



Back on the job--Mr. Russ Markishtum checks over the absence reports in the office and thinks about getting back to teaching and coaching next year. Markishtum recovered from a severe heart attack in March. (Photo by Pat Kvasnikoff)

Markishtum Glad To Be Back

"There is a commercial on t.v. that I used to laugh at," said Basketball Coach Russ Markishtum. "The woman or the man says, 'When you've got your health, then you've got just about everything.' I don't laugh at it any more."

Coach Markishtum is very happy just to be alive. He was stricken with a severe heart attack March 5 at the close of basketball season. Now he is back at work, trying to take it easy and at the same time keep track of truants as Chemawa's new attendance officer.

Markishtum said that his new job is a whole new ball game from his old role of p.e. teacher and coach. "I can feel the pulse of the whole campus from here," he said describing the main office.

And what is the pulse of the campus like? "It's spring. It's nice out, and we have a lot of kids in love," he commented, but added that skippers have been polite with him and gone to their classes when he asked them to.

The coach will go back to his regular duties in the fall, helping coach football and serving as head basketball coach again. The doctor gave him the green light for another season in the Capital Conference. He will also teach social studies half days.

Coach Markishtum says he has recovered enough to do some fishing already, but he's not in shape for his other two favorite hobbies, fish-

ing and hiking, just yet. His ordeal in the hospital left him 22 pounds lighter. "But I don't recommend it as a way of losing weight," he said.

Lady Cop Visits Winona

Christine Querna, an officer from the Salem Police Department, visited Winona Hall April 17.

Officer Querna talked to the girls about shoplifting, hitchhiking and rape. She mentioned that if you are under the age of 18, you may be sent to J.D.H.--even if the item is worth only ten cents. If you are

over 18, you could wind up in jail, have to pay a fine and go before the court.

She said that hitchhiking is legal if you are on a curb. But it is illegal to do it on the road itself.

Christine said that she had investigated two rape cases lately. Both girls were hitchhiking. One girl thought she knew the guy, but it ended up that she didn't and she was raped. The other girl didn't have the faintest idea who the guy was. "It wasn't too pleasant, especially for the victims," Ms. Querna said.

Christine also talked about an investigation of a girl who had bought a bike for \$60. The store she bought it from had bought it for \$15, not knowing it had been stolen. The boy who had owned the bike saw her riding it and called the police. He got it back and it ended up that she couldn't get her money back from the store because the owner said he had no idea it was stolen. So the girl lost her 60 bucks.

3 Pass Tests

Three Chemawa business education students passed their Civil Service Proficiency Tests in typing and shorthand recently.

Sharon Watt took shorthand at 80 words per minute for three minutes with 98% accuracy. Sandra Thomas passed her typing test by typing 49 words per minute for five minutes with only three errors. Mary Looney managed 51 words per minute for five minutes with three errors. Both were well over the minimum score.

This means that the girls have completed part of their Civil Service exams and would not have to take them again.

New Athletic Facilities Planned

Some of the athletic facilities planned for the new school include a baseball field, a track, four tennis courts, a football field and an enclosed swimming pool. The pool is planned at 25 meters, with six 7-foot lanes and one and three-meter diving boards at the deep end.

There will be a high school regulation-sized playing court with an all-purpose synthetic floor. Equipment and uniform storage rooms will be provided. The bleachers would seat 750 people.

There will also be a lobby area. In the lobby there will be public restrooms, a ticket window and a concession stand.

The football and track field would be lighted, and the bleachers would seat approximately one thousand people.

These functional requirements were prepared by the Chemawa Advisory School Board, Chemawa School Staff, Portland Area Office Personnel, the Division of School Facilities and the Division of Facilities Engineering.