

# Stan Kenton to Perform Here

Stan Kenton, whose name is magic to campus music-lovers, will play a full evening's concert on the University campus in mid-February, the Student Union Board has announced.

Kenton will play in McArthur Court on a Monday night—Feb. 13. His music will start at 8 p.m., and will continue "until the last possible moment before closing time," according to Les Jones, board president.

## Christy Featured

The new Kenton orchestra—40 men and a girl—is just starting a nationwide tour, and the Oregon engagement will be the third of a long series of concerts. The girl is the well-known June Christy.

His current tour marks a re-entry into the music field for Kenton, who "retired" temporarily more than a year ago. He's coming back now with a program called "Innovations in Modern Music for 1950," based almost entirely on

currently popular tunes.

The Kenton name in music has held just about all the top honors given to bands over the country.

## Band of Year

In 1946, Look magazine predicted the Kenton group would be

the "Band of the Year." The good-looking bandman didn't disappoint his flock of followers, either—he won every popularity poll of the year.

Kenton in 1947 organized a tour called "Progressive Jazz." Audi-

ences found it so much to their liking that they preferred to crowd around the bandstand rather than dance. This led to Kenton's decision to forego the ballroom for the concert stage.

## Tickets Now on Sale

Miss Christy joined the Kenton troupe four years ago and was so successful that she has been able to go on her own as a single. However, she is rejoining Kenton for the duration of the tour.

Tickets for the Kenton show go on sale today at McArthur Court and downtown at the Appliance Center. Students get a special price of 80 cents, tax included. Other prices are \$1.20 for general admission, and \$1.80 for reserved seats.



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## U.O. March of Dimes Campaign To Conclude on Tuesday Night; Many Present at Benefit Dance

The University March of Dimes campaign will end officially at 5 p.m. Tuesday night, Betty Wright, drive co-chairman, reported Sunday afternoon.

No tabulation of money collected has been made as yet. A count will be made Tuesday night after house representatives turn in money from their respective campus living organizations.

## 300 Attend

Various campaign activities have been staged during the two-week drive. Friday night an estimated 300 persons attended a benefit dance held at Willamette Park following the Oregon-Washington basketball game. All proceeds were contributed to the Eugene March of Dimes fund.

Due to a lack of electricity, students and Eugene townspeople danced to the music of Johnny Lusk and his band by candlelight. Entertainment for the dance was provided by University students.

## Webfoots Top Huskies In Double-Upset Here

Coach John Warren and Oregon basketball followers finally have something big to smile about today, after Webfoot hoop teams turned in a long-awaited "clean-sweep" weekend.

An underdog Duck varsity came out of nowhere to deal double-destruction to the Washington Huskies, knocking the Seattle team from top spot in the Northern Division, and boosting local basketball stock to the sky.

After watching Oregon measure the Huskies 57-49 Friday night, McArthur Court fans were astounded to see the Ducks follow up with a thrilling 63-60 victory Saturday night.

## Frosh Also Win

To make the basketball weekend complete, the Oregon freshmen also won a pair of games. Don Kirsch's Ducklings swamped Redmond high 81-19 Friday, and came from behind Saturday to win over Vanport College, 54-52.

Guard Jack Keller was a double hero in the Oregon sweep over Washington. The little speedster was high-point man for the Ducks

both nights, scoring 16 and 18 points to pace his team. Paul Sowers returned to scoring form to sink 28 points in the two-game series.

## WSC Now on Top

Washington State defeated Idaho Saturday to take over first place in the Division race. Oregon remains in fourth place, but with an improved win-loss record. The Ducks have now won three games and lost four in conference play.

Customers who braved icy roads to see the second ball game were treated to a spectacular indoor pole-vaulting exhibition by three Oregon vaulters.

George Rasmussen, who holds the Northern Division vaulting crown, pleased the fans by clearing 14 feet with room to spare. Rasmussen tried 14 feet, six inches three times, but tipped the bar on each attempt. Don Pickens and Lloyd Hickok also performed in the exhibitions.

(See the sports page for further details of Oregon's double win over the University of Washington.)

## AWS Week Program Expanded

AWS Weekend—renamed Duck Preview—will be expanded this year to give high school boys as well as high school girls a glimpse of life at Oregon.

All seniors in Oregon high schools who plan to attend college will be mailed invitations about two months ahead of the April 14-16 date set for the event. Similar weekends will be held at the same time by Oregon State College and four other Oregon colleges.

## Given Preference

The high school students who attend the Oregon weekend will be given their preference of housing in dormitories, co-ops, or fraternities and sororities. A housing committee will assign them to specific living organizations.

Petitions for eight committee chairmanships have been called for by Marie Lombard and Steve Church, who will head the weekend. Petitions should be turned in by Friday at 4 p.m., to Miss Lombard at Delta Delta Delta, or to Church at Theta Chi.

## Eight Committees

Committees will include housing, registration, welcome booklet, invitations, exchange dinners, luncheon program, dance, and campus tours. The committees will arrange the following events for the visiting high schoolers:

A Saturday luncheon, with a program featuring student body "wheels," faculty members, and members of the coaching staff; campus tours; a Saturday night dance; and exchange dinners Sunday. In addition, the visitors will be able to see the All-Campus Varsity Friday night and a varsity baseball game Saturday afternoon.

Formerly, AWS Weekend had been held each year for senior girls only.

## Annual Dads' Day Draws 300 to U.O.

### Bobbie Chambers Selected Hostess for Event; Owen Bentley Made President of Oregon Dads

Some 300 dads cut through ice, snow and slush to be with their sons and daughters in Eugene for the annual Dads' Day Saturday.

Major happenings of the day were the election of Bobbie Bagley Chambers as Dads' Day Hostess and Owen Bentley, Portland, as president of the Oregon Dads.

Scratched from the agenda were the campus cleanup contest and the welcoming ceremonies for the Shasta Daylight, which never arrived; but registration, luncheon, sign contests, and business meeting continued in spite of the elements.

## Newburn Says Quality Vital In Noon Talk

Quality in education is the primary goal of the University of Oregon, President Harry K. Newburn told assembled Oregon Dads and their sons and daughters at the annual Dads' Day luncheon Saturday.

Newburn was the principal speaker on the program. Weather conditions prevented Oregon Governor Douglas McKay, scheduled to speak at the luncheon, from coming to Eugene.

"Our whole job is to develop the qualitative aspects of humanity, so that our graduates may do their living on a higher level than if they hadn't come to the University," Newburn explained.

## Quality Emphasized

The quality of students entering the University affects both the institution and its product, the educator asserted.

"The individual with average intellectual talent, a good background, and a sincere interest in learning can graduate from college. You don't have to be a genius."

The basic reason that many of these individuals do not enter college is economic, Newburn stated.

## Economic Aid

"There is evidence that one of the best things in this country to encourage students to come to college would be to give economic aid. The days are past when many students could put their way through schools by part-time work."

Newburn cited the Oregon Dads' part-time work programs in Eugene as progress in the right direction.

Quality in the students' home life is also being considered, the president continued.

## New Group Living

"As part of our program, we are setting up a new type of group living. All freshmen will live together in University dormitories.

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Pi Beta Phi came through with first place in the total registration contest, demoting the Tri-Delts to second place for the first time in five years. A record album salvaged from the prizes slated for the cleanup contest went to Delta Gamma for third place.

Hunter Hall recruited the highest percentage of freshman dads, with Alpha Omicron Pi coming in second.

Alpha Chi Omega's sign won them the trophy for first place in the sign contest.

Mrs. Chambers was elected hostess by the vote of the Dads themselves at registration booths. The wife of business sophomore Dick Chambers, she attended Oregon State College before transferring to Oregon last spring. She is affiliated with Delta Delta Delta sorority.

Other new officers elected by Oregon Dads at their annual business meeting include Paul Patterson, Hillsboro, vice-president; the Rev. Wesley Goodson Nicholson, Eugene, secretary; and Karl W. Onthank, University graduate placement director, re-elected executive secretary.

Additions to the executive committee were Richard Jones, Portland; Jack Foster, Eugene; E. R. Mobley, Coos Bay; and George Alexander and John Caughell, Salem. Ernest Haycox, Portland, became, as former president, an ex-officio member of the board.

## Snowfall for Month Sets Eugene Record

Eugene's record snowfall totaled an even 34 inches for this month as of Sunday evening, the Weather Bureau reported.

That's more snow for a single month than at any other time since the Weather Bureau records were started in 1890. Furthermore, it comes close to being a record for an entire season. Only two winter seasons surpass January, 1950.

## AGS vs USA

## Four Candidates for Freshman Class Offices Backed by Heavy Record of Past Activities

### By JACKIE PRITZEN

Four candidates for freshman class officers, named Thursday by Associated Greek Students and the United Students Association, will be nominated for first and second posts in the freshman class at a class assembly Wednesday at 4 p.m.

Candidates for the number one position are Don Denning, AGS, and Don Paillette, USA. Helen Jackson, USA, and Jackie Wilkes, AGS, will vie for second position.

Here's a rundown on their backgrounds:

### Don Denning

Denning, member of Beta Theta Pi, came to the campus from Bend high school, where he was student body president. Active in student government, he was elected president of the State Student council, representing schools throughout Oregon.

Before his senior year, he was elected representative to the National student council in Washing-

ton, D. C. Complementing his activities in student government, he became a three-year letterman in school sports and Master Counselor, Bend chapter of DeMolay.

Denning, registered in liberal arts, plans to study medicine.

### Don Paillette

Paillette, liberal arts student, entered University activities as assistant chairman of the Homecoming Barbecue. Also serving on committees for Community Chest

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