

Mad Duck
Repertory Theatre
for Children

Wiley and the Flairy Man
A Fable:
Adapted by Jack Stokes

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July 12 to August 10
Outdoors-at the Robinson Theatre

Movie: No admission charged for Prefontaine Party

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people will dress in the style of the time period. "But I don't want everyone to show up like a hippy. Remember there were geeky collars, sideburns and goofy hairstyles."

Admission is free, but Ricketts said tickets are being issued to keep track of the number of people. Tickets can be obtained through the EMU ticket office or by calling 431-8130.

The party will take place on August 10 and 11. Doors will open at 6:30 a.m., and crews will film from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Shuttles from Autzen Stadium to Hayward Field will run every 10 minutes starting at 6:00 a.m.

Robert Towne will direct the film. Towne is also known for his directing work in other films such as *Tequila Sunrise*. He also co-wrote *Mission: Impossible*, *Days of Thunder* and *The Firm*.

Hollywood presence will impact campus life

By Kristin Bailey
Associate Editor

It may be all lights, camera and action for the makers of the upcoming Warner Brothers movie *Pre*, but Tinsel Town could have less than glamorous short-term effects on the University.

"The making of the movie is going to impact our routine at the University during several weeks," University Director of Merchandising Matt Dyste said. "My big concern is that it is getting close to the time they roll the cameras. We'd like to think that in the long term, a movie about the University and Steve Prefontaine is going to be a great opportunity. We just have to ask for the indulgence and understanding of the campus community while that's going on."

Students and faculty may well notice Hollywood with the impending traffic problems that will ensue. Film crews will close off 15th Avenue on campus August 7 through August 17 and again September 3 through September 7.

Residents of the University Inn and faculty in Hendricks Hall will also feel the *Pre*-production crunch. For the purpose of the film, the UI will become the Olympic Village at the 1972 Olympic games, and Hendricks Hall will take on the role of dorm rooms.

"Some activities will be displaced," Dyste said. "But we're going to try for as little disruption as possible."

However, traffic jams and office problems may be minuscule in the grand scheme of things. Dyste said the temporary inconveniences will be well worth it.

"There is tremendous promotional value from a feature film that represents the University in the light it deserves to be represented in," he said. "That's the major benefit. Our goal here is education, and part of that is recruitment. If it's a well-done movie with a good looking actor and about a coach and his athlete. Perhaps the next Prefontaine will

want to come run at Oregon."

Warner Brothers is also hoping the next *Pre*-protege will want to come to the University. In appreciation for the use of the campus, the movie production company has given the University a track endowment for \$150,000. Interest generated from the cash will be given as a scholarship to a promising track athlete.

"That's the kind of thing we like to see," Dyste said. "That's long-term benefit."

The University will also receive deposit payment from Warner Brothers. The company will pay \$1,500 for every day of pre-production and wrap days, and \$3,000 for each day of actual shooting. The company has paid a deposit of \$80,000. They will also pay for any extra expenses — such as security and parking — as it is incurred.

"It's not a large amount of money. It's not a cash cow for the University," Dyste said. "But it's not a windfall either."

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Athletics: Private sector will provide additional funding

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Athletic Director Bill Moos said. "We will have the first indoor athletic facility in the Pac-10 and the best overall football facility in the conference, maybe in the country."

Planning for the outdoor soccer field has been ongoing since the University added a Division 1 women's soccer program to its list of athletics. The University's initial field plans were separate from those of the indoor facility but were later combined. The soccer field will be ready for play by fall 1997, just as the women's soccer team kicks off its second season.

According to McBride, one major reason the University wants to go ahead with the construction is the possibility of Lane County developing the Centennial Boulevard area. The fields the football team uses currently, across from Autzen Stadium, are on lease to the University by the County. If Lane County decided to begin development, the University would be given a two-year notice.



"We felt this was something we should do because of the recent developments in the area," McBride said.

Moos also stressed that the facility will be able to be used as a recruiting tool once completed.

"Schools of the Pac-10 span from the Canadian border to Mexico, so an athlete in the Pac-10 will see many different playing environments," Moos said. "By having an indoor facility we can prepare for each climate. This adds to everything the University already has to offer."

Funding for the two facilities will come from the private sector,

Practice facility construction will bring parking shuffles too

By Mark McTyre
Sports Editor

When fans arrive at Autzen Stadium on Sept. 7, for the Ducks home opener, they'll find that a new parking strategy has been implemented.

No longer will Recreational Vehicles (RV) and automobiles be allowed to park in the same sections. The change is part of an overall scheme for a new indoor practice facility and outdoor soccer field that are going to be constructed on the site. The University hopes this action will add parking spaces while creating room for the facility.

"We're going to segregate the RVs and cars in hopes of saving a lot of the wasted room

that has gone on in the past," said Steve McBride, assistant athletic director.

For the future, the University is conducting a parking study to see exactly what will work best for fans attending games.

"We're checking on city codes for Autzen Stadium parking," said McBride. "And [we] are in the process of formalizing agreements with surrounding areas that have been used for parking in the past. For example the Elks [Club]."

According to McBride, the University will also encourage fans to use the Lane Transit District bus service to ease the parking dilemma.

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"All funding for this project will have to be raised," Bartko said. "None of the funds will

come from the school or the state."

The cost of the project at this point is unknown.



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