

## News In Brief

Compiled By Vicki Welch

**Annual Writers Club Contest** deadline is Feb 21. Entries may be fiction, poetry or creative non-fiction. There may be a maximum of six poems and/or one fiction or non-fiction entry. Entries must be typed, double-spaced with three copies of each entry. Entries must have a cover sheet with name and titles of works and Social Security number on individual entries. For more information, call Allen Widerburg at ext. 2359.

**International Christian Fellowship** is meeting Thursdays from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in B-113 to network club activities. Drop by and get plugged into our network of opportunities to make new friends or leave a note in the club box in the ASG office. For more information, call David Doty at 266-9684.

A new club called the **Rodeo Club** is being started for people interested in horses and rodeos. It will have a drill team and compete, and is trying to get involved in the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association. If you wish to join, drop a note in the ASG office.

Celebrate the fun of line dancing and country music at **Line Dancing for Women** workshops starting today, and on Feb. 16, 23 and March 2. Each night of dancing is from 6:30 to 9 p.m. in the Gregory Forum. Participants will be charged \$2 at the door each night. For more information, call ext. 2310.

There is a list of more than **400 different private sector scholarships** that are available to the general public. Some are for the left-handed, the handicapped, minorities, church members and former Boy/Girl Scouts. Each include scholarship names, addresses, deadlines and summaries. Send a self-addressed stamped (29 cents) legal sized envelope to: Scholarships, 16440 SW 113th Ave., Tigard, OR 97224.

We invite you to a new **Young Parents' Support Group**. This group is a place where you can gain support, meet new friends, have fun, and share strengths and ideas with other young parents who are in similar situations. This group for young parents between the ages of 17 and 23 meets in M-251 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursdays, so bring your lunch. No child care or transportation available. For more information, call Kate Rapheal at 656-2530 or Sam Campbell at YPOP at ext. 2646.

## Changes taking place at Community Center



Photo by Chad Pattenon

Students who used the couches and soft chairs in the Community Center as a place to relax discovered last week there are bare floor where there once was furniture.

In an effort to promote an environment more conducive to studying, Dian Connett, dean of students, made the decision to replace the couches in the Community Center with tables and chairs.

"We had some noise complaints and we noticed that the students who sat at the tables, by the help desk, usually were quietly studying," Connett said.

The tables are currently being resurfaced and should be ready to be moved into place very soon.

## Theft investigations slowed by lack of info

by Jeff Kemp  
The Print Editorial Staff

A 1983 Ford pick-up truck was stolen while parked outside the Environmental Learning Center last week.

The white F-350 model was reported to have had red rails that lined the truck's bed which apparently gave the truck the appearance of an old produce vehicle.

The license plate of the truck is #T491336.

The Clackamas County Sheriff's Department is seeking any information regarding the whereabouts of the truck and is encouraging any persons with information about the incident to call the sheriff's office.

## ELC's missing telescope provides too few clues for Clackamas County Sheriff

by Troy Blackledge  
The Print Staff

One of the weekend nights between Jan. 15 and 17 provided the cover for at least two persons with larcenous intent to force open the door of the Environmental Learning Center's observatory, stealing an \$800 telescope.

According to Public Safety and the Clackamas County Sheriff's department, the observatory lock was cut, perpetrators entered, and took a cardboard box containing one telescope.

Sources agree that since the box weighed in excess of 40 pounds, and the bulky box had to be lifted over a large object, that two or more persons were involved in the theft.

According to Sheriff's Department Detective Kevin Poppea, "It's amazing that more wasn't taken. There were a lot more telescopes in there. The thieves must have had their hands full."

## Forensics team takes second at invitational

by Nicole Turley  
The Print Staff

Once again, the Clackamas Forensics team outshined the competition at the Willamette University Invitational Jan. 28, 29 and 30, by taking second overall.

"We came, we saw, we took second," said debate team member Nate Smith who is impressed with the team's outstanding effort this year.

Clackamas beat out sev-

eral four- and two-year schools, such as Lewis and Clark, University of Puget Sound, Clark Community and Portland Community to achieve the second place

"Out of 23 schools we were second best," said individual event competitor Ryan Hull.

Along with winning second overall, the team gained a number of individual honors in all three divisions: novice, junior and senior.

Cathy Mitchell took third

in Novice Poetry and made the final round in Impromptu. Jenney LeMarty took second in the Novice Impromptu event. LeMarty, who also debates, has already won a number of awards including a second in Junior Extemporeous at Pacific Lutheran University earlier in January.

In the junior division, Patrick Lairson and Nicole Turley won the third-place trophy in Duo Interpretation and Mitchell and Hull captured the first-place spot in that event. James Spiering, who has taken a number of awards at previous tournaments in the Interpretation events captured third in Poetry. Turley made the final round in Drama Interpretation and took third place in Persuasive and Informative.

The first-place spot in Programed Oral Interpretation, probably one of the most difficult interpretation events, was captured by Hull.

Debate Honors were won by Avril Johnson, who took third. Johnson competed for the first time in an event called Literary Criticism and ended up capturing first in the senior division of that event.

All the points gained from each individual victory culminated into second place. Team member Smith said proudly, "We kicked butt and took names."

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"Cool Runnings will be shown Friday, February 11 at 7 PM in the Gregory Forum. Admission is \$3 and includes a free bag of popcorn. Tickets will be pre-sold at the ASG office and will be available at the Information Center after 5 PM.