

# briefs

## 'Log Jam' underway

In the spirit of the Estacada Timberfest and other logging festivals held throughout Oregon, the Associated Student Government at the College is hosting its first Log Jam on Saturday on the College campus.

The activities begin at 10 a.m. and are scheduled until dusk. The event is open to the public, with no admission charge.

More than a dozen contests, open to teams and individuals, include a greased pole climb,

ax throw, tug of war, beer keg throw, cigarette rolling contest, tobacco spitting contest, and more.

Event planners have consulted with directors of the Estacada Timberfest to assure that proper safety precautions are built into each event.

"This is a day for fun and family," said Tom Simmons, event director. "Some of these events are quite physical, and we want no one hurt."

There is a small fee to contest entrants.

Refreshments will be available and live music is planned throughout the day. Trophies and prizes have been contributed by local merchants.

For the ax throwing event, participants are required to bring their own ax (with a 34" maximum handle length and 7" double bit maximum size). In the stock chain saw event, participants are required to bring their own stock chain saw.

## One ton goal for Food Bank

The College food drive begins this week, with a set goal of one ton of food collected.

ASG Senator Julie Lundy, who is ramrodding the drive, said, "There will be a contest between the departments, to see who can bring in the most canned food."

The prize will be a poster that, according to Lundy, "...the winning department will be blessed with for a year. It'll be a nice poster, something natural, I think. No black light monsters."

The collected food will be given to the Tri-County Community Council Food Bank, a non-profit organization that distributes the food to various agencies throughout the greater Portland area. "Thirty or forty thousand people in the Portland area face hunger every month, and there are going to be so many more people

needing food," said Barry Barth of the Food Bank.

Lundy hopes that, with a favorable response from the students and faculty this year, the food drive will become an annual event. Barth explained, "Hunger is a local problem, and it's not just the residents of Burnside, either."

Food barrels have been set up all over the campus, according to Lundy.

## Budget blues

The continuing voter mandate to hold down property taxes has State School Superintendent Verne A. Duncan worried about the health of community college and public school budgets.

After the May 19 levy elections, which saw Treasure Valley, Southwestern Oregon and Central Oregon community colleges losing levy bids, Duncan said, "I was worried before the elections, and I'm even more concerned now."

"Most voters want property taxes held down regardless of state and federal cutbacks to education," he said.

Duncan said the "domino effect" of the state and federal cuts has caused local boards to ask voters to raise taxes just to maintain programs.

Clackamas was able to pass a three-year operating levy in

February, but only after two previous attempts were turned down by voters.

## Reg. set

Registration for summer term credit classes at the College begins June 1 for returning students and June 2 for new students.

Daytime registration hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., June 1-26. Evening registration hours are 4-8 p.m., June 1-4 and June 22-25.

Students interested in taking just one or two classes can register by telephone. Telephone registration hours are: June 8-11, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; June 12, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; June 15-18, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; June 19, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Students should call 657-8400 and ask for the "registration hotline."

Classes begin June 22. Most classes, offered on an eight-week term, end on August 13. Some classes, which operate on an 11-week or 12-week term, end in early September. Students should consult the summer term class schedule for information relating to specific classes.

A schedule of summer classes has been mailed to district homes. For additional information, students may call the office of admissions at the College.

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