

## News Clips

Compiled by Hafidha Acuay

Those interested in country western dances can attend a class Thursday in the Randall Hall gym. Line dances are taught from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.; partner dances from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Cost is \$2 per person.

Women writers are welcome to join "Chrysalis," a group to support and encourage the writings of women, every Wednesday from noon to 1 p.m. in B-114. For further information, contact Kate Gray at ext. 2371.

Applications for the position of Editor-in-Chief for The Clackamas Print are available in B-104. The deadline for applications is Monday at 2 p.m.

Those interested in cheerleading during the 1993-94 school year can pick up applications in the Student Activities Office. The deadline for applications is May 19.

Women planning to transfer to Portland State University during the 1993-94 school year may want to attend a PSU orientation session, Saturday at 10 a.m. For a registration form, stop by the Counseling Department or call Roberta at ext. 2556 for more information.

An informative slidetape presentation on AIDS will be shown Friday in CC-152 from noon to 1 p.m. The presentation, sponsored by the Clackamas Club, is free and open to all.

The Student Art Show opens today in the Pauling Gallery from noon to 2 p.m. and runs through May 28. The show is free and open to public. For more information, call ext. 2386.

Registration is now open for Focus on Women's Hike through Horsetail Falls Saturday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information, contact Kate Gray at ext. 2371.

Celebration International, an ethnic festival to celebrate diversity, will continue today and Friday in the Community Center. There will be music, food, art, dancing and cultural exhibits focusing on Spain, Latin America and Asia. For more information, contact Ellen Burbridge at ext. 2550.

All students are invited to enter the Christophers Video Contest for College Students. Entries must be five minutes or under in length and express the theme: "One Person Can Make a Difference." Thousands of dollars in prize money will be awarded. The deadline is June 11. Entrants must be currently-enrolled college students in good standing. For more information, write to the Christophers, 12 East 48th Street, New York, N.Y. 10017; or call (212) 759-4050.

More than \$12,000 in prizes will be awarded this year to more than 250 poets in the North American Open Poetry Contest. To enter, send one poem, any subject and style, to the National Library of Poetry, 11419 Cronridge Dr., P.O. Box 704-XN, Owings Mills, Md., 21117. The poem should be no more than 20 lines and the poet's name and address should appear on the top of the page. Entries must be postmarked by June 30. There is no entry fee.

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## Westcott plays in Mother's Day recital

by Hafidha Acuay  
Staff Writer

The Clackamas Music Department sponsored a Mother's Day classical recital by international pianist, Mark Westcott, Sunday afternoon in the Gregory Forum.

More than 100 people attended the event, where Westcott performed Bach's "Chromatic Fantasy and Fugue," Schubert's "Sonata in B flat Major, opus posthumous" and several pieces by Liszt.

Janet Martin, a piano instructor at Clackamas, contacted Westcott and coordinated the concert.

"I've admired him for a long time," she said. In the past, Martin has sent some of her master students to Westcott. "I asked him to come and do a master class ... and it was well-received," she added.

Westcott agreed to play at Clackamas because, as Martin explained, "he likes the facility, (he) likes the piano, and of course, we paid him, which helped."

Westcott, who is in his "mid-forties," is a Portland native. He has classical honors in five international piano competitions, one of them being the distinguished Van Cliburn. Westcott is also an



Mark Westcott played a variety of piano pieces in his Mothers' Day recital at the Gregory Forum

artist in residence at Pacific University. However, next fall, he'll be teaching at the University of British Columbia in Vancouver, Canada, Martin noted.

Westcott, Oregon's only Steinway artist, performed the concert on the college's newly

restored and rebuilt 1885 Steinway grand piano.

The cost of admission for the recital was \$5; all money raised will help pay for the Music Department's bronze mask of Miles Davis on the Courtyard Fountain.

## Writing contest winners recognized

by Tina McFarland  
Staff Writer

A ceremony recognizing the winners of the writing contest was held Thursday in the Gregory Forum.

Each of the contestants who placed in the top three positions of their categories received a certificate and a cash award. Contestants who received an honorable mention were awarded a certificate. In addition, to the prizes awarded, the winners in each category read their pieces.

After the

formal awards presentation, refreshments were served. According to Allen Widerburg, English instructor, there was an impressive selection of winners.

"There were more good writers than I've ever seen at one

time at this school," Widerburg said.

According to Widerburg, some of the winning entries will be published in the new literary magazine, "River" which is put out by the editing and publishing

class. Other entries will be published in Rhapsody, the literary insert which appears in The Clackamas Print.

Widerburg encourages students to get involved in the writers' club and future writing contests.



Photo by Tina McFarland

The winners of this year's Writers' Club awards are among what Alan Widerburg called "The best writers ever assembled at CCC."

## FRC surpasses fundraising goal

by Linda Gibson  
Staff Writer

The Family Resource Center's Mothers' Day card, to date, has generated \$1,300.

"Our goal was \$1,000, so we've topped that," said Corky Kirkpatrick, Clackamas' grants/special projects writer. As a result, the Mothers' Day card will hopefully be an annual fundraiser for the FRC. Every dollar that has been donated is going toward paying off the FRC building. There were no overhead expenses because the Clackamas Foundation donated the funds to get the cards printed.

"We didn't set any limits on the amount of possible donations, and will still accept donations anytime," stated Kirkpatrick. All donations to the FRC are tax deductible.

A FRC packet explaining the fundraiser, a Mothers' Day card and a donation envelope were mailed to approximately 1,200 former graduates.

Anne Pardington, a life and career options instructor, had donated money to the foundation in her mother's name. Pardington thought the idea of offering Mothers' Day cards would be a wonderful way to show apprecia-

tion to mothers, and help generate money for the center at the same time. Pardington, along with Kirkpatrick, helped implement the fundraising idea.

The FRC is designed to help families expand their educational and career opportunities. It offers a variety of services needed for success, including basic skills education, college credit classes, pre-employment training, career counseling, support services and community child care.

If you would like to make a contribution, call Vivian Thole at 657-6958, ext. 2456.