

Campus Comment

Women Must Plan Mixers; Frear Deplores Situation

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Emerald Columnist

It must be women who plan mixer dances here as Oregon. A man wouldn't have the guts. In any part of the country these ill-named functions consistently offer one striking similarity — a representation of dancers and would-be dancers at an approximate ratio of twenty men to every woman. Any red-blooded American boy, having attended at least one hundred of these dances in his pre-college days, could never summon the courage to plan one himself.



Mixer Dances have been a popular institution at this institution for a number of years. Their frequency attests to their popularity, there being six scheduled for this wet and dismal term. Also, one additional fruit-juice squeeze thrown in for twenty cents a head.

Trusting in the repetition of such dances in the many years ahead, I humbly offer my advice on: The Proper Procedure for Students Attending Fishbowl Mixers.

First, it should be noted that since these dances are "no-date" affairs, it is wise for every man to bring a girl with him. This custom is socially accepted. And since mixing means to associate, it is advisable for every couple to know another couple at the dance to sit with. This is handy for gossiping, for bridge playing and is a sure way to hold claim on the scarce tables in case one couple decides to dance.

Women are generally discouraged from attending mixer dances without a male escort. It is contrary to feminine etiquette to advertise the fact of being desparate for male attention.

If there be any unaccompanied women, they should always sit in a dark and secluded corner where they will be virtually safe from masculine interference. Maneuverability in the Fishbowl is atrocious and few men have the inspiration to squirm through the mumble-jumble of chairs, tables and human beings. If women are approached, it is easy enough to dismiss the eager male with the remark, "I'm waiting for someone."

All stag men at mixer dances should stand in little mobs in front of the doorways, and es-

pecially in front of the soda fountain. In these positions you can adequately tie up traffic and in addition have an excellent sightseeing post. After thirty minutes of such procedure you will be conspicuous enough that no woman would dance with you if your buddy eggs you into asking.

Standard procedure has it that no one arrives at these dances until at least one hour before it starts. This allows time for the anxious, naive and eager to get discouraged and go home. This makes for more tables. But don't expect to find one even then, for some reason people come to these things.

Oregon Accepts WUS Invitation

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drive which has been held on campus in the past

WUS hopes to have the educational project completed in the spring, with a preliminary report from the 30 participating schools to be made in April. About 20 of the schools are now active in the project, Kitchen said

Findings Evaluated

At the end of the project, those working on the experiment, will evaluate the findings of the questionnaire and the discussion groups. These findings will then be incorporated with those from other schools, Kitchen said.

The representatives at the meeting decided an executive committee should be set up to work on the administrative details. It was also decided the experiment should have both a student and faculty chairman. There will also be a student chairman for each of the three projects. They will be helped by a faculty adviser to each group.

Tom Wrightson, ASUO president, and Nan Minnaugh, junior in English, will contact campus organizations to select members of the committee.

The committee will meet next Tuesday at 4 p. m. in the Student Union.

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Saturday House Dances

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Sigma Kappa
Delta Delta Delta
Kappa Kappa Gamma
Delta Zeta
Kappa Alpha Theta
Alpha Omicron Pi
Gamma Phi Beta
Zeta Tau Alpha

Honorary Hears

Mental Health Talk

Dr. John C. Eberhart of the National Institute of Mental Health spoke to Psi Chi, psychology honorary, Monday.

Eberhart, chief of the Institute's Research Aid and Fellowship branch, is here in connection with plans to expand the University's training program in psychology.

Phi Thetas to Sell Druggists Five Address Stickers Bag Ducklings

Phi Theta Upsilon, junior women's honorary, this week began sales of return address labels to women's living organizations on campus.

The honorary members are taking orders for the labels, which are sold at 300 for \$1.25, according to Janet Wick, president.

Campus sales for the labels will be held on women's day, Feb. 12, and on women's elections day, Feb. 18. Phi Thetas will set up booths in the Student Union and the Co-op on Feb. 12. Labels may be ordered Feb. 18 at a booth set up in Gerlinger hall.

Secretarial Study Awards Available

Senior women are eligible to compete for two additional scholarships offered by the Katherine Gibbs school for its secretarial training course.

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The Oregon Frosh took a 70-49 whipping at the hands of Everybody's Drug in the prelim to the Tuesday night varsity game.

After a rather desultory first stanza that ended 12-12, Everybody's Drug went to town and swamped the Frosh, 31-21 at the half. The Frosh sank only one field goal in the second period.

The Frosh showed some life in the third quarter, but Everybody's Drug simply kept pace with them to their lead. After the frosh had cut the lead to three points, the Eugene team went to work with a frenzy and in 45 seconds blistered three through the hoop to ice the game.

Paul Sours was, as usual, the high point man of the evening as he collected 15 markers. He was closely followed by Bob Hazel with 14 and Doug Talbot with 13

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