## High school press to pack EMU Speeches, workshops featured by national journalists

#### **By Melissa Martin** Of the Emerald

More than 1,500 high school journalists will fill the EMU today for the 1983 High School Press Conference.

Sheena Patterson, Los Angeles Herald Examiner associate editor, will highlight the conference with a keynote address at 2:30 p.m. in the EMU Ballroom.

Patterson, former editor of Weekend, a nationally distributed Canadian newspaper and magazine, is responsible for the Sunday edition of the Herald Examiner, as well as for all features sections, the TV magazine and California Living Magazine.

Patterson will hold a special session at 9 a.m. in 221 Allen for

#### students and teachers.

Polly Pattison, free-lance designer from Westminister, Calif., will speak on guidelines for improving layout, copy, coverage and overall special effects of yearbooks. Pattison conducts workshops throughout the country.

KEZI-TV's "eccentric" weatherman Dave Sweeney also will be speaking at the conference. He will talk to students and faculty at 10 a.m. in 221 Allen.

Also speaking are Dianne Donovan, University journalism professor and former assistant editor of the Chicago Tribune; Dan Davies, reporter for the Statesman-Journal in Salem; Henny Willis, editorial writer and Fred Crafts arts editor, both with The Register-Guard.

A special three-hour session about student press rights will be held at this year's conference. The University student chapter of the Society of Professional Journalists will share results from a statewide survey they conducted of high school teachers and principals.

The University's SPJ club will sponsor a writing contest, and winners will be announced at a special early evening awards banquet.

A display of the William Randolph Hearst Foundation's photojournalism awards contest winners is set up in the EMU's art gallery today.

# Symposium focuses on Byzantine 'Golden Age'

Riots in a capital city caused widespread destruction and almost brought down the country's leader. This could describe the situation in a number of countries. But the Nika Revolt, which resulted in the slaughter of 30,000 people, occurred more than 1400 years ago in the Byzantine capital city, Constantinople.

A free symposium exploring the Nika Riots and other events occurring during the rule of Byzantine emperor Justinian (A.D. 527-565) will be held at the University Oct. 6-8.

"This is a rare opportunity to hear specialists speak on such a subject," says Dean McKenzie, University art history professor and symposium coordinator.

John Barker, a history professor at the University of Wisconsin, will open the symposium at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in Room 107 Lawrence Hall with a lecture entitled "The Nika Riots and Byzantine Social Violence.

In spite of the Nika Riots, scholars call Justinian's rule the "golden age." Byzantium, also known as the Eastern Roman Empire, was a surviving fragment of the original Roman Empire which fell in 476 A.D. Byzantine armies restored imperial rule to North Africa, Italy and coastal Spain.

McKenzie visited an enduring Byzantine structure, St. Catherine's Monastery at Mt. Sinai, and in his slide lecture entitled "Justinian and Mt. Sinai, he will show some of the best preserved mosiacs of that era. McKenzie will examine the levels of meaning contained in the mosaic images at his slide lecture at 8:30 p.m. Thursday.

An exhibit of photographs and models illustrating the artistic creations of the era supplements the symposium and is on display in Gallery 141, Lawrence Hall, until Oct. 8.

Contact McKenzie, 686-3663, for more information.

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#### MEETINGS

STUDENTS OPPOSING REGISTRATION and the Draft meets toady at 5:30 p.m. in Suite 1 EMU. Agenda includes preparation for next week's rally and bake sale to be discussed. All interested students welcome

UNIVERSITY DEMOCRATIC ORGANIZATION invites all interested students to the group's organizational meeting today in the EMU Century Room D at 11:30 a.m. Everyone welcome to join and participate. INTERVARSITY Christian Fellowhip meets tonight at 8

p.m. for an evening of volleyball and basketball at the First Baptist Church. For a ride to the church meet in the Carson lobby at 7:30 p.m. Bring friends. POLITICAL SCIENCE STUDENT UNION meets tonight in

EMU Century Room A at 7 p.m. This will be a very important meeting concerning the Mock Convention and holding elections. Anyone with an interest in the Mock convention is urged to attend. PRE-LAW STUDENT Association's Executive Council will

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meet on tonight at 7:30 p.m. in Room 164 Oregon Hall. CLUB SPORTS SKI TEAM is holding an organizational meeting tonight at 7 p.m. in Room 101 EMU. All interested cross country and alpine skiers are welcome to attend.

UO CYCLING TEAM will hold an organizational meeting tonight from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. in Room 108 EMU. Old members and those wishing to join are encouraged to attend. Novices welcome.

FINANCE CLUB organizational meeting for all majors and newcomers will be held today at 4:00 p.m. in Room 337 Gilbert Hall. Refreshments will be served. CLUB SPORTS EQUESTRIAN TEAM invites anyone with

an interest in horses to attend a general meeting on tonight at 6:30 p.m. in Room 109 EMU. Try-outs for the horseshow team will be announced.

BAPTIST STUDENT UNION is sponsoring a tree movie tonight dealing with one young man's experience with the Unification Church in the EMU Forum Room at 7 p.m. Discussion about the Moonies will follow

by Berke Breathed

WESLEY FOUNDATION, United Methodist Campus Ministry, holds a Bible study each Thursday at the Wesley Center, 1236 Kincaid St. Call Stu Shaw at 686-4694 for more information.

INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP PROGRAM: Interested in foreign cultures and peoples? If so, please attend an in-troductory meeting Friday, Oct. 7, at 1:30 p.m. in the AEI Lounge, Room 269 PLC.

#### LECTURES

A JUSTINIAN SYMPOSIUM, commemorating 1,500 years since the birth of Justinian, will be held Oct. 6 through 8. The following speakers will be featured today: Oct. - Prof. John Barker, History, University of Wisconsin, addressing 'Nika Riots and Byzantine Social Violence", 7:30 p.m. in Room 107 Lawrence Hall; Prof. A. Dean McKenzie, Art History,UO, presenting a lecture titled "Justinian and Mt. Sinai

FIEST DE LA PAZ schedule of events for today: Mural painting on the front wall of the Wesley Center, 1236 Kincaid St., under direction of Alejandro Canales of Nicaragua and Francisco Letelier of Chile. Street Faire featuring Latin American performing groups, food booths and folkwares, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

**RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS: Post-graduate schoarship to** Oxford University. Applicants must be U.S. citizens, unmarried, 24-years-old or less as of Oct.1, 1983, and have academic standing to assure completion of a bachelor's degree before October 1984. All students interested in applying should contact John Orbell, Room 114 Friendly Hall. A meeting of all students planning to apply will be held Friday, Oct. 7, at 3:30 p.m. in Room 109 Friendly

MARSHALL SCHOLARSHIPS: Post-graduate scholarship to British universities. Applicants must be 24-years-old or less as of Oct. 1, 1983. Preference is given to unmaried applicants. Students interested in applying should contact John Orbell before Oct. 6 and should attend the general meeting at 3:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 7, in Room 109 Friendly

BRING Recycling Center has a permanent dropsite for recyclables in the parking lot between 15th and 17th streets. Glass bottles and jars, newspaper, aluminum, flat-tened tin cans and motor oil are accepted. For more infor-mation contact BRING at 746-3023.

**MELLON FELLOWSHIPS in the Humanities: Administered** by the Wilson Foundation. Faculty members must nominate students by November. The award is intended for humanists only and must be applied towards a U.S. university, extending through the acquisition of a doctorate degree. For more information contact Prof. John Orbell, Room 114 Friendly Hall.

FULBRIGHT AWARD: Deadline for students applications tor 1983-84 is Oct. 15. Application and information are available in 330 Oregon Hall.

PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION of art and architecture trom Justinian's Time, Friday, Oct. 7, from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Gallery 141, School of Architecture and Allied Arts. Prof. A. Dean McKenzie will act as guide

A BENEFIT DANCE will be held Saturday, Oct. 8, at 8:00 p.m. in the EMU Ballroom. "Arousing Spirits" will provide reggae music and "Porcupine" will perform the blues. Tickets are \$2.50 in advance or \$3.00 at the door. Tickets can be purchased at the EMU Main Desk, Earth River Records, or Face the Music. The benefit is sponsored by the Survival Center and proceeds will go towards the Oregon Natural Resources Council to protect our wilderness. For more intormation call the Survival Center at 686-4356.

CLUB SPORTS RUGBY team plays its next home game Saturday, Oct. 8, vs. Reed College. Also, all interested players are encouraged to come to practice Mondays, Wednesdays or Fridays at 3:30 p.m. in the field behind Mac Court.

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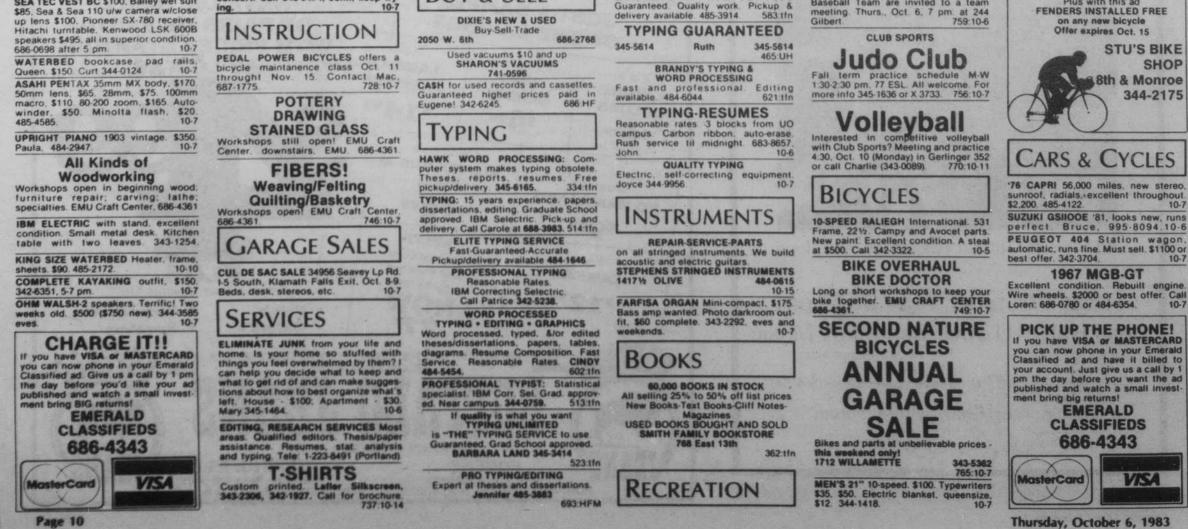
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