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# MONITOR

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## David Weekley receives employer support award

For every military reserve or guard member who serves the country, there is an employer back home who must accommodate that person's changeable schedule. Lieutenant David Weekley of the BGSU Police is being honored by the Committee for Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve for providing the kind of back-up that makes it possible for others to fulfill their commitment to the armed forces.

Weekley was nominated for the award by BGSU Detective Sergeant Charles Lewis, an Air National Guard reserve member who is a chief master sergeant in the 180th Tactical Fighter Wing, Security Forces Squadron, stationed in Toledo. Lewis attended the award presentation April 1.

Lewis is now on active duty and expects to be deployed overseas in the near future. Working around his schedule has been a challenge for Weekley, but he is more than willing to make it succeed.



"The citizen-soldier concept is something that many employers find difficult. It's a hard job to serve in the reserves and the guard," Weekley said. "You really have to serve two masters. You must be a good university employee and a good military employee."

"For employers, it means a lot of schedule juggling, plus

Nancy August of the Air National Guard's 180th Fighter Wing of Swanton, Ohio, presents BGSU Police Lt. David Weekley the Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve Award. Weekley was nominated for the award by BGSU Det. Sgt. Charles Lewis.

there are budget considerations and other inconveniences. It's a commitment on the part of the employer as well as the employee."

It's a commitment that Weekley understands well, however, having served in the Army for 14 years, leaving as a captain, and then serving in the Army Reserve and Army National Guard for about nine more years.

"It's a part of my life that I miss," he said, but it has given him an appreciation of the special needs of those who choose to serve the country.

## Staff honored for service to BGSU

Commitment to a job for 35 years may seem uncommon today, but not at BGSU. Nine members of the University staff were recognized for 35 years of service at the annual Staff Recognition Dinner held on April 4.

More than 200 classified and administrative staff members have dedicated five or more years to the University. Those observing 15 years or more of service were acknowledged at the dinner.

Along with those celebrating 35 years, 11 were recognized for 30 years, and 25 marked their 25th anniversary. Also commemorating anniversaries were 35 members at 20 years, 56 at 15 years, 22 at 10 years, and 59 at five years.

### 35 Years:

Sandra Gilbert, University Dining Services; Margaret Bobb, Human Movement Sport and Leisure Studies; Joanne Connerton-Williamson, Information Technology Services; Geneva Long, Instructional Media Services, and Ronald Gargas, WBGU-TV/Tucker Center. After dedicated years of service to the University, the following employees have retired: Janet Hughes, Libraries and Learning Resources; Judy Johns and Christine Sexton, WBGU-TV; and James Romaker, facilities services.

### 30 Years:

Paul Yon, archival collections; Lola Mercer, College of Health and Human Services; Nancy Joseph, dining services; Crispina Molina, Steven Schwab and Steven Yates, facilities services; Mary Bobb, HMSLS, and Robert Shontz, ITS. Retirees after 30 years include Jo Anne Parco, College of Arts and Sciences; Mary Roach, biological sciences, and Donald Romaker, facilities services.

Other honorees will be included in upcoming Monitors. For the full listing now, see Monitor online.

## Conway to help dedicate the Student Union

Comedian and BGSU alumnus Tim Conway will help dedicate the new Bowen-Thompson Student Union on Saturday, April 27, in an evening of celebration, music, dance and high spirits. Conway will demonstrate his comedic talents, well known from his tenure on "The Carol Burnett Show," in a stand-up comedy performance that evening.

Using the theme "Many Worlds. Many Dreams. One Place" to illustrate the role the union has in campus life, the dedication ceremonies will start at 6:30 p.m. The evening will spotlight the diverse talents of current BGSU students and faculty involved in the fine and performing arts as well as showcase the union's fine cuisine.

There also will be casino games reminiscent of the Mardi



Tim Conway

as the evening's master of ceremonies.

Gras celebrations held for years in the old University Union, and dancing in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom to the sounds of the Homewreckers.

Cleveland television newscaster Leon Bibb, an alumnus and member of the BGSU Board of Trustees, will serve

The Saturday night dedication is part of a weekend of special activities. Student-planned activities, including a spring comedy festival, will take place on Friday, April 26, and a community family day, which is free and open to the public, will be offered on Sunday, April 28.

Call the Office of Development at 2-2424 for more details about the weekend activities and reservations to attend the dedication. Part of the ticket proceeds will go toward the purchase of art for the building.

## Family Campaign supports our scholars

As the Family Campaign enters its final phase, its organizers are encouraging a campuswide effort toward a strong finish. The primary focus this year is student scholarships, though donors may earmark their contributions to any of the more than 400 accounts in the BGSU Foundation.

Departments are asked to keep shooting for 100 percent participation rate. Already, the rate has passed 40 percent, moving up a point since last week.

All faculty, staff, and retiree donors are invited to a donor appreciation reception on May 1, from 3:30-5:30 p.m. in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom.

# campus calendar.....

Monday, April 15

Guest Lecture Series, "Doing the History of Readers and Reading," with David Paul Nord, Indiana University; 4-6 p.m., 308 BTSU. Call 2-8725.

Guest Artist, pianist Carlyn Morenus, Illinois State University; 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall MMAC.

Tuesday, April 16

Guest Lecture Series, "Mrs. Dyer Brought Forth Her Horned, Four-Taloned Monster": News and Religion in Early America," with David Paul Nord (See above); 1-2:20 p.m., 207 BTSU.

Dean candidate forum, Michael Woodruff, East Tennessee State University, candidate for vice provost for research and dean of the Graduate College; 2:30-3:15 p.m., 315 BTSU.

President's Lecture Series, "No Neutral Ground: Standing by the Values We Prize in Higher Education," presented by Robert Young, author and chair of the Department of Counseling and Higher Education, Ohio University; 3-5 p.m., BTSU Theatre. Book signing to follow.

Planetarium Presentation, "Planet Patrol," 8 p.m., \$1 donation suggested.

BGSU Graduate String Quartet, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, MMAC.

Wednesday, April 17

Classified Staff Council, 9 a.m.-noon, Pallister Conference Room, Jerome Library.

Brown Bag Lunch, "Fictional Representations of Love and Romance in Popular Literature," with Nancy Down, Popular Culture Library; noon-1 p.m., 107 Hanna Hall.

Faculty Artist Series, Charles Saenz, trumpet, accompanied by Laura Melton, piano; 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, MMAC.

Thursday, April 18

Arts & Sciences Forum, "The New Economy and Racial Inequality," with William Julius Wilson, Harvard University; noon-1:15 p.m., 308 BTSU. The 12:30 presentation is free. The noon taco buffet is \$6.95. For reservations, call 2-9606 or email mjhitt@bgnet.bgsu.edu.

Dissertation Defense, "The Effects of the Level of Computer Technology Use in the Classroom on the At-risk Student's Grade and Attendance," by Rozalind Muir-Herzig, School of Leadership and Policy Studies; 3-5 p.m., 526 Education Building.

Lamb Peace Lecture, "Environmental Quality and Free Trade: The Impact of NAFTA," with Janine Ferretti, executive director of the North American Commission for Environmental Cooperation; 7 p.m., 206 BTSU. Organized by the Environmental Health Program; American culture studies and Canadian studies.

Poetry Reading, with John Wylam, poet and BGSU's BFA adviser; 7:30 p.m., Prout Chapel.

Concert, Tuba and Euphonium Ensemble, directed by Velvet Brown; 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, MMAC.

Friday, April 19

NEH Presentation, "Swinging Singles Cookbooks: Gender Lessons from the '70s," with Sherrie Innes, Miami University; 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., 107 Hanna Hall. Sponsored by the Popular Culture department.

Policy History Colloquium, "Negotiating Imperialism: Iroquois Women and the British Empire," presented by Gail Danvers of King's College, University of London; 3:30-5 p.m., 141 Williams Hall.

Concert, BGSU Collegiate Choral and the University Women's Chorus, directed by Mark Munson; 8 p.m. in Kobacker Hall, MMAC.

Saturday, April 20

Opening Receptions for the Senior Thesis Exhibition III in the Wankelman Gallery and for the Master of Fine Arts Exhibition II in the Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery; 7-9 p.m., Fine Arts Center. The Senior Thesis Exhibition will continue through April 30. The MFA Exhibition will continue through May 4. Regular gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 1-4 p.m. on Sundays.

Concert, A Cappella Choir and the University Men's Chorus, directed by William Skoog; 8 p.m. in Kobacker Hall, MMAC.

Sunday, April 21

Concert, BGSU Symphonic Band conducted by Bruce Moss; 3 p.m., Kobacker Hall, MMAC.

Monday, April 22

Guest Lecture, "Experience of a Statistician in Clinical Research: Statistics and Beyond (What They Didn't Teach You in School)" by Angel M. De Guzman, Abbott Laboratories, Chicago; 6:30-8 p.m., 114 Business Administration Building. RSVP to Arthur Yeh at byeh@cba.bgsu.edu.

Continuing Events

April 15-18

Residency, Theatre of Inclusion, an Indianapolis-based improvisational group of theater and dance professionals who work alongside persons with disabilities and those without, in order to create public performances through a process of guided improvisation. For more information, call Nancy Kennedy at 2-7316.

April 17, 19 and 20

UAO movie, "Harry Potter," showings at 9:15 p.m. April 17, and at 7 p.m. April 19-20. BTSU Theatre.

April 16, 19 and 21

Planetarium Presentation, "Dinosaur Lights," showings at 8 p.m. Tuesday and Friday and 7:30 p.m. Sunday; \$1 donation suggested.

April 19-20

Art Exhibition, "Links/Public Art—Bowling Green" 18 public art works installed throughout the city; 10 a.m.-5 p.m. A collaborative art project created by the "Technology, Space and Public Art" class addressing issues of site, history, space, self and culture. In conjunction with BG's Art Walk 2002. Maps are available at coffee shops, Art Walk 2002 galleries, the School of Art and other campus locations.

April 19-21

Sibs and Kids Weekend. For more information contact the Office of Campus Involvement at 2-2343.

Key: MMAC—Moore Musical Arts Center; BTSU—Bowen-Thompson Student Union.

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## in brief

### SPAR award nominations accepted now

The Office of Sponsored Programs and Research is accepting nominations for the 2002 Olscamp Research Award and the Outstanding Young Scholar Award.

The Olscamp Research Award is given annually to a BGSU faculty member for outstanding scholarly or creative accomplishments during the previous three years.

Junior faculty from all disciplines are eligible for the Outstanding Young Scholar Award. This competition recognizes research excellence among young faculty.

Application guidelines for both awards are available on the SPAR Web site at <http://www.bgsu.edu/offices/spar>. Nominations are due in the SPAR Office by May 1.

## job postings.....

### FACULTY

Cooperative Education. Associate/full professor. Call JoAnn Kroll, 2-2357. Review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

Finance. Instructor. Call Sung Bac, 2-8714.

Director of General Education. Associate/full professor. College or department determined by candidate hired. Call Tom Knox, 2-8305.

Contact Human Resources at 372-8421 for information regarding the following:  
CLASSIFIED

(Employees wishing to apply for these positions may request a "Request for Transfer" form.)

The following positions are advertised on and off campus. The deadline to apply is 1 p.m. Friday, April 19.

Cook 1 (C-23-Sc)—University Dining Services. Pay grade 3. Nine-month, full time.

Cook 1 (C-24-46-Sc)—University Dining Services (three positions). Pay grade 3. Nine-month, part time.

Sales Clerk 2 (C-28-30)—University Bookstore (three positions). Pay grade 4. Part time.

Assistant Sales Manager 1 (C-27-Sc)—University Bookstore. Pay grade 5. Full time.

### ADMINISTRATIVE

Health Promotions Coordinator (S-014)—Wellness Connection, Student Health Services. Administrative grade 15. Review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

Staff Physician (S-015)—Student Health Services. Review of

applications will continue until the position is filled.

Program Coordinator (S-01/069)—Bowen-Thompson Student Union (re-advertised). Administrative grade 14. Review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

Head Men's Ice Hockey Coach (02-024)—Intercollegiate Athletics. Review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

Associate Director for Programs and Services (S-062)—Bowen-Thompson Student Union (re-advertised). Administrative grade 16. Review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

Residence Hall Director (S-010)—Office of Residence Life. Administrative grade 13. Review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

Project EXCITE Program Manager (V-025)—College of Education and Human Resources. Administrative grade 14. Deadline: April 19.

Head Men's Basketball Coach (S-032)—Intercollegiate Athletics. Review of applications will begin April 23 and continue until the position is filled.

Technology Support Specialist (V-026)—Information Technology Services. Administrative grade 13. Deadline: April 26.

Systems Administrator (V-028)—Auxiliary Services. Administrative grade 15. Deadline: May 3.

Associate Director (V-027)—Large Format Digital Imaging Division of NISDM. College of Technology. Deadline: May 20.

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