

Women's Center in transition

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Two temporary positions in the Women's Center have been extended until the end of the school year as part of a complete reorganizing of the center.

The part-time women's advocate and receptionist positions will continue the center's bare-bones structure until a permanent one can be set up.

Right now, the positions are the only ones in the Women's Center. The only services still provided are Saferide, advocacy, and resource and referral.

"What we're going through now is a transition period," said Cheryl Hunter, ASUO executive coordinator.

As a result of few qualified applicants at the end of spring term, the center closed for the summer, Hunter said. When the school year started, center officials decided it needed to be reorganized, she said.

The lack of applicants was a factor center officials considered when they decided to reorganize.

"It was sort of the crisis that precipitated the whole process," Hunter said.

So the bare-bones structure was instituted for four months until a new structure could be decided upon.

However, the Women's Center review committee had not made any decisions by January and

agreed to keep the temporary structure until the end of this year.

Hunter, who sits on the committee, said the committee decided to extend the positions because it needed more time to plan the center's reorganization.

"So we were going to step back and come up with a completely different angle," Hunter said.

Hunter said the committee should have a permanent structure in place for next year's Women's Center, but right now is seeking more diverse members for the committee before it begins the decision-making process.

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Dear Superfly,

So what is up with the nightlife in Eugene? I mean what kind of choices do saucy young pleasure-seekers have to choose from? Doc's Pick-up Pond, the Veterans of War Hole, John Henry's House of Degenerates and "Scenesters," Perry's Micro Dance Floor, or McMennamin's Double Dip Hippie Hovel full of spendy beer and frowning service! What's a bawdy babe to do when the options run cold and the nights go restless?

— Down on Doc's

Dear D on D,

You are not the only one struggling at this point. There was even a time when Superfly considered the fact that the only thing left to do was study.

But then it happened. SF's life changed instantly once we discovered the game of pool. Try it. (Go find yourself some Duck Bucks, there's a coupon for discounted pool, but you might not find any because we stole a couple hundred.) If that's not your style, maybe you'd enjoy The Cadillac Ranch, where the scent

CORRECTION

An incorrect telephone number was listed for the Oregon Marital Studies Program in Friday's edition of the Emerald.

of Brut is in the air!

— Superfly

Dear Superfly,

I'm having some trouble with my roommates. I live with two other women and one man. We're having problems because no one will fulfill their responsibilities of housecleaning. The dishes are piled so high we can't find the kitchen, the bathroom is so dirty that cockroaches have moved in and the carpet, once tan, is now dusty gray. The household is tense and everyone is mad and frustrated with the living conditions, yet no one wants to clean up. How should we go about it??

— Mr. Clean

Dear Mr. Clean,

With a name like that you shouldn't have this problem. Luckily, you've called for help early in the term. You can't possibly have that much to do this week. Why don't you dedicate a day to cleaning the house, all together. Work as a team! It can't be that hard, just unpleasant. Imagine how much better you'll all feel when you're done. Then,

for future problems, make sure you set up some cleaning rules, so that the dishes don't ever stack up again. Good Luck!

— Superfly

Dear Superfly,

Lately, a lot of my friends have joined sororities and in turn have been pressuring me to do the same. On the one hand I don't want to because I want to keep my own identity, and on the other I like to party with the frat boys. Do you have any suggestions?

— Sister-less

Dear Sister-less,

The only thing we'll say is weigh the advantages and disadvantages. Are you sure you want to be a part of the greek system? Don't allow yourself to be swayed by friends you might know now, but might grow out of by next fall. Do what will make you happiest. If you're just interested in going to fraternity parties, then go, but that doesn't mean you have to join a sorority. I believe there's more to being a sister than frat boys. Why don't you go investigate?

— Superfly

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