions, 9:15-10 a.m. or 10:20-11:05 a.m., in the Cooper Pool.

Swimmers will meet from 10:20-11:15 a.m. in the Cooper Pool, second and fourth sessions only. Diving, offered only the second and third sessions, will meet from 10:30-11:30 a.m. in the Cooper Pool.

Also to be offered this summer are the SRC's "Youth Fun and Fitness Days," designed for children entering grades one through six.

Two three-week sessions have been planned. Session one will run from June 25-July 12. Children in grades one through three will meet 1-4 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays; those in grades four through six will meet 1-4 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays.

The second session runs July 23 to Aug. 9. Children in grades one through three will meet 1-4 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays and those in grades four through six will meet 1-4 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays.

The Fun and Fitness Days are designed to help children recognize the importance of health, safety and lifelong leisure activities as well as to teach good sportsmanship. Activities will include swimming, sailing, racquetball, water slides, games and the fitness trail, and tours of such facilities as WBGU-TV, the College of Musical Arts, theater department and the Sports Physiology Laboratory.

The fee for children who are Rec Center members is \$15 per child. Registration begins at 9 a.m. June 11. Non-members may enroll for \$25 the week of June 14-21.

For further information about any of the Rec Center's summer offerings, contact the Rec Center office at 372-2711. Brochures on all summer programs are available.

## Ray Malone has high hopes for future of classified staff

You can take the man out of the University, but you can't take the University out of the man. That variation of an old maxim aptly applies to Ray Malone, who officially retired April 30 after 27 years and four months at Bowling Green.

But retirement, says Malone, will never end his relationship with the University. "Bowling Green has been good to me. I grew up on this campus and I always want to stay a part of it," he said, recalling the days when his mother was a cook in one of the two dormitories on campus and when he began his own schooling in the former University School in Hanna Hall.

Malone started his career in 1956 in the maintenance department, but he has spent most of his years at the University as an employee relations adviser, often walking a tightrope between the University administration and classified employees.

Malone feels good about the benefits and pay levels that classified staff have achieved in recent years — accomplishments that he has helped obtain.

He had an active role in improving employee insurance benefits. He recalls trips to Columbus in the late 1960s when he and others were trying to persuade lawmakers to approve legislation

permitting universities to pay for employee's medical and hospitalization insurance coverage. Passage of that legislation was "a great step forward for classified workers," Malone says, "particularly if a person, as I have, has looked into the current cost of hospitalization and medical coverage."

Malone also has helped support various legislative moves to increase wages for state workers, noting that there have been "about 10 different pay hikes and a reclassification study of state jobs implemented during the past 12 years or so."

Another benefit that he has worked on is payment for unused sick leave, and one which he hopes will soon become a reality is vacation for part-time workers.

"We've worked on that for years and we still don't have it, but I think we'll get it soon," he said. He is also hopeful that the University's Supplemental Retirement Program which permits retired employees to work 59 days per year for as many as five years following their retirement will be expanded to include civil service employees.

"These benefit proposals are being worked on by the Classified Staff Advisory Committee," Malone said, adding that the committee, working with President Olscamp and Karl Vogt, vice president for operations, will continue to make progress for classified employees.

Malone also thinks the University would do well to restore an apprentice program that was discontinued in 1975. "There are people who currently occupy good positions on campus who started as apprentices and worked their way up. Apprenticeships are a way to develop our own good people by giving them a chance to switch jobs, and they also offer young people a chance to gain needed experience," he said.



## Sociology professor dies May 19

Aida Tomeh, a professor of sociology, died May 19.

A native of Syria, she joined the faculty in 1962, leaving a year later to teach at the Beirut College for Women. She remained in Beirut until 1965 when she rejoined the Bowling Green faculty.

Dr. Tomeh received her bachelor's degree from the American University at Beirut and earned master's and doctoral degrees from the University of Michigan. She also was a Fulbright scholar at the Merrill-Palmer Institute in Detroit.

## Faculty/Staff Positions

The following faculty positions are available:

**Accounting and MIS:** Instructor. Contact Ronald Hartley (2-0351). Deadline: Open

The following administrative staff positions are available:

**Architect's Office:** Interior design coordinator. Contact Susan Caldwell (2-2558).

Deadline: June 13, 1984

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

## Employment Opportunities

### CLASSIFIED EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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

### NEW VACANCIES

Posting Expiration Date: 5 p.m. Monday, June 11, 1984

6-11-1 **Clerical Specialist**  
Pay Range 25  
BG News  
Temporary position until 12-14-84

6-11-2 **Industrial Safety Hygienist 1**  
Pay Range 30  
Environmental Services

6-11-3 **Secretary 1**  
Pay Range 26  
Psychology Department

### CONTINUING VACANCIES

Posting Expiration Date: 5 p.m. Tuesday, June 5, 1984

6-5-1 **Carpenter 1**  
Pay Range 7  
Plant Operations & Maintenance

6-5-2 **Groundskeeper 2**  
Pay Range 5  
Plant Operations & Maintenance

6-5-3 **Library Media Technical Assistant 2**  
Pay Range 26  
Library/Curriculum Resource Center

6-5-4 **Maintenance Repair Worker 2**  
Pay Range 5  
Plant Operations & Maintenance

6-5-5 **Secretary 1**  
Pay Range 26  
Military Science