



Hungry Visitors--Some of the 47 visiting grade school students from Elim, Alaska sample the food in the Chemawa Dining Hall. Their visit was a part of their stay in the Willamette Valley, arranged by the B.I.A. and Oregon College of Education.

Small Visitors Arrive

Lots of excitement came to 47 grade school students from Elim, Alaska, as Grace Nichols, Olga Fitka, Georgianne Charles, Jacob Mercurief, Percy Nakarak and Paul Kotongan showed them around the Chemawa campus.

The 47 students represent the entire student body of a two-room school in the small village on Norton Bay 50 miles east of Nome.

The students are living with Dallas students and their families for six weeks in an educational-cultural exchange, a cooperative venture headed by Dr. Paul Jensen, of Monmouth, involving Oregon College of Education, the Bureau of Indian Affairs and the Dallas Public School system.

Lab Likes New Home

The Math Lab has been in its new quarters in the north part of the Dining Hall for a semester.

Mr. Simmons said, "This is just an experimental year to see how the Math Lab works out. The biggest problem is getting work sheets made out ahead of time, so the students won't have to wait. But so far it's been a pretty good deal, and hopefully the students can adjust to the new system."

Mr. Weeden said, "Team teaching instructors work with the students generally at different math levels."

Students are able to work in the area where they are having difficulty," Mr. Ellison added. "Students can work at their own pace. Students get more individual help."

Among the 47 students were a brother and foster-brother of Chemawa American staff member Paul Kotongan. American staff member Paul Kotongan. Paul said, "I really enjoyed having Gabriel and Brian here with me, and I wish there were more students from home attending school here at Chemawa."

New Chemawa Store Hours Set

Mr. Schmitz has made a few changes in the schedule of the store. The new hours are as follows:

Weekdays

Open--7:30 am to 1:00 pm
Closed--1:00 pm to 3:00 pm
Open--3:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Closed--5:00 pm to 6:00 pm
Open--6:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Saturdays

Open--10:00 am to 2:00 pm
Closed--2:00 pm to 6:00 pm
Open--6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Sundays

Same as Saturdays, except that it

Sophs Pick Leaders

The newly elected sophomore class president is Alvin Mercurief, from St. George Island, Alaska. The new vice-president is Debbie Simpson, from Omak, Washington.

Carolyn Kavealook was elected secretary. She is from Barrow, Alaska. The new treasurer is Linda Jane from Omak, Washington.

Boys Dorm News...

What's going on in the boys dorms? Many activities are being held in the boys dorms - such as art and crafts, bead working, leather making, ivory and soap stone carving, brass metal making, painting and drawing.

Mr. Lester Lincoln, an instructional aide, takes charge of a cooking class for interested Brewer Hall boys each Sunday morning, and Mrs. Carol Metterneck is in charge of Brewer Hall arts and crafts.

Other activities such as swimming are held each Wednesday and Sunday. Bowling at the North Gate Bowl is held each Sunday, Monday and Thursday, and roller-skating is held every Thursday (free of charge) and Sunday (\$1.25).

Activities have been planned for Mitchell Hall, such as a blind-date with McBride and a three-day stay out at the Surftides in Lincoln City with McBride. A camping trip to Silver Creek Falls was also planned by Mitchell Hall's recreation manager, Mr. Schollosser.

Because of Mitchell Hall's great effort in room cleaning, the boys were given carpets and long curtains in their rooms. Some have not received theirs yet.

closes at seven o'clock instead of eight.

Mr. Schmitz said that he is interested in supplying students with materials for Indian arts and crafts.

Belleque Leaves

Mr. Ed Belleque resigned from his job at Chemawa after seven years as instructor aide in Brewer Hall and five years as Recreation Director.

Mr. Belleque started working here on December 1961, and resigned on December 22, 1972. He now works in the city of Woodburn as a superintendent of parks and recreation.

Mr. Belleque said, "I do miss Chemawa very much. I miss the cooperation between students and me, especially with the recreation club. I hope that students will cooperate with the recreation staff as they have done for me. I would like to assist the school in any way if possible."

The canoes Mr. Belleque and the recreation club ordered will be coming in soon. Mr. Belleque plans to ride the canoes with the students.