



### County mulls ombudsman possibility

Should Lane County government hire an ombudsman? County Commissioners are looking for people who would like to serve on an ad hoc advisory committee to study this question and to make recommendations.

Recently, students from Action High School in Eugene proposed that an office of ombudsman be established in Lane County "to assure the people of having a citizen's advocate in County government". They made the recommendation to the Board of Commissioners after analyzing written remarks on a questionnaire prepared by the County and sent to County residents last year.

Commissioner Nancy Hayward said she has supported the establishment of an ombudsman position for several years, but would like to receive suggestions from the public regarding the proposal.

Persons interested in serving on a committee to study whether or not the County should create such a position should write the Board of Commissioners, Room 200, Lane County Courthouse, Eugene, Oregon 97401.



### Festival of Arts presents:

Conversations on the Theme at 4 p.m. in the EMU Forum and at 8 p.m. the Portland Dance Theater performs at the Lane Community College auditorium.

### PL-3 goes technicolor Monday

The University's television station PL-3 will begin live color broadcasting Monday.

The broadcast, beginning at 6:30 p.m., will feature two inaugural programs.

The first program that evening will be a local show transmitted exclusively on PL-3, cable channel 7 in the community and on cable channel 3 on campus. The program's title will be "Cable in Our Community." An "inquiry panel" will discuss and analyze this current community issue.

Participants in the panel will include Alice Rutter, community relations director for Eugene and member of the Metropolitan Area Cable-Translator Study Committee; Don Robinson, associate editor of the Eugene Register Guard; Jim Danielson, manager, Teleprompter of Oregon; Gienn Starlin, University vice provost and broadcast communication professor; and Dan Slater, special events director for radio KWAX-FM, who will moderate the panel.

Viewers will be able to address questions to the panel by calling 686-4243, 686-4240, or 686-4238.

The half-hour program begins at 6:30 p.m. The second program begins at 7:30 p.m. and is part of the continuing series "Statehouse '75." It will deal with the issue of field burning in the Willamette Valley. This program will be carried on the Oregon Educational Public Broadcasting System network on KOAC, Channel 7, Corvallis, and KOAP, Channel 10 in Portland in addition to PL-3.

Guests for this program will be Bernard "Bud" Byers, chair of the House Agricultural and Natural Resources Committee; Nancie Fadeley, chair of the House Environmental and Energy Committee; and Janet McLennan, assistant to the Governor for Natural Resources. John McDonald, coordinator of news, OEPBS, Salem, will moderate.

### Teens sought for summer jobs

Applications will be accepted February 15 through March 15 for a limited number of openings in the Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) operated by the State of Oregon, U.S. Department of the Interior and the U.S. Forest Service.

The youth program, a permanent one entering its fifth year, is designed to provide temporary employment during the summer for young men and women of all races and economic backgrounds. Applicants must be at least 15 and not yet 19 years of age and have an interest in the natural environment.

This year in Oregon, the YCC program enrollment is expected to reach 225, slightly under last year's total.

In past years, the YCC has taken part in and completed projects involving stream improvement, timber thinning, range fencing, trail clearing and construction of recreation facilities, among others.

Persons interested in the program may obtain further information from high school counselors, state employment offices, or from the Governor's Commission on Youth, 775 Court St., Salem, Oregon 97310.

### OSPIRG offers internships for spring, summer research

Applicants are now being sought for eleven summer research internship positions with the Oregon Student Public Interest Research Group (OSPIRG), according to OSPIRG Intern Committee Chairperson Dan Mulholland.

Through its annual summer intern program OSPIRG provides Oregon students with an opportunity to do research in environmental, consumer or civil rights problem areas.

Interns, working under the direction of OSPIRG's professional staff, earn \$1,000 for a summer's work.

Selection of the interns and the summer research topics is done by OSPIRG's Intern Committee, comprised of students from various Oregon colleges and universities.

According to Mulholland, all students either presently enrolled or who will be enrolled in Oregon colleges and universities are eligible to apply.

Because intern projects normally cover a broad range of topics, applicants from all fields, such as sciences, communications, law and social sciences are being sought.

Applications and information on selected projects will be available within approximately three to four weeks.

All interested persons should write for application forms and project information to the OSPIRG Intern Committee, 408 S. W. Second Avenue, Room 414 Governor Building, Portland, Oregon 97204.

The Oregon Student Public Interest Research Group (OSPIRG) has announced a new research assistantship program available to students during spring term.

Positions are open to five students either presently enrolled or who will be enrolled in Oregon colleges and universities.

According to OSPIRG Intern Committee chair, Dan Mulholland, the research assistants will be working with OSPIRG's professional staff and will earn \$330 per month.

Mulholland said OSPIRG hopes that students participating in the assistantship program will also be able to arrange for college credit through the institutions they attend.

Students selected for the spring term assistantships will be expected to begin work in late March and continue through May.

Members of the student Intern Committee will make final selection of candidates following a review of the resumes and interviews.

All interested persons should send a personal resume to the OSPIRG Intern Committee, 408 SW Second Avenue, Room 414 Governor Building, Portland 97204, or contact the OSPIRG office at 222-9641 for more information.

### 'Olympics' held for kids

Mentally handicapped children from Lane County will be competing Saturday on a "Special Olympics" basketball tournament in the Springfield High gym at 1 p.m.

According to Michael Dutter, a psychology and recreation senior who coaches the children, the meet is sponsored by the Joseph P. Kennedy Foundation as part of a national competition for developmentally disabled children.

"This provides motivation for physical exercise, giving them a feeling of belonging and a sense of pride in what they're doing," Dutter said.

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#### MEETINGS

The Lane County Family Planning Clinic is offering new hours to Springfield residents beginning this month.

Clinics will be held on the first Thursday of each month from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. On the third Thursday of each month the clinic will be held from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Clinics are located in the Community Health Offices in the Human Resource Center, 221 "B" Street, Springfield.

The clinics offer family planning education and clinical services with no income, age or marital restrictions, according to Ardie Arnis, community health nurse.

The Student University Affairs Board will meet Sunday, Feb. 16 in the EMU at 2:30 p.m. The public is invited. Room to be posted.

AFSCME information meeting for all classified employees today at noon in the EMU. Room to be posted.

#### INTERVIEWS

Action representatives will be on campus to accept applications for both Vista and Peace Corp programs, Feb. 17-21 at the Office of Career Planning and Placement, Susan Campbell Hall. Applications will be accepted by appointment and a drop-in basis on the EMU Terrace.

Interested persons are advised to apply by Friday, Feb. 21 to be eligible for Spring and Summer projects.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

University Professors Marlene Thal and Richard Trombley will perform at a faculty recital Sunday, Feb. 16 at 2 p.m. in the Beall Concert Hall. Thal, piano, and Trombley, flute, will perform Bach's "Sonata in E Major," Mozart's "Sonata in G Major," and Franck's "Sonata in A Major."

Students, faculty and community people are encouraged to contact SEARCH about initiating or teaching spring term University SEARCH classes. Contact the SEARCH office in Suite 1 EMU or call

686-4377. The deadline for spring term course proposals is Feb. 28.

Tutors are needed in the following areas: CS 333 (Fortran); QM 333, Fin 314, 341 (Intro Real Est), 442 (Real Est Env Anal); CSPA 444 (Correctional Systems); RHCM 321 (Logic of Argument); EDP 327 (Soc Found Teaching); U.S. History; Chem 102, 105, 333 (Organic); Bio 102 (Human Blood); 302; Psych 324 (Quan Methods); PE 422 (Anatomy); WR 121, Shakespeare and Math 201. Upper-division credit is still available. To sign up, call 686-3226 or come to 268 Condon.

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