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Double Issue Christmas/New Year

The Dec. 22 issue of *What's Happening* will be a two-week edition, covering events from Dec. 22 through Jan. 4. On Jan. 5 we will return to our regular weekly publication.

Calendar listings and classified ads for the Dec. 22 issue must be in by Thursday, Dec. 15, 5 pm. Remember, this two-week holiday issue will include all New Years events, so make plans now and let us know by Dec. 15!

International Friendship

International Friendship Family is a program new to Lane Community College this year. The purpose is for international students to share cross-cultural experiences with families from their host country. LCC wants to provide a comfortable space for students who are living on their own to be part of a family group at times. If you are interested in participating in this program, contact Mira Grattis, 726-2204, ext. 2660.

Sponsors, Inc.

Sponsors, a non-profit group that assists ex-prisoners, will be selling Christmas trees now through December 24 on the corner of 7th and Tyler, Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Proceeds will be used to help fund Project Self-Reliance, an employment service for ex-prisoners. For further information, call 485-8955.

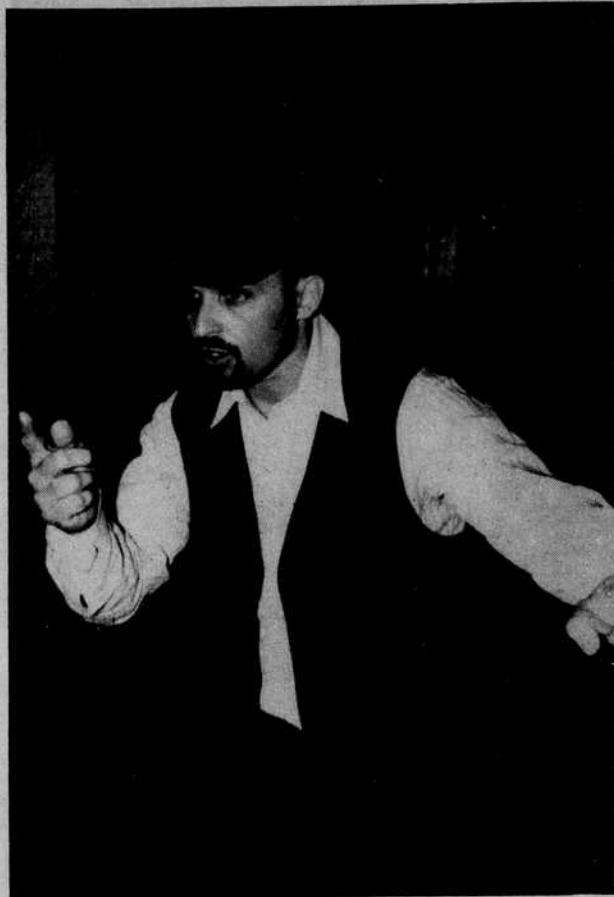
WISTEC Scholarships

A grant of \$4400 from the Fred Meyer Charitable Trust will enable Willamette Science and Technology Center (WISTEC) to offer 60 full-tuition scholarships for children from low income families during a period of one year beginning in January 1984. The grant will allow WISTEC to award incentive scholarships of \$10 toward class tuition to 150 girls during the same time period. Full tuition for the class is \$30.

The full-tuition scholarships and incentive scholarships are offered to increase the scientific and technical literacy of elementary and high school students in Lane County. In the past, WISTEC's computer classes have consistently attracted about 75% boys and 25% girls. The incentive scholarships are offered to girls in hopes of balancing the enrollment of boys and girls in computer classes.

WISTEC's computer classes introduce students to computer programming. They learn to write and run programs in BASIC, a computer language common to most types of micro-computers. There are no grades and no homework; there is plenty of individual attention and opportunity to explore.

Full scholarships are available on a first-come, first served basis, to anyone eight to eighteen years of age whose family has a Food Stamp card. Incentive scholarships are available to girls from eight to eighteen, also on a first-come, first served basis (no demonstration of financial need required). Call 484-9027.



Tales From Here & There

Storyteller and author, Bob Rubinstein, will offer "Tales From Here and There," on Sunday, December 11 at 4 p.m. This program will be a benefit for, and take place at, Temple Beth Israel, 2250 Portland St., Eugene. Featured in this international afternoon will be stories from Haiti, China, American Folklore, an Irish street song and a Jewish tale or two.

Bob Rubinstein has performed his stories across the country and led a variety of workshops. He is a teacher at Roosevelt Middle School in Eugene, and the creator and founder of the Roosevelt Troupe of

Tellers. These dynamic young storytellers have performed for some 2300 school children annually. In 1983, the Roosevelt Troupe of Tellers received one of Oregon's "great kids" Public Service Awards.

A many-faceted creative dynamo, Bob is the author of two novels for young adults: "Who Wants to be a Hero!" and "When Sirens Scream."

Don't miss this delightful and stimulating program. All are welcome, though it is requested that children under ten be accompanied by an adult.

Tickets at the door will cost \$1 per person or \$3 for a family.

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