

LETTERS

Look it up

Regarding Allen James' letter (ODE, Oct. 28): It has been scientifically proven that homosexuality is a human genetic trait.

Look it up. *Science News*, Aug. 31, 1991, p. 134. *Newsweek*, Feb. 24, 1992, p. 46.

One would expect more from someone who speaks so highly of "academic responsibility." Let us hope that not all life-science students are as irresponsible.

Peter Nies
Journalism/Fine Arts

CIA on campus

University students interested in a career with the Central Intelligence Agency will be interviewed by a recruiting officer on Election Day in Hendricks Hall.

Interview applicants have responded to a call for students of Soviet studies, history, psychology, physics, political science, sociology, journalism, mathematics and foreign languages.

The *New York Times* reported that the military anticipates seven potential enemies for the next decade, which demand large expenditures for "defense" and intelligence operations.

Our most recent visiting CIA recruiter operates under the directives of the National Security Education Act (1991), which provides \$150 million to preserve the long-standing relationship between academia and the intelligence agencies.

The act funds the creation of new departments, student grants and foreign student recruiting programs. Approximately one-half of the funds will be used to entice participation from foreign language students and from those who wish to study abroad.

The emerging multicultural "New World Order" has had an influence on the intelligence

community, which now perceives a need to re-justify its budget and insure a continuation of its mission.

The "new direction" of the CIA is to repackage the agency and sustain its central mission of destroying all obstacles, real or perceived, to the attainment of unpopular corporate and government objectives.

This Election Day visit provides a unique forum for the re-evaluation of the agency's role in American policy. Reliable accounts suggest the agency has played a critical role over the last 45 years in at least six million deaths, accompanied by widespread torture, starvation and political subterfuge.

Trond Jacobsen
Sociology
Pete Mohn
Political Science

Light my bike

On Saturday night I was riding my bike on 18th Avenue, on my way to and from Safeway. I did not have a headlight. Two citizens called out to me on my way to the store and informed me, in varying degrees of derision, that I really needed a headlight. Six different citizens voiced similar concerns on my return trip.

In my own defense, I was not riding on the sidewalk or riding recklessly. My bike is registered with the University and has reflectors, but I agree that a headlight would be a good idea.

Therefore, because so many of my concerned neighbors either feel I am a menace or, more charitably, are concerned for my safety, I would like to announce the "Bike Headlights for Poor Students" fund-raising drive. I will see to it that all funds, or actual headlights, donated will go to equip as many needy University students as possible, starting with me.

Raymond Blakley
Graduate Student
Political Science

WOMEN, WEIGHT and FOOD ISSUES

A non-credit group discussion workshop which will cover various topics about women and their bodies, fitness, nutrition, weight management, and topics chosen according to the group's interests.

Every Tuesday now through Tuesday, Nov. 24

Meetings held from 3:30 to 4:30pm downstairs in the Student Health Center Medical Library. Space is limited, so please call to preregister at 346-4456.

Sponsored by the Student Health Center Department of Health Education

IS THERE A PROGRESSIVE IN THE RACE?

- Is there someone who stands convincingly for human rights?
- Is there someone with a proven record in fighting the degradation of the environment here in Western Oregon?
- Is there a candidate who believes in bringing people together to work for common causes instead of excluding people whose ideas he doesn't agree with?

Yes, there is.

Eben Dobson for City Council Ward 3

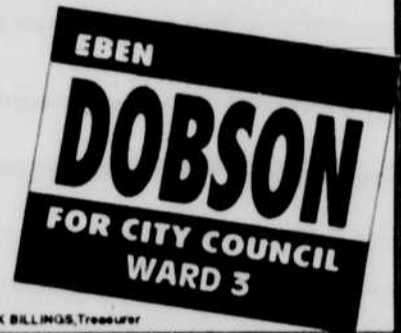
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THIS WEEK



NOV. 2-8

The E.M.U. Craft Center Presents A
Workshop in CEREMONIAL
DRUM MAKING

Instructor: Kerry Holman

Sunday,
NOV. 8,
11-4:30

\$80-\$100
depending
on drum
size.

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Ground floor, E.M.U. For info: 346-4361

University Scheduling Office

PLEASE NOTE: The Univ. Scheduling Office experienced computer problems on Oct. 26th and 27th which resulted in lost data. If you made any reservations or cancellations on Monday or Tuesday, call the scheduling office immediately.

ELECTIONS - The EMU Walnut room is a Lane County Elections polling place on November 3rd. Oregon election law prohibits campaigning in a polling place on election day. This includes the entire building which contains the polling place and extends radially 100' from any entrance to the building. Cooperation from everyone is needed to help us comply.

CAREER FAIR - There will be a Career Fair on Nov. 4th and 5th. Special setup has been arranged in EMU public areas so students will have an opportunity to meet and talk with future employers.

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"Warner Creek Recovery Project"

Wed., Nov. 4, 7 pm - Free 110 Willamette Hall
Forest Service team will present the background and process of the impacts of the Warner Creek fire.

"Ancient Forest Update"

Thurs., Nov. 5, 7 pm - Free 100 Willamette Hall
Andy Kerr, director of ONRC, will discuss the legal & political landscape of the debate over Oregon's remaining ancient forest.

"Ancient Forests: A Vanishing Legacy"

Wed., Nov. 4, 12:30 pm - Outdoor Program Rm.
A look at the devastation resulting from massive clearcutting in the Pacific NW.

EMU

346-4000

Annual fall interviews for all student organizations with space in the EMU are now being scheduled in the Student Activities Resource Office. Please call 6-4000 to schedule your interview. These are mandatory meetings required as part of the annual space inventory conducted by the EMU Board of Directors House Committee.

Frank Geltner
Associate Director, EMU

EMU MAIN DESK

★ WEEKLY SPECIAL ★

10¢ OFF

ALL FOUNTAIN DRINKS

YOUR PATRONAGE SUSTAINS US. USE OUR SERVICES. TELL US HOW TO PROVIDE SERVICES THAT MEET YOUR NEEDS. YOUR FEEDBACK IS VALUABLE.