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Budget Cuts Eliminate Focus

Faculty/Staff News, which was the name of the faculty/staff publication prior to 1975, has replaced Focus EMU as the official publication for EMU faculty and staff. This change was necessitated by a 20 percent reduction in budget for the Office of Information Services during 1981-82.

We will use Faculty/Staff News to provide faculty and staff with essential information on activities and events at the University. We will try to accommodate departments that need a vehicle for the dissemination of information, but our space will be extremely limited.

We continue to be interested in the professional activities and publications of faculty and staff and hope you will continue to inform us of them. We will try to publicize them through other media.

Part of our budget reduction was achieved through the elimination of one of the two staff positions in the News Bureau. As a result, we may be somewhat slower in providing service and our capability for writing features is seriously diminished. However, with your help and cooperation, we feel we can continue to promote the activities and accomplishments occurring at EMU.

We hope you will call us if you have any questions and we look forward to serving you in the coming year.

Kathleen D. Tinney
Director of Information Services

EMU Regents Round-Up

The Board of Regents at its Aug. 26 meeting:

--accepted eight educational grants totaling \$183,766 and three financial aid grants totaling \$1,573,804.

--accepted gifts totaling \$89,035.05 for the months of May, June and July.

--approved a one-year lease renewal with the First Baptist Church of Ypsilanti for the Children's Center operated by the Home Economics Department.

--approved an increase in the interest rate for the installment purchase of a Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectrometer for the Chemistry Department.

--approved the retirements of Gary D. Hawks, Robert Benden, and Richard

Jacques, under terms of the new Early Incentive Retirement Program.

--approved the appointment of John C. Fountain as acting vice president for University Relations.

--approved a General Fund operating budget totaling \$54,480,502 for 1981-82.

--authorized an independent analysis of the financial condition of the University.

--approved a \$25,000 challenge grant for WEMU-FM to be matched by contributions from the private sector.

--approved a new primary concentration in technology for the Master of Liberal Studies Program.

--approved tenure for 15 faculty members.

--promoted 41 faculty members.

--appointed Lori Anderson assistant softball coach; John H. Fogel coordinator of planned giving; Kathryn Kirk nurse practitioner in the Health Center; Dr. Antoinette Schiesler director of the Office of Research Development; Paul Sopchak administrative associate II in the Office of International Projects; Jack Toundaian manager of the University Bookstore; Dr. Patricia B. Weber associate dean of the College of Business; Edward E. Workman user consultant I in University Computing; Marjorie Lipson assistant professor of teacher education; Michael J. Paciorek assistant professor health, physical education, recreation and dance; Margaret J. Smith assistant professor of special education; Frans Ottosson custodian in the Physical Plant; David V. Sabo elevator control specialist in the Physical Plant; Robert H. Shears skilled trades plumber in the Physical Plant; and Clara Jean Hoedema senior secretary in the Alumni Relations Office.

--approved promotions for Loren W. Anderson, professor and acting head of the Accounting and Finance Department; Dennis M. Beagen, head of the Speech and Dramatic Arts Department; James P. Greene, executive director of compensation, employee relations and personnel; Deborah Koroch, coordinator of alumni relations; Rosalie Brown, library assistant II; Theresa Delmotte, administration secretary in the Office of Associate Vice President for Administration; Mary Dowling, senior secretary in Financial Aid; Barbara Durant, secretary II in University Planning; Patricia A. Hancock, secretary II in the Physical Plant; Diane McCall, senior secretary in the Center for Community Education; Arda Elizabeth Renton, senior records verifier in the Graduate School; and Carolyn Taylor,

library assistant II.

--approved the retirements of Carroll A. Osborn, professor of industrial education; Geraldine Kersey, custodian in Housing; John A. Langer, manager of University Surplus; Caroline Otrambo, housekeeper in Snow Health Center; Benjamin F. Wisc, custodian in the Physical Plant; and Elsie Workman, account specialist in the Budget Office. Osborn was granted professor-emeritus status by the Regents.

Four Faculty Get Release Time

Four EMU faculty have been awarded one-quarter release time appointments this fall through the Office of Research Development and Graduate School Faculty Release Time Program. This release time appointments give faculty additional time to devote to the preparation of funding proposals for research and development projects which will have a significant impact on the University.

This semester's recipients are: Dr. Ruby Meis, professor of home economics; Dr. Marshall McLennan, associate professor of geography/geology; Dr. Thomas Murray, professor of speech and dramatic arts; and Dr. Paul Kuwik, professor and head of interdisciplinary technology and director of bilingual vocational education.

Directory Name Policy Outlined

Students who do not wish their names listed in the forthcoming EMU telephone directory should fill out an exclusion card at the University Registration Office in Briggs Hall or call the Office of Information Services at 487-4400 by Sept. 16.

Savings Offered at Treasure Sale

Savings of up to 80 percent will be offered on new merchandise to be offered for sale at the EMU Parents' Association Art and Treasure Sale Saturday, Sept. 26, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the McKenny Union ballroom.

For further information, contact Dean Ralph Gilden or Doris Peck at 487-2222.

Special Activities Planned This Week

Numerous special activities, ranging from many tricycle races on the McKenny Union mall to free live concerts and art exhibits, have been planned as part of a "First Week Fling" to celebrate the beginning of the fall semester.

Sponsored by the Office of Campus Life, most of the special activities begin Tuesday, Sept. 8, the first day of classes on campus.

Beginning Sept. 8, two art exhibits featuring the work of former Art Department Chairman Kingsley Calkins and Alfio Pignotti, a music professor, will be showcased in Sill Gallery and the lobby of the University library respectively.

Calkins' exhibit of approximately 40 watercolor paintings continues through Oct. 2 in Sill Gallery from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. A well-known local painter, he is a past president of the Michigan Watercolor Society.

Pignotti will exhibit his driftwood sculptures in the library lobby through Oct. 2.

His driftwood sculptures suggest animals and abstract objects and are from Michigan, Idaho, Colorado and New York. The exhibit is open to the public during regular library hours.

Also, beginning Tuesday and continuing throughout the first week of classes, tricycle races will be held on the McKenny Union mall each day at 11 a.m.

In addition, as part of Tuesday's schedule of special events, Stuart Mitchell will perform in a free concert at noon on the McKenny Union mall.

Wednesday, Sept. 9, "First Week Fling" activities will be highlighted with a live concert featuring the music of "The Crowd" in the mall near McKenny Union.

Thursday, Sept. 10, "Savage" will perform in a noon concert on the McKenny Union mall and will play at a lawn dance scheduled for 8 p.m. behind the Hoyt Conference Center. Also, C.I.C. Cinema will present "Superman I" in Strong Auditorium at 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Sept. 10 and 11 the EMU Players will present Eugene O'Neill's "A Moon for the Misbegotten" in a repeat performance on campus. The play will be held in Quirk Theatre at 8 p.m. each night. Tickets are \$3.50 for general admission; \$2.25 for EMU students. For ticket information, call the Quirk Theatre Box Office at 487-1221.

Friday, Sept. 11, "The Greeks" will perform in concert at noon on the McKenny Union mall and C.I.C. Cinema will show "Some Like It Hot" in Strong Auditorium at 8 p.m. Admission is free.

"The Missiles" will perform in a free "Friday Night Live" concert on Library Hill at 9 p.m. which will be followed by an all-campus pep rally, featuring Head Football Coach Mike Stock, the football team captains and the cheerleaders at 10 p.m.

Activities Saturday, Sept. 12, begin with a pre-game barbecue with music by "Iszato" at Rynearson Stadium at 5 p.m. At 7:30 p.m. the Hurons will host Akron University. Tickets to the game are \$3 general admission and \$6 for reserved seats. EMU students will be admitted free.

C.I.C. Cinema will present "Harold and Maude" Saturday at 8 p.m. and midnight in Strong Auditorium. Admission is free.

For a complete schedule of events planned as part of the "First Week Fling," contact the Office of Campus Life by calling 487-3045.

Educational Council Seeks Members

The Michigan Council for Women in Educational Administration is entering its fourth year as a formal organization. Membership is open to all women and men interested in supporting the further integration of women into administrative and executive positions in education.

For further information and membership applications, write to: MCWEA, Box 2272, Ann Arbor, Mich. 48106

Bowling League Seeks Recruits

The EMU Faculty and Staff Women's Bowling League is recruiting interested individuals who would like to bowl on Tuesdays from 5:15 to 7:30 p.m. during the fall and winter semesters. Interested women should contact Betty Shugg at 7-2229 or Lou Pifer at 7-4094.

Catalogs Available for Departmental Use

Any department needing undergraduate catalogs for internal use may request them from the Records Office, Room 5, Pierce Hall by phoning 7-4111. Small quantities may be sent through campus mail. Departments should make own pick up arrangement if they need a box (32 copies) or more.

New students are given catalogs by Academic Services when they receive initial advising. Returning students are given catalogs by the Records Office when re-enrolling. All other students requesting catalogs should be directed to the Bookstore in McKenny where they may be purchased for \$1.

Women's Association Sponsors Reception

The EMU Women's Association will sponsor a reception in honor of six of the association's 1981 scholarship recipient Friday, Sept. 18 from 3 to 5 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Lois Porter, 600 West Forest Ave.

The 1981 Women's Association Scholarship recipients include Sandra Griffin, Ruth Marie Hellner, LuAnne J. Horvath, Martha Stadelman, Denise M. Wasnich and Debra M. Willing.

Everyone from the University and community interested in the goals of the Women's Association, the role of women and the support of women students at EMU is invited to attend the fall reception.

"For Colored Girls..." To Be Presented

Ntozake Shange's "For Colored Girl Who Have Considered Suicide When the Rainbow is Enuf," a collage of 21 poems focusing on "the human struggle of women," will be presented by the Common Ground Theatre Ensemble in Pease Auditorium Friday and Saturday, Sept. 18 and 19, at 8 p.m.

Directed by S. J. Mifsud, the production of Shange's poetry "confronts the macho image prevalent in society today. While the experience in the script is black the behavior confronted is common to men regardless of race," a program note explains.

Original music in the work is by Stephani Ozer and David Schoenbach with choreography by Beth Godley and S. J. Mifsud.

Tickets for the performance are \$8 and \$6.50. All students and senior citizens will be admitted for \$6 and \$4.50.

Tickets are available at the Office of Campus Life Box Office from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays. Tickets for remaining seats will be on sale at the door beginning at 6 p.m. on the night of the performance.

For further information, call 487-3045 or 487-0423 (24-hour events line)

Openings

The Personnel Office announces the following vacancy:

Clerical/Secretarial
(Minimum Bi-weekly Rate)
CS/05 - \$446.18 - Senior Secretary
Bilingual Vocational Education (50 percent
and Interdisciplinary Technology (50 percent)

Final date for acceptance of internal applications for the above position is Sept. 15, 1981. Internal applicants should submit a Promotional Openings Application form to the department in which the vacancy exists.

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