## Election near

## ASG candidates express goals

The Associated Student Government ofir election takes place Tuesday and Wedsday, May 3 and 4.

There are six announced candidates for four positions; two are running unoppo-

Michael McCarty is running unopposed the position of ASG president. McCarty curently serving as ASG's Assistant to President and is majoring in Business children.



Maureen Kearney
..business manager candidate

"I would like to see that the students continue to be represented and given an apportunity to speak and vote on all matters concerning them," said McCarty.

According to McCarty, his primary reason for running is to continue working for the students at CCC.

The two candidates running for the position of ASC vice-president are Don Bixler and Jerry Griffin, Both Bixler and Griffin are currently ASG senators.

"ASG needs someone who's not afraid to speak up and go against the system," said Bixler. "What we've had in the past is a bunch of spineless jellyfish -- a lot of followers."

Bixler, who is majoring in hydraulics, has spent a total of six terms in the ASG Senate and is a member of the Board of Directors for the CCC Foundation.

Bixler said that the ASG constitution is in need of major revision.

"Right now there are enough loopholes in the constitution to please Roy Rogers, Gene Autrey or anyone else who likes to do rope tricks," said Bixler.

Griffin is serving his second term as ASG senator, and has worked on the ASG Constitution Revision Committee and has been active in the NORML club on campus.

"I don't think that students know they can participate in student government," said Griffin.

"The qualifications for this job come from ambition, concern and a knowledge of parliamentary procedures," said Griffin. "Leadership is a big part of holding office and I think I have the interest to take that leadership."

Debbie Schwab and Lynn Toland are running for the position of student government secretary.

Schwab is in the middle of her third term in the student senate and is running for the office of secretary for the second time.

"I wish to make ASG better," said Schwab. "Everybody is complaining about how wishy-washy we are -- and I promise to do the best possible job I can do to make

ASG better."

"This past year I've learned a lot and I loved every minute of it," she continued. "As secretary I expect to learn twice as much as I did this year."

Toland is currently serving as ASG secretary as a replacement for Debbie Sipe who resigned at the end of winter term.

"I'd like to see more students involved in student government and involve sports more," said Toland. "My goal is to see more athletics involved in student government. They have legitimate complaints that nobody ever hears."

"ASG doesn't need followers," she continued. "We need people to voice their opinions."

Maureen Kearney is the lone candidate for the position of business manager. She has served in the senate all year and was last year's recipient of the ASG Leadership Scholarship which is given each year to a Clackamas County high school student judged most deserving by ASG.

"I'd like to see less student apathy, more participation and have more people voice their opinions and ideas," said Kearney. "Since I have already been involved in ASG, running for pusiness manager would further my involvement in ASG."

Students at CCC will have an opportunity to ask questions of these candidates at the elections forum scheduled for Monday, May 2 in the Community Center building.

Check the Today bulletin for the time and exact location of the forum.



Associated Student Government officer candidates from left to right are Debby Schwab, secretary; Jerry Griffin, vice-president; and Lynn Toland, secretary.

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