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In Brief

REMINDER: OPENING DAY

Traditional "opening day" activities for the 1984-85 academic year will be held on Monday, Aug. 27, beginning with a 9 a.m. general meeting for all faculty and administrative staff in the Grand Ballroom of the University Union.

President Olscamp, Eloise Clark, vice president for academic affairs, and Arthur Neal, chair of the Faculty Senate, will speak. The Student Government Association also will present its Faculty Excellence Awards, and refreshments will follow.

College faculty meetings, college adviser meetings and school and department meetings are scheduled throughout the remainder of the day. A complete schedule of events was published in the Aug. 13 issue of MONITOR.

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF TO MEET

An informal meeting for all administrative staff has been scheduled from 3-6 p.m. in the Alumni Room of the University Union as part of opening day activities on Monday, Aug. 27.

The Ferrari Award will be presented during that time.

The meeting time has been changed from the originally announced 4:30 p.m. to accommodate more administrative staff.

'BERRIES' CLOSED

Berries Restaurant in Harshman Dining Hall is closed for the summer, effective Aug. 10.

The facility will reopen for fall semester on a date to be announced.

REMEMBER PARKING DECALS

Faculty and staff are reminded that all parking decals currently in use have expired. New decals are being issued this week and must be in place by the start of the new academic year.

"Satellite" sites for vehicle registration were published in the Aug. 13 issue of MONITOR. Decals also are available in the Office of Parking and Traffic.

A fee waiver signed by a budget administrator and a completed motor vehicle registration form must be presented when obtaining a decal.

ANOTHER PARKING REMINDER

All metered parking will be enforced this week by the Office of Parking and Traffic. Proper coins must be deposited.

CENTER HOURS CHANGE

Beginning Sunday, Sept. 9, hours for the Center for Archival Collections in the Jerome Library will be as follows:

Sunday: 4-8 p.m.

Monday: 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Tuesday through Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

These hours will remain in effect throughout the academic year *while school is in session*.

When school is not in session hours will be 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Monitor is published weekly for faculty and staff of Bowling Green State University. The deadline to submit material for the next issue, Monday, Aug. 27, is 5 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 21. Tabloid format will resume with the Aug. 27 issue.

Rec Center begins membership drive

Fall semester memberships for the Student Recreation Center are on sale now in the Rec Center office.

Valid through Jan. 13, 1985, the memberships are being offered at a cost of \$42 per person. The spouse of a member may join for \$21, and members' children under the age of 18 are free during Family Plan hours.

LiFT tickets which allow limited access to the Center are being sold for \$21 for the semester. The LiFT ticket for a spouse is \$10.50. LiFT memberships are valid Aug. 29 through Dec. 14 from 7-9 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. weekdays and 6-10 p.m. Saturdays. LiFT members may use the center facilities for \$3 all day Sunday and from opening to 6 p.m. Saturday.

Faculty and staff who are committed to year-round exercise may purchase a "Super Sticker" membership, valid for an entire calendar year, at a savings. The individual membership is available for \$111, a savings of \$15 over per semester/summer rates. The family "Super Sticker" membership is priced at \$166.50, a savings of \$22.50 per family. "Super Sticker" members avoid the inconvenience of membership renewal lines at the beginning of each semester. The "Super Sticker" will be available until Dec. 1.

Academic year stickers, good both fall and spring semesters, also can be purchased at a cost of \$84 per person or \$126 for a family.

The Rec Center office will be open this week (Aug. 20-24) from noon to 5 p.m. Hours Aug. 27 and 28 will be noon to 4 p.m. From Aug. 29-31, Sept. 4-7 and Sept. 10-14 hours will be 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Hours on Saturdays, Sept. 1, 8 and 15, will be 9 a.m. to noon.

During the fall semester the Center will be open 7 a.m. to midnight Monday through Thursday; 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday; 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and 9 a.m. to midnight Sunday.

Cobb receives research appointment

Thomas B. Cobb, associate vice provost for research and an associate professor of physics and astronomy, will be a scientist-in-residence in the Energy and Environmental Systems division of the Argonne National Laboratory near Chicago during the 1984-85 academic year.

His year of research will be funded through the Faculty Improvement Leave program and the Argonne National Laboratory, which awarded Dr. Cobb a \$23,000 grant to conduct selected research projects in the area of energy.

Specifically, he will be working on procedures for energy planning and analysis to expand upon programs which the University has offered in the areas of energy and environmental policy impact analysis, futures planning, systems dynamics modeling, forecasting and analog simulation. Dr. Cobb, who was instrumental in the development of an energy studies program at the University, has used computer programs and simulators in a number of public and continuing education programs.

He also will study ways of predicting and meeting future energy needs through electricity as petroleum and natural gas resources become increasingly scarce.

Undergraduate Council

Changes in the requirements for a B.F.A. degree in the studio and design programs in the School of Art were approved by Undergraduate Council at a meeting July 18.

To receive accreditation from the National Association of Schools of Art and Design, the studio component of those programs must represent 60-65 percent of the total hours required for graduation. To achieve the 60 percent requirement Undergraduate Council approved the addition of 18 studio hours and the deletion of Speech 102 and a foreign language requirement from the curriculum if a student completed two years of foreign language in high school. Students without the high school background will need 128 hours to graduate.

The revised curriculum meets all general education requirements established by the Undergraduate Council.

In other business Council discussed the need to amend the charter to deal with the new position of dean of continuing education. Eloise Clark, vice president for academic affairs, suggested that the charter be re-worded in such a way to allow flexibility as the University is reconfigured.

There was some discussion of whether the dean of continuing education should be an ex-officio member of the Council rather than a voting member. It was noted that the dean of libraries is a similar position and that person has voting rights.

Discussion on the issue will continue at forthcoming meetings.

Coverlet exhibit opens Wednesday

More than 30 woven coverlets, many created in Ohio during the 19th century, will be shown in the exhibition, "The Woven Coverlet: Textiles in the Folk Tradition," to open Wednesday (Aug. 22) in the McFall Center Gallery.

Sponsored by the department of home economics, the exhibit will include shaft woven overshoots, twills, doublecloth and Jacquards, as well as traditional coverlets woven today and contemporary textiles that have been influenced by traditional coverlet designs.

The coverlets have been loaned to the University by individuals, private collectors

and museums.

Patricia A. Cunningham, home economics, is directing the exhibit, which is made possible in part by a grant from the Ohio Arts Council and Ohio Humanities Council.

Gallery hours for the exhibition are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 2-5 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays, through Sept. 23. Admission is free.

An exhibition catalog with information regarding the historical and cultural significance of the woven coverlet will be available.

Orientation set for graduate students

More than 400 new graduate students are expected to participate in a graduate student orientation program this week.

Martha W. Tack, education administration and supervision and director of the program, said the four-day event, which will begin Wednesday (Aug. 22), is designed to prepare graduate assistants and teaching fellows for their teaching responsibilities at the University. Techniques for effective teaching will be presented as part of the program.

Research fellows and students not on

stipend also will attend sessions which will introduce them to appropriate instructional and research methodology.

In addition, the new graduate students will receive a general orientation to University services and community resources.

Thirty-six continuing graduate students will serve as orientation leaders. Craig Vickio, a doctoral candidate in psychology, is the program's assistant director.

Employment Opportunities

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

ELIGIBLE LIST

Posting Expiration Date: 5 p.m. Friday, Aug. 24, 1984

8-24-1 **Police Officer 1**
Pay Range 27
University Public Safety

NEW VACANCIES

Posting Expiration Date: 5 p.m. Monday, Aug. 27, 1984

8-27-1 **Library Assistant**
Pay Range 4
Library/Circulation
Permanent part-time

8-27-2 **Library Assistant**
Pay Range 4
Science Library
Permanent part-time

8-27-3 **Typist 2**
Pay Range 4
Continuing Education

CONTINUING VACANCIES

Posting Expiration Date: 5 p.m. Monday, August 20, 1984

8-20-1 **Clerical Specialist**
Pay Range 25
College of Health and Community Services/Social Work Program
Nine-month, part-time

8-20-2 **Clerk 2**
Pay Range 3
Bursar/Student Loan Collections

8-20-3 **Food Service Manager 1**
Pay Range 27
Auxiliary Support Services

8-20-4 **Food Service Manager 2**
Pay Range 28
Auxiliary Support Services

8-20-5 ***Library Media Technical Assistant 2**
Pay Range 26
Library/Acquisitions

8-20-6 ***Library Media Technical Assistant 2**
Pay Range 26
Music Library

8-20-7 **Records Management Officer 1**
Pay Range 27
Bursar's Office
Temporary part-time to June 1985

8-20-8 **Safety and Health Inspector 2**
Pay Range 29
Environmental Services

8-20-9 ***Technical Typist**
Pay Range 25
Mathematics and Statistics Department

Faculty/Staff Positions

The following faculty positions are available:

Computer Science: Visiting lecturer. Contact chair, Search Committee (2-2337). Deadline: March 1, 1985

Firelands: Instructor, applied sciences (business education). Contact Algalee Adams (93-229).
Deadline: Aug. 22, 1984

Journalism: Assistant professor. Contact John Huffman (2-0349). Deadline: Dec. 15, 1984

The following administrative staff positions are available:

Biological Sciences: Laboratory technician. Contact Morgan Brent (2-2731). Deadline: Aug. 27, 1984

Chemistry: GC Mass Spectrometer technician. Contact I.E. DenBesten (2-0281). Deadline: Aug. 22, 1984

Computer Services: Systems analyst/consultant. Contact Richard Conrad (2-2911). Deadline: Aug. 21, 1984

Ice Arena: Ice skating coordinator (acting). Contact Greg Jordan (2-2264). Deadline: Aug. 27, 1984

Student Development Program: Counselor. Contact Susan Caldwell (2-2558). Deadline: Aug. 20, 1984

Faculty & Staff

Presentations

B. Madhusudan Rao, applied statistics and operations research, presented "Algorithmic and Approximation Analysis of the Shorter Queue Model" at the joint national meeting of ORSATIMS in San Francisco.

Deborah Tell, health, physical education and recreation, and the University Performing Dancers performed "Rigmarole" at Antioch College June 8-10. They also performed "Rigmarole" and "Expectations" at the Findlay Arts Festival in June.

Philip G. Terrie, English and American studies, presented a paper, "The Democratization of Field Sports and the Elite Response," at the spring meeting of the Great Lakes American Studies Association at Greenfield Village and Henry Ford Museum in Dearborn, Mich.

Adrian R. Tio, art, and Donna Harding and Valerie Pinkerton Tio, visiting artists, displayed several works in the 32nd annual Spring Show at Alma Gallery, Memorial Hall, in Lima.

A review of Tio's "Oneman Exhibition" at ARTREACH Gallery in Columbus was also included in the May/June issue of *Dialogue*, the Ohio art journal.

Richard Wilson, special education, presented a paper entitled "The relationship between a teacher's prescriptive skill and math achievement of mildly and moderately handicapped students" and gave a presentation on "Computational math for learning-disabled students: Assessment and instruction," at the 62nd annual meeting of the Council for Exceptional Children in Washington, D.C.

Elizabeth J. Wood, library, spoke on "Marketing for Libraries: An Introduction and Overview" at the LOEX Library Instruction Conference in Ypsilanti, Mich. She was the keynote speaker at the conference.

Richard Wright, Institute for Great Lakes Research, gave a presentation on the marine history of the Great Lakes as part of the Great Lakes and Marine Environmental Seminar Series at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.

Program offered for non-traditional, part-time students

An orientation program for new University students over the age of 22, those who attend classes only at night and those pursuing degrees part time will be held Thursday (Aug. 23) on campus.

The program will begin at 7 p.m. in 112 Life Sciences Building. Joan Bissland, director of the evening credit program and adult learner services in continuing education, and Gregg DeCrane, associate dean of students for University student activities, will lead the sessions.

This program is the first of several to be offered this fall for non-traditional students. Further information about the Thursday program and other services available to non-traditional students can be obtained by calling Bissland at 372-0181.

Deaths

Harry R. Mathias

Harry R. Mathias, a professor emeritus of mathematics, died July 31 at Community Nursing Home in Bowling Green where he had resided. He was 83.

Mathias devoted more than 60 years of his life to education - more than 40 of those at Bowling Green. He retired in 1973 but continued as a tutor in the mathematics and statistics department until about a year ago.

In 1982 the campus chapter of Kappa Mu Epsilon mathematics honorary presented him the Award for Excellence in Teaching Mathematics. A year earlier he received "Distinguished Member" designation from the society.

Mathias graduated from Indiana Central College in 1923 and earned a master's degree from Indiana University in 1925.

Funeral services were Aug. 3.