

IFC debates fee increase

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Of the Emerald

The Incidental Fee Committee discovered its budget shortfall to be worse than expected Monday and also accepted the resignation of committee member Pam Jordan.

IFC members were presented with the ASUO executive office's preliminary ASUO program recommendations and an estimate of incidental fee and general deposit interest for 1982-83.

"We are facing a very serious decline in incidental fees," said IFC Chairer Karsten Rasmussen.

Incidental fee income is tied directly to the number of students enrolled, and the estimated enrollment for next fall — used as a base enrollment for the year — is 15,500. Fall term enrollment this year was almost 17,400.

The IFC will have to cut at least \$37,000 off this year's ASUO program budgets for next year — even if the committee adopts a proposed 50-cent per-term increase in each student's incidental fees, Contreras said.

The IFC is prohibited from increasing fees more than 7-percent, which would be about 70 cents per term. Increases are probably limited to 50-cent increments, Contreras said.

If the committee decides not to increase incidental fees at all, it will cost ASUO programs about \$50,000, he said.

The ASUO executive office's preliminary recommendation for next year totals \$461,000, a 7-percent cut compared to this year's budget of about \$510,000, Contreras said.

IFC members had many ideas, besides a fee increase, for dealing with the shortfall.

Five-percent cuts in all bud-

gets would have the same effect as 7-percent cuts in ASUO and some EMU budgets, David Gibson suggested. The 7-percent cut proposed does not include two EMU administrative budgets and the fee subsidy given to the athletic department.

Members decided to ask the ASUO constitution committee to look into the fee committee's power to make cuts in — or recommendations about — the athletic department subsidy and EMU budgets "protected" by the constitution's provisions.

In announcing her resignation, Jordan said it was because she no longer has the time to devote to committee work. "I see this as a really valuable experience and I wish I could stay on," she added.

ASUO Pres. Rich Wilkins will soon make an appointment, subject to approval by the Student University Affairs Board.

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MEETINGS

The EMU Board will meet today at 4 p.m. in Room 111, EMU.

Students for a Nuclear Free Future will meet today at 5:30 p.m. in the EMU (room to be posted). Information to be shared and discussed.

A support group for women, sponsored by the Women's Referral & Resource Service, will meet tonight at 7 at the YWCA, 841 E. 18th Ave. For more information, call 686-3327.

Women's Assertiveness Training class meets today from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the EMU Forum. \$20-\$25 sliding scale.

The Teacher Graduate Student Organization is having a brown bag meeting on Wednesday from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in Room 135-0, EDPM. Andy Duncan will present some recent research.

A gay men's rap group will meet today at 7 p.m. at 1414 Kincaid St. in the New Gay Coffeehouse. The group meeting will run long this week — bring snacks if you like. Call Gay Peoples' Alliance at 686-3360 for more information.

Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity is holding a general meeting tonight at 6 in Room 336, Gilbert Hall. All interested business and economic students are welcome.

WORKSHOPS

"The Wide World of Public Relations" is the topic of a workshop today at 3:30 p.m. in the Academic Resource Area, Room 164, Oregon Hall. Speakers will be Stephen Unwin of the journalism school and Liz Mann, journalism peer adviser. With them will be a staff member from Career Planning & Placement. They will discuss course offerings, student activities and organizations, internships and career opportunities.

SPEAKERS

Computer crimes and how they catch computer criminals is the topic of a presentation today at 7 p.m. in Room 112, EMU. FBI representative C. Gill Jarman will be the featured speaker. First and second volumes of the "Wizard Chronicles" will also be available. Sponsored by the University Computing Association.

"Dreams, Their Purpose and Meaning" is the topic of a lecture today at 7:30 p.m. in Gilbert Hall.

"How Chromosomes (Do Not) Move" is the topic of a lecture by Dr. Andrew Bajer today at 4:30 p.m. in Room 16, Science I.

CLASSES

A CPR class is being offered at the Eugene Hospital and Clinic on Wednesday from 7-11 p.m. Registration is required. For more information, contact the Oregon Heart Association at 746-2128 or the CPR Lifeline at 726-9692.

EXHIBITS

The Bruiner Gallery, located in the Library's Instructional Media Center, is now accepting photographic portfolios for consideration. For further information, contact gallery coordinator Joan Tabb on Tuesday or Thursdays from 1:30-6 p.m. at 686-3091.

MISCELLANEOUS

Scheduled to take Writing 121 next term? The WR 121 waiver test is being offered in February so results will be available prior to spring term registration. Candidates must register in Room 354, Susan Campbell Hall, no later than Wednesday for the February test.

The Sociology Peer Advisors will have an informational table in the EMU lobby today from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. to answer questions regarding requirements, courses, practicum and peer advising.

Each Wednesday morning at 8:30 a.m., a Bible Study is held at the Wesley Center, 1236 Kincaid St.

The United Methodist Campus Ministry holds regular worship services on Tuesdays at 4:30 p.m. This informal time of singing, devotions and prayer is held in the Chapel of the Wesley Center at 1236 Kincaid St.

The Bahai' Campus Association will have an informational table in the EMU lobby from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. today.

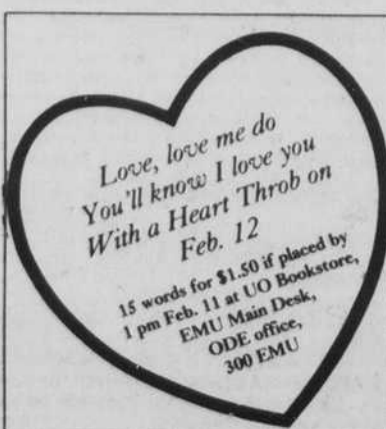
The Lifelong Learning Program is holding its weekly informal social gathering for students over 25. Come any time between 12:30-2 p.m. to Century Room F, EMU (upstairs). Bring your lunch if you like. For

further information, call Judy Wood or Jan Logan at 686-3211.

Testing applications for Border Patrol Agent Trainees are currently being accepted by the Office of Personnel Management and the Immigration and Naturalization Service Office. For more information, contact the Federal Job Information Center at 206-442-4365.

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