Halloweeners fund World Day tour

By Michele Matassa Of the Emerald

A new international organization called World Day will host a Halloween party and dance Saturday, Oct. 29 from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Eugene Hilton.

Income from the dance, which costs \$7.50 per person and is closed to those under 21, will fund a worldwide tour by the group's leaders.

With this party and a recent publicity drive for World Day, Eugene residents Brian Livingston and Nancy Hansen are sowing seeds they hope will grow into an international grassroots movement toward world cooperation.

Livingston and Hansen are co-presidents of World Day, which is planning festivals and rallies in major cities around the world on June 21, 1986.

Along with several county and city officials, the two leaders announced the group's formation at a press conference last week.

Livingston said peace activists at June's Planetary Congress in Toronto, Canada, conceived the idea of a worldwide network working for international cooperation.

Livingston was selected to lead the new organization and decided to base World Day in Lane County because the area is relatively small and supportive of grassroots movements, he said.

"Eugene is the headquarters because it's a small, out-of-the-way place. The international stages of this are best done in a place that's out of the way of the focus of attention," Livingston said.

The organization's members want their message to reach citizens around the world in their own language, he said. The message shouldn't come from a central place, which might happen if World Day was based in a large city, Livingston said.

Until a central meeting of organizers in New York next month, the Eugene headquarters will serve as a "clearinghouse of information" for the project.

Next spring, they will begin a month-long world tour, visiting all the countries they hope will organize 1986 celebrations. The tour will include Belgium, Yugoslavia, Egypt, India, Japan, Mexico and Brazil.

By celebrating international cooperation, World Day activists hope to promote thinking which fosters a "win-win" situation instead of one where one side always loses, Livingston said.

(World Day) is not a win-lose situation. When you get into that, you wind up in a lose-lose situation," he said.

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University seeks cue on computers will report that its total fiscal year

By Doug Nash Of the Emerald

The University will go before the State Board of Higher Education Friday to seek the necessary authorization for its new microcomputer center located in the Condon building.

The project, formally called the Center for Advanced Technology in Education, will allow the University to consolidate computer-oriented programs in the Department of Education.

In addition, center planners hope to be able to form a consortium of state agencies that will use the center to study the problems of utilizing computers and technology in education.

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That long-range goal should be achieved in about five years, Education Dean Robert Gilberts estimates. Furthermore, he forsees no setbacks in the board's ultimate approval of the center.

"We have a really unique set of resources here," Gilberts says. "I expect that they (the board) will be pleased to see people taking a fairly concerted initiative."

In other board action, the University of Oregon Foundation

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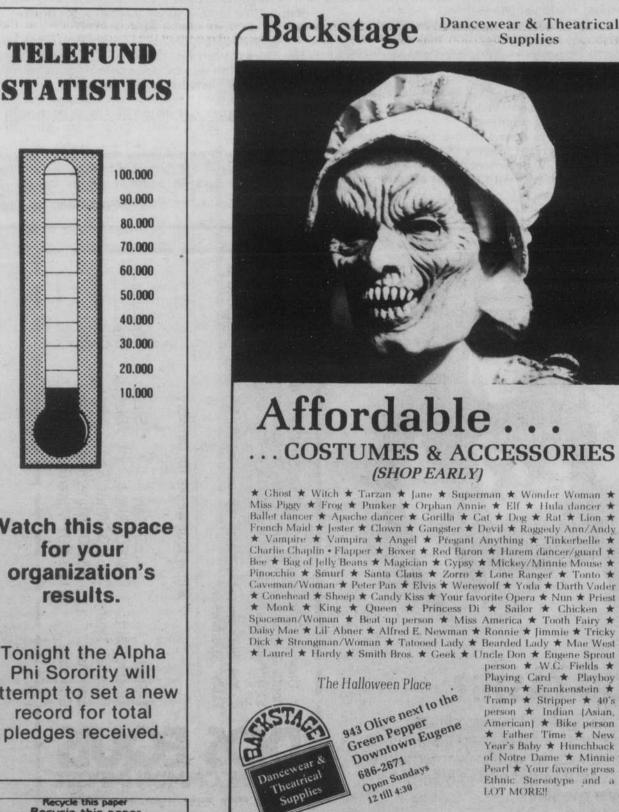
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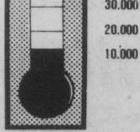
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