

ASG fills empty seats; approves officer, senators

Associated Student Government at the College has been busy the past two weeks replacing officers and officers who have been declared ineligible to serve or who have quit.

At the Jan. 26 meeting, Joe McCauley was voted into office of ASG secretary by a vote of 10-0 with three abstentions.

McCaughey replaces Debbie Webb who was declared ineligible to serve Jan. 12.

At the same meeting, Joe Carli and Lisa Chitty were accepted as new senators.

At the Feb. 2 meeting, Sue Farrow and John Haney were accepted as senators, filling the remaining vacancies.

At next week's meeting, Mitch Farrow and Julia Chitty, ASG

senators, will be formally appointed to the positions of co-assistants to the president. Since this is an appointed position, Mike McCarty, ASG president, did not need senate approval of his choices.

The two previous presidential assistants, Tonya Tucker and Patricia Hecht, left school unexpectedly.

In other business at the Feb. 2 meeting, ASG:

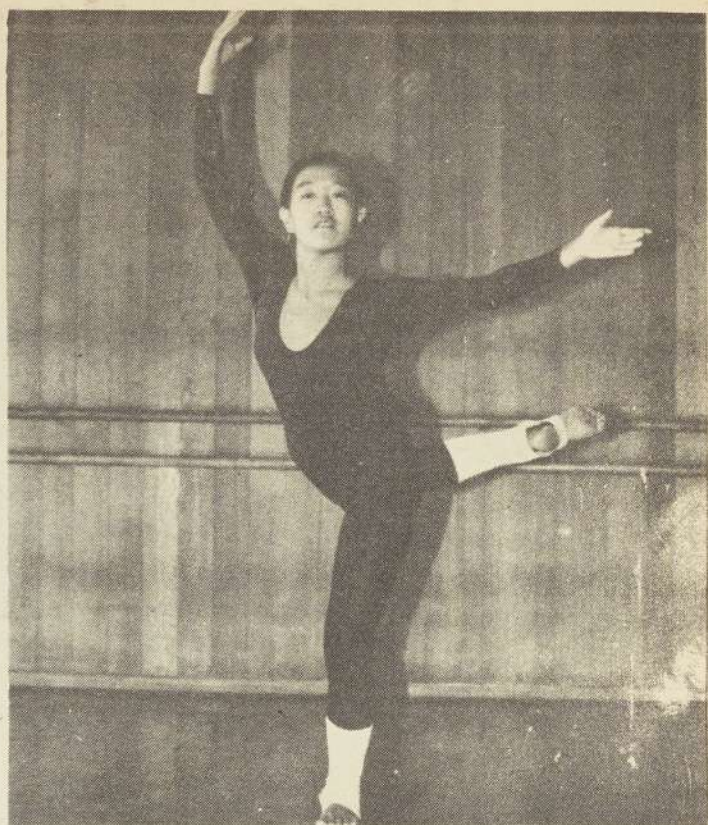
- heard a report from McCarty about Linn-Benton Community College's plans to abolish student government at that institution. A bus-load of students will travel to Linn-Benton to help during an open election that will decide the fate of that student government.
- voted to support a Little League team.

--heard a report from Sen. Rory Farrow, whose senate assignment is health and P.E. departments.

Farrow informed the ASG that students who are having problems dealing with instructors should talk to the instructor on a one-to-one basis. If this does not solve the problem, they should then send a letter to the department chairperson explaining the problem.

If there is further difficulty, the problem should then be taken to the division head of the instructor's department.

Farrow reminded the assembly that this information is available in the Student Rights, Freedoms, and Responsibilities Act in the Student Handbook.



Angela Lee, who recently danced in the Oregon Light Opera Company's production of "Brigadoon" will demonstrate and teach some steps from the dances which were choreographed by Danny Diamond, a Portland choreographer.

College bowl team heads to regionals

The College's College Bowl team of Dale Beaty, Joe McCauley, Mark Fuller, John Umbras and Dave Underwood succeeded in trouncing all their competitors and will now head to Tacoma, Wash., for the Northwest regional competition Feb. 24.

Beaty, who is team captain, is a sophomore at the College and plans to finish his degree work at the University of Oregon in history with an Asian Studies minor.

"We were looking for people who were specialists in different areas, but who also had a wide background of knowledge," said McCauley, who, along with Beaty

organized the team.

Fuller is interested in Russian history and library science. Umbras, who, along with McCauley and Beaty, represent the College's veterans, plans to complete his work in psychology at Portland State.

Underwood is interested in science and plans to enter the Western States Chiropractic College to complete his chiropractic training.

"During the four days we were competing, we spent 15 to 20 hours total studying for the tournament," Underwood said.

The team was organized with the help of coach Dick Andrews,

an English instructor at the College. They used Bartlett's Familiar Quotations, various almanacs, encyclopedias and year books to study for the difficult questions put together by Reader's Digest, who is sponsoring the contest.

"Much of the material covered in the questions could be considered trivia," Umbras said, "but really they're interesting facts that are just retained when you learn something. Much of what is asked could be picked up watching television."

Cultural events highlight fair

A food for every palate, a dance for every set of feet and souvenirs for every taste are available Saturday, Feb. 18 when the foreign students of Lewis and Clark College present their 13th annual International Fair.

All activities are in the Templeton Center. From 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., 15 booths will offer foods and collectibles from Japan, Iran, India, Korea, Africa,

the Philippines, several European countries, the Arab countries and the United States.

Entertainment is set from 1 to 4 p.m. in the center's Stamm Dining Room. Dances from various countries and demonstrations of judo and Tae Kwon Do are included in the program.

Admission to the International Fair is free. Profits from the booths will go into the College's International Friendship Fund which provides scholarships to foreign students and into a special fund-drive for Erol Oray, a Lewis and Clark Turkish student injured last fall in an automobile accident.

For more information contact Lewis and Clark College at 244-6161.

Program offers help to teenage parents

The Teen Parent Program, a program providing confidential pregnancy, adoption and abortion counseling and referral, as well as helping with decision making and prenatal, birth, postnatal and parenting education, opened its doors this last month at the Kendall Community Center, located in Southeast Portland.

and childbirth, to protect the health of both the infant and the mother, to help solve personal problems that may have led to or resulted from the pregnancy, to improve the young woman's self concept and to increase her knowledge or future goals she may pursue.

A strong need for the Teen Parent Program was demonstrated in statistics (353 teenage young women gave birth to live babies in Clackamas County in 1976), as attested to by members of the community who set up a task force. Included were school counselors, school nurses, Clackamas County Children's Commission, Clackamas County Health Department, Children's Services Division, Clackamas Juvenile Court, North Clackamas School Board, and other interested people and organizations.

Small rap groups of pregnant teens and teen parents will meet on Monday and Thursday evenings to discuss these various topics as well as nutrition, health and family planning. Movie pot lucks and recreational activities will be included in the group sessions.

General Educational Development (GED) classes have begun at the center and are available for young women who are interested in completing their education.

Funded by a grant from the Clackamas County Social Service Coalition and CETA, the program is administered by the YMCA of Columbia-Willamette.

The task force designed the program and continues to lend guidance and support.

Ms. Love welcomes referrals and is available to speak to interested groups. For more information, contact Shauna Love, Kendall Community Center, 8800 S.E. 80th. Phone: 777-6118. Office hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Appointments may also be made by contacting the Milwaukie YMCA, 10879 S.E. Main, phone: 653-2464.

The over-all goal of the Teen Parent Program is to help young women become socially mature and economically self-sufficient.

Shauna Love, director of the program, places an emphasis on education in order to increase the chances of a normal pregnancy

Correctional volunteers needed

A rundown of the Clackamas County Volunteers in Corrections (VIC) program and soliciting volunteers will be the main-stream of discussion by Barbara Lighthart, volunteer coordinator, during a question and answer period today at 2 p.m. in Clairmont, room 144.

Volunteers in Corrections are people in the community who spend about two hours a week

with a probation client in a one-to-one counseling situation. Clackamas County VIC has 20 volunteers placed with clients, and a new group will be trained in March. After initial orientation, monthly meetings and followup workshops add more resources and information.

For more information about the program, contact Barbara Lighthart at 655-8603.

Pot smokers: beware of chemical

Washington, D.C. (CH) -- Pot smokers are asked to beware of a poisonous substance on Mexican-grown marijuana. According

to Lee Dogoloff, deputy director of the White House drug abuse office, paraquat, a chemical used by the Mexican government to defoliate marijuana plants is showing up in this country.

Journalism confab

Journalism students from the College will be travelling to Eugene this Friday to attend the Oregon Newspaper Publishers Association (ONPA) Winter Press Conference to be held on the University of Oregon campus.

No one knows what the long-term effects of smoking paraquat laced pot will be, but it is known that the chemical can be fatal if eaten in small amounts.

Dogoloff warns to be on the lookout for any pot that is damp yellowish and sickly-looking or having spots similar to burn holes.

The gathering is an annual news-editorial conference for professional and student journalists in the state. Those attending from the College will be Happie Thacker, Cyndi Bacon, Scott Starnes, Randy Frank, Ann Breyne, Joy Williams, Marlene Clark and Randy Clark, publications adviser.

The Print, the weekly campus newspaper, is an associate member of ONPA.

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