

Freshman Leaders Express Opinions

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Brian Booth, president; Jim Lynch, vice-president, and Rob Roy and Louie Blue, representatives, newly-elected freshman class officers, expressed a variety of viewpoints when asked about current campus issues with which they will be confronted as members of the ASUO senate.

The youngest ASUO officers were asked to comment on seating at football games, the Millrace problem, the ASUO entertainment commission and ASUO sponsorship of a University rifle team.

Speaking of the controversial Millrace question, Louie Blue, a native of Eugene, took the financially realistic standpoint that the 'Race is a nuisance and should be filled in. He explained that a jetty would have to be placed at the mouth of the Millrace in order to turn the water from the Willamette into the 'Race.

Lynch and Roy felt that the Millrace should be saved because of the beauty it adds to the campus. They felt that the traditional dunkings and other phases of campus life connected with the 'Race make it an important part of campus life.

Brian Booth stated without reservation that the 'Race should be preserved, and expressed the hope that the historic stream may someday resume its prominent place in campus life.

Should the ASUO sponsor a

University rifle team? The four agreed that a rifle team should be established on a minor sport basis, if it does not conflict with ROTC program. Louie Blue pointed out that since only one other coast conference school has a rifle team, it would be good for Oregon to take the lead.

The four freshman leaders were not so unanimous on the issue of the ASUO entertainment commission.

"If the entertainment commission concerns itself with improving the quality of the organization of the various programs, it should be allowed to expand to cover more than merely the exchange assemblies, but if it acts as a board of review or a censorship committee, then I am against the idea," Booth said.

Jim Lynch said that the commission is a good idea and that assemblies should be reviewed, but he added that the maturity of college students should be taken into consideration. "The assembly should not be evaluated on the same basis as a high school assembly," he said.

Roy and Blue took a somewhat similar stand on the question of the ASUO entertainment commission and its relationship to the annual exchange assembly.

Roy said that the new seating arrangement at the Washington State football game was a great help in improving school spirit. Blue and Booth felt that the plan should be publicized and enforced



PLOTTING THE COURSE for the freshman class this year will be: (left to right) Rob Roy, representative; Brian Booth, president; Jim Lynch, vice-president, and Louie Blue, representative. The four already have plans underway for the annual Frosh Sno-Ball, tentatively scheduled for Jan. 29.

to a greater degree.

Lynch expressed the opinion that more pressure should be brought to bear upon "piggers."

Asked about the activities of Sno-Ball, tentatively scheduled for Jan. 29, he said that details of the freshman officers are working and petition deadlines will be announced soon.

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Registration Dates Planned for Winter

Students will have two weeks Christmas vacation following finals next week. The academic calendar calls for return to campus on Jan. 2.

Actual registration will be

Libe to Be Open This Friday Night

To accommodate students studying for final exams, the reserve book section of the University library will be open Friday night from 7 to 10 p.m. The additional three hours for studying in the library Friday night was in answer to student requests, according to Carl W. Hintz, head librarian.

It was also announced by Lois Baker, law librarian, that the use of the Fenton hall law school library is reserved for the use of law students only.

Freshmen to Fill Dance Positions

Petitions for committee chairman positions for the annual Frosh Sno-Ball are due at the Student Union by 6 p.m. tonight.

Positions to be filled by the petitions are decoration, entertainment, publicity and arrangements co-chairmen, program and patrons chairmen.

Brian Booth, freshman class president, and Jim Lynch, class vice-president, are general co-chairmen for the event.

Each petitioner will be interviewed on Friday and Saturday of this week. Results will be announced next Monday. Committee members will be chosen the first week of winter term.

The Frosh Sno-Ball is a formal dance for freshmen students and their dates. This year it will be held in the Student Union, Jan. 29.

held Jan. 3, with classes starting Jan. 4.

Registration material will be available in the Student Union Dads lounge Jan. 3. The first three steps in the registration procedure are to be completed on the first day of registration.

Steps in the registration process include:

1. Pick up registration material in Student Union on registration day or in the registrar's office in Emerald hall after Jan. 3.

2. Build study program with adviser's approval. If the program approved by adviser in the fall term preliminary advising conference is unchanged, this program may be copied onto the proper card.

3. Enroll in courses in department and school offices.

4. Check with student affairs clerks in the SU ballroom on Jan. 3 or in the student affairs office in Emerald hall after Jan. 3.

5. Check study programs and obtain fee assessments from registrar's office clerks.

6. Pay fees at the cashier's office in Emerald hall.

Veterans on P.L. 16 or 346 should clear with the veteran's window in the registrar's office between steps 3 and 5 in order to charge any educational costs to the veteran's administration.

Last Paper Today

Today's edition of the Emerald ends publication for fall term. A total of 51 papers have been published.

Publication for winter term will begin Tuesday, Jan. 4. Forty-five editions are planned for the term.

Death Claims Wife Of YM Secretary

Mrs. Russell Walker, late wife of the University YMCA secretary, died Tuesday night in a Eugene hospital.

Mrs. Walker had been a patient in the hospital for three days before her death. The cause of her death is unknown, but is thought to have been connected with a diabetes condition.

She is survived by the widower and a son, Glenn. She is also survived by several relatives living in the Eugene area, and her mother who lives out of the state.

Memorial services will be held in the Wesley Foundation chapel at 2 p.m. Saturday.

Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Coach Commends Spirit of Students

The University's school spirit is rapidly improving. At least this is true if the opinion of Len Casanova, head football coach, and his staff is indicative.

Casanova wrote in a letter to Rally Board Chairman Sally Stadelman that he and the grid squad both were pleased with the support they received from the student body during the past season.

Following is Casanova's letter:

I would like to take this opportunity in behalf of the entire football coaching staff to thank you, the rally committee, the entire student body, and the administration for the wonderful support of the football team this past season.

I believe it is the revival of the tremendous Oregon spirit, and I am sure that your group has set a high standard for future rally committees.

I know (and I am speaking for all of those who participated in football) that the enthusiastic reception given us after our defeat by U.C.L.A. at the airport had a marked impression on the entire squad for the remainder of the season. I am positive that if this spirit is exemplified by the rally committee and student body in future years, Oregon will continue to prosper in the football world.

Again, many thanks for your efforts and with every best wish for continued support to the other athletic teams throughout the year, I am

Sincerely,
L. J. Casanova
Head Football Coach.

Intramural Plan To Go Into Effect

A plan approved by the Inter-fraternity council last spring term for placing fraternities in intramural athletics leagues according to the number of active members in each fraternity will go into effect at the beginning of winter term.

Athletic managers of 29 men's living organizations voted Tuesday to replace the present system whereby the top teams of the past year are seeded first in each of the individual leagues.

Leagues to Be Established

The new system provides that the fraternities with the largest memberships will be placed in two leagues and the 11 with the smallest memberships in two other leagues.

Under the old system, the teams highest in the standings from the previous year were placed at the head of each of the individual leagues. The leagues were then filled with the teams which had the poorest records the previous year.

Ruling Applies to 4 Sports

The new permanent set-up will apply only to football, basket-

ball, volleyball and softball. Other sports are straight elimination sports under the intramural system.

A plan to make the new system applicable to all men's living organizations was defeated by a 20 to 5 vote. A large-house plan calling for the placement of fraternities in athletic leagues according to their IFC membership quotas was defeated, 17 to 3.

IFC Discussed Plan

The plan for placing fraternity teams in leagues according to strength of membership was discussed in IFC meetings last spring term and a resolution favoring division of intramural play among fraternities into four leagues according to size of total active membership was adopted at that time.

No further action was taken on the plan until this term, when interested fraternities questioned Paul Washke, professor of physical education and supervisor of the intramural program, on the possibility of such a set-up.

Washke turned the question over to the house athletic managers, saying that the school of physical education acts only in a supervisory capacity, and that actual policy decisions rest with the athletic managers of competing fraternities, co-ops and dormitories.

Washke said that he knows of no similar plan at the University in the past, and said that apparently the Inter-dormitory council had taken action similar to that of IFC.

Co-op to Distribute Lists to Students

New textbook lists designed to speed up service at the co-op during the rush at the beginning of the term will be distributed Jan. 3, according to G. L. Henson, manager of the co-op.

Printed lists of all required textbooks will be available for distribution to students at the entrances of the Co-op, Henson announced. This will enable students to know the titles and prices of books they wish to purchase so that service at the book counter can be faster than in the past.