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Business is a booming business at the University. In fact, there's been such rapid growth in the number of students interested in business courses that the College of Business Administration has outgrown its present facility, which was constructed 14 years ago.

A new $3.65 million addition to the facility is planned for the college in the near future, and Toledo's Dana Corp. has pledged $50,000 over the next three years to help make the new building a reality. The pledge will count toward the 75th Anniversary Fund, which seeks to raise $12.5 million in private contributions to ensure the University's future.

Plans have been approved for the 36,000-square-foot expansion, which will include a seminar room for undergraduate and upper division instruction, the presentation of professional research, publications and special programs.

Everett Piper, director of development, said the room is proposed to be named the Dana Executive Seminar Room. Piper said the naming of the room is a fitting tribute to the Dana Corp., which has long supported academics at the University and has contributed significantly to the growth of the business college. The Dana Corp. foundation provided support for the construction of the Moore Musical Arts Center several years ago. Also, the firm supports a matching gift program through which employees' individual contributions to Bowling Green are matched with corporate dollars.

Since 1976, the University and the Dana Corp. have also jointly offered a master's degree program at Dana's corporate headquarters in Toledo, through which University faculty offer graduate business courses leading to a master's in business administration degree.

Robert Patton, dean of the college, said the program has benefited both Bowling Green and the Dana Corp. "Our faculty have found it stimulating to work with the brightest young staff in a corporation that is nationally acclaimed for its innovative, people-oriented management. While Dana employees have had the opportunity to complete their work for the M.B.A. degree without commuting to a university campus," he said.

The relationship between Dana and the University dates back to 1983 when Bowling Green awarded Gerald Mitchell, Dana's chairman of the board and chief executive officer, an honorary doctor of public service degree.

The most recent Dana contribution coincides with the College of Business Administration's 50th anniversary, which was celebrated last spring. First organized in 1935, the college had a limited faculty teaching major courses only in accounting, marketing and secretarial sciences. Today, about 4,000 of Bowling Green's undergraduates are business administration majors enrolled in one of 20 specializations offered by eight academic departments.

The Dana Corp. grant is the second major gift from a Toledo firm to the college this year. Earlier, it was announced that the Dana Corp. had pledged $225,000 over the next three years to fund a permanent Owens-Illinois Professorship in a business field.

Opening day schedule is set

The opening of the 1986-87 academic year will be held on Monday, Aug. 25, with the traditional opening day ceremonies for faculty and staff.

Classified staff will have its opening day convocation on Sept. 5, from 9-11 a.m., in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom. The Aug. 25 ceremonies also will be held in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom beginning with refreshments at 5:30 p.m. A general meeting of the faculty and administration staff will begin at 9:30 a.m. with remarks by President Paul J. Otscamp and Richard Hebein, chair of Faculty Senate.

Elsie Clark, vice president for academic affairs, will preside over the session, which also will include the presentation of the annual teaching excellence awards by Kelly McCoy, president of Undergraduate Student Government.

Faculty open house events will be held at the following locations:
At 11 a.m.
• Arts and Sciences, Lenhart Grand Ballroom.
• Business Administration, Gish Film Theater, Hanna Hall.
• Education and Allied Professions, 115 Education Building.
• Musical Arts, Bryan Recital Hall.
• Health and Human Services, 112 Business Administration.
• Technology, 127 Technology Building.

All college faculty will meet from 1:30-2:15 p.m. in 115 Education Building.

Opening day ceremonies will begin at 3:30 p.m.

Graduate college faculty will meet from 3:30-5:30 p.m. in 115 Education Building.

An administrative staff meeting will be held at 9 p.m. in the Alumni Room, University Union.

School and departmental meetings will be held at 3:30 p.m. in locations to be arranged and announced by directors and chairs.

Noble testifies in Washington

Biology professor Reginald Noble was one of four scientists invited to testify recently about U.S.-Soviet scientific exchanges.

Dr. Noble, who has gained an international reputation for his work on the effects of air pollutants on forests and other vegetation, testified before a House of Representatives' subcommittee on European and the Middle East, which is part of the Committee on Foreign Affairs. He represented the Environmental Protection Agency during the proceedings because he has headed a joint Soviet-American environmental study since 1982.

All the scientists who testified said both countries benefited from the scientific exchanges, allaying concerns that the Soviets were receiving more information than they were giving.

Dr. Noble said scientific exchange projects know no international boundaries. "Concerns about which side contributes most to the solution of a problem are dwarfed by benefits that accrue to humankind as an outcome of the solution," he said.

"In environmental concerns, we all benefit from the work being done by both Americans and Soviets," he said, adding that he has seen no evidence that the Soviets are using the exchanges for intelligence purposes.

Dr. Noble said he was optimistic about the future of the exchanges and was looking forward to a visit from his Soviet colleagues to this country sometime in the fall.
The family of Mary and Ralph W. Wolfe, longtime Wood County restaurant owners and parents of Ralph H. Wolfe, English, has endowed a memorial scholarship in the Wolfe family exclusively to faculty and staff.

The amount of the endowment is $5,000. On-the-job training will be expended from the gift, supporting a permanent, annual award for an outstanding junior in the hospitality management program.


Supervisor training sessions begin in September

One-hour training sessions will be held to acquaint supervisors of classified employees with newly revised discipline and grievance procedures.

The new procedures have been added to the 1986-87 classified staff handbook for full-time and part-time employees.

The training sessions will be held at 9 a.m. on Sept. 9, 10, 11, 15 and 16 in the Campus Room, University Union. The Sept. 23 in the Alumni Room, University Union.

The training sessions will be followed by mini-workshops, the dates and times of which will be announced at the training sessions.

The training program is mandatory for all supervisors in the operations area and optional for all other supervisors.

Supervisors planning to attend should contact Ruth Friend, management support services, to indicate which session they plan to attend.

IBM extends special

IBM has extended its PC special for the remainder of this pay cycle, for the fiscal year. The company also has reduced the price of an IBM PC system unit to $775 (from $330) and the price of the PC Bundle (IBM PC system unit and monochrome display) from $1,190 to $1,000.

To place an order for the PC special, contact Don Schumacher at 372-7724. Price lists are available in the Computer Services microcomputer laboratories.

For Sale

A fresh supply of beautiful new plants are for sale to University departments and offices through the grounds department. Orders can be placed by calling the grounds department at 2-7650. Orders must be accompanied by a budget cost number.

Exhibit

Aug. 25 Through Sept. 16

"Material Images: 15 Fiber Artists:"

First Floor Gallery - 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday; 2-5 p.m., Saturdays and Sundays.

Free.

Deadline

Tuesday, Aug. 19

Classified Staff Council meeting, 10 a.m., Taft Room, University Union.

Monday, Aug. 25

Opening Day, general meeting for faculty and administrative staff, 9-11 a.m., Lenhart Grand Ballroom, University Union. Reception by the Office of Public Relations; Robert Spano, June 1, Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center, Free.

Faculty/Staff Positions

The following faculty positions are available:


The following administrative staff positions are available:

Affirmative Action: Coordinator, handicapped services and equal opportunity specialist. Contact Susan Caldwell (2-2558). Deadline: Aug. 29.


Counselling and Career Development Center: Career counselor. Contact Roman Carek (2-2081). Deadline: Aug. 22.


Union hours are set for fall semester

The special operating hours of the University Union have been set for Aug. 22 and 24, and regular hours have been set for semester.

Union hours on Friday, Aug. 22, are 7 a.m.-5 p.m.; information desk, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.; Nesi, 7 a.m.-5 p.m., and Bowl 'N Greenery, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Union hours on Sunday, Aug. 24, are noon-10 p.m.; information desk, noon-6 p.m., and Nest, noon-8 p.m.

The Union will be closed on Monday, Sept. 1, Labor Day.

Operating hours for fall are:

• Building — Monday-Friday, 7 a.m.-11 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-11 p.m.; and Sunday, 9 a.m.-10 p.m.

• Information Desk — Monday-Friday, 7 a.m.-9 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

• Book Room — Monday-Friday, 12:30-11 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday, noon-10 p.m.

• Faculty — (Grill) Monday-Friday, 7 a.m.-11 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; and Sunday, 9 a.m.-10 p.m.

• Bowl 'N Greenery — Monday-Friday, 7 a.m.-2 p.m.; Monday-Thursday, 5-8 p.m.; closed Saturday and Sunday.

• Ice Cream Shoppe — Monday-Friday, 11 a.m.-11 p.m.; closed Saturday and Sunday.

• Pizza Shoppe — Monday-Friday, 4-11 p.m.; closed Saturday and Sunday.

• Bowl 'N Greenery — Monday-Friday, 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m., and 4:30-7 p.m.; closed Saturday; Sunday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

• Pheasant Room — Monday-Friday, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.; Monday-Thursday, 4:30-10 p.m.; closed Saturday; Sunday, noon-2 p.m.

• Prout — Monday-Friday, (breakfast) 7 a.m.-10 a.m.; (lunch) 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; (snacks) 2-4 p.m.; (dinner) 4-6 p.m.; and Saturday and Sunday, breakfast/lunch (10 a.m.-2 p.m.; snacks) 2-4 p.m.; (dinner) 4-6 p.m.

Classified Employment Opportunities

The following classified positions are available.

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

NEW VACANCIES

Posting Expiration Date for Employees to Apply: 4:30 a.m., Friday, Aug. 22, 1986

8-22-1 Clerical Specialist

Pay Range 25

College of Education-EDAS Permanent, part-time

8-22-2 Clerk

Pay Range 3

Business Office

8-22-3 Food Service Supervisor

Pay Range 4

Food Operations

Academic year, part-time

8-22-4 Food Service Worker

Pay Range 1

Food Operations

Academic year, full-time

8-22-5 Word Processing Specialist

Pay Range 25

Accounting and MIS

8-22-6 Word Processing Specialist

Pay Range 26

Psychology

8-22-7 Lab Animal Aide

Pay Range 2

Temporary, part-time

Through May 1987

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