

Nature photographer talks about Himilayas

Today's Earthweek activities feature wilderness photography and a major clean-up of the Millrace.

Wilderness photographer and mountaineer Galen Rowell will present a slide show on "Skiing the Karakoram Himilayas" at 7:30 p.m. in the EMU Ballroom.

Rowell, whose photographs are known to readers of National Geographic, National Wildlife and Sports Illustrated, recently returned from the highest ski-tour in history, 285 miles across the Karakoram Range of the Himilayas.

The dual-screen show ties together the history, wildlife, cultures and Rowell's past

travels in the range, including an attempt on the world's second highest mountain, K2, and the first ascent of the Great Trango Tower.

Rowell, a free-lance photojournalist since 1972, also is conducting a workshop on outdoor photography at 2:30 p.m. in the EMU Forum Room. Beginners and experienced photographers can learn from his discussion of techniques and equipment.

Also today, University Greeks and other community volunteers will be cleaning the Millrace from noon until dark.

For more information, contact the Survival Center at 686-4356.

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SPEAKERS

Prof. S.Y. Kuroda from the University of California at San Diego will speak on "Current Trends in Transformational Grammar" today at 3:30 p.m. in Room 201 Condon Hall.

Profs. Karen Mesce and Dennis MacCaskie will speak today at 12:30 p.m. in Room 307 Volcanology. Mesce will speak on "Calcium-bearing Objects and Shell Selection Behavior Elicited in Hermit Crabs" and MacCaskie will speak on "Distinguishing Trace Element Evolution Models from Plots of Data: Part II."

Local playwright Dorothy Velasco will read from work-in-progress and discuss playwriting tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the third floor conference room of Chapman Hall. Velasco is the author of "I Used to Look Like Marilyn Monroe," "Pae," and "The Northwest Woman." Refreshments will be served and all are invited.

Carol Silverman will discuss American gypsy culture tonight at 7 p.m. in the Eugene Public Library, 100 W. 13th Ave.

MEETINGS

The Undergraduate Economics Association will meet today at 3:30 p.m. in Room 410 PLC.

"Careers in Science and Engineering" is the title of a workshop to be held today at 4

p.m. in the EMU Forum Room. Women in Science will sponsor the program and hold a short meeting afterward.

The Computing Center will offer a seminar to aid in converting work from the old OSMFT system to its replacement, OSVS1, today at 3:30 p.m. in Room 333 Gilbert Hall.

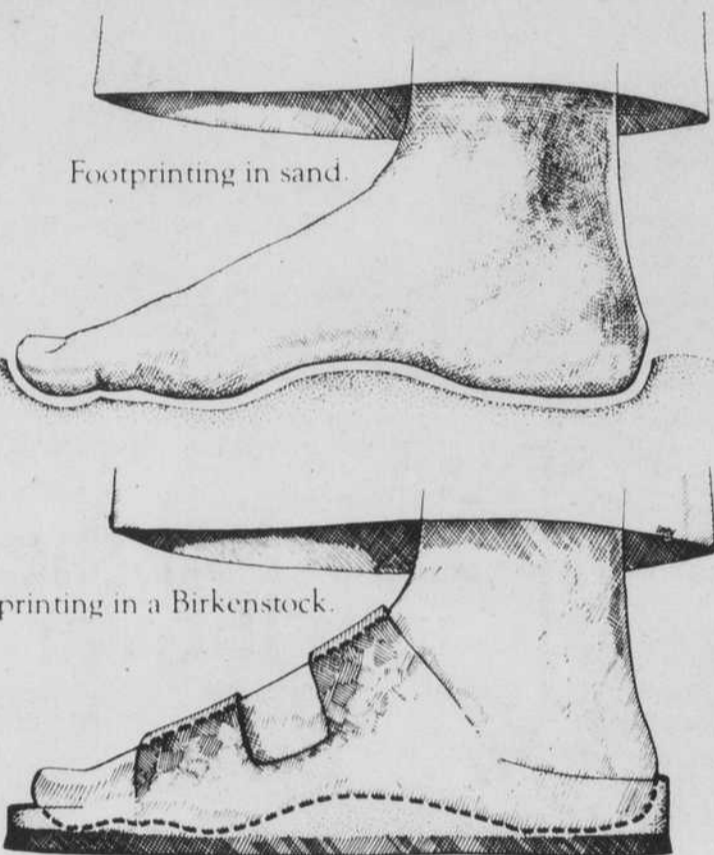
"Finding the Hidden Job Market," an easy eight step process to help find the right career, will be held today at 12:30 p.m. in Room 101 EMU.

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