

News In Brief

compiled by Vicki Welch

There is a list of more than 400 different private sector scholarships that are available to the general public. The list includes scholarship names, addresses, deadlines and summaries. To obtain the list, send a self-addressed stamped (1 stamp) legal sized envelope to: Scholarships, 16440 SW 113th Ave., Tigard, Ore., 97224.

Illusion and reality will take center stage in Clackamas' winter theater production, *Six Characters in Search of an Author*. Performances are scheduled for Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in the McLoughlin Hall Theater. Tickets are \$6 general, \$3 students and staff, and senior citizens free with reservations. For reservations or more information, call ext. 2356.

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 S-110 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 Raphael at 656-2530 or Sam Campbell at YPOP at ext. 2646.

Jazz bands from junior and senior high schools throughout the Northwest will participate in the **23rd Annual Instrumental Jazz Festival** at Clackamas on Friday and Saturday in the Randall Gym. For more information, call ext. 2434.

25 high schools from throughout the Northwest will be at the college to compete in the **11th annual Vocal Jazz Festival** on March 18. The competitions will run from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and be followed by the evening concert at 7:30 p.m. in the Gregory Forum. This listening experience is open to the public. Admission is \$3 day, \$5 evening, \$6 both. For more information, call ext. 2342.

Professional Core entrance interviews will be held April 14 and 15 on the Western Oregon State College campus. They will be selecting students to enter the program during the 1994 to 1995 school year. Applications from community colleges are due in the office by March 24. Candidates should be third-term sophomores (minimally) who are completing Western's LACC requirements or the Block Transfer. Candidates will be notified of their eligibility to interview and an appointment time. For more information, call Judy Peabody at ext. 2200.

Are you stressed? Do you need some laughter in your life? Come hear Carol Peterson, CCC Faculty/Administrator (Ret.) and now an organizational consultant speak on stress, self confidence, and humor in the workplace. **The Bodies of Barlow Team** invites everyone to this entertaining and light-hearted event on Thursday from noon to 1 p.m. in CC-127. Bring your sack lunch and enjoy the fun!

Women who have had their education interrupted and are interested in transferring to PSU should make application to the **Nancy Ryles Scholarship**. Application must be received by the PSU Office of Academic Affairs by April 10. For more information Susan Balbas at 725-3510

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Biology for Liberal Arts Offered

by Andrea Smith
The Print Staff

Attention liberal arts majors: Clackamas Community College, in conjunction with Portland State University, is developing a new biology sequence created specifically for those students that need science credit, but aren't particularly interested in science.

BI 199 Natural Science Inquiry will be offered for the first time Spring Term 1994. Biology and Botany instructor Bob Misley will teach the course.

"I've been working with PSU to develop this program with a grant from the National Science Foundation," Misley said. "The purpose is to address and improve the science component for liberal arts majors.

"We do a great job with

people who like science," Misley continued. "The weakness in the current program is that it is not designed for people who aren't science minded."

Unlike the current course offerings, this class will focus on working with facts, rather than just gathering them, to help students see how science affects them in their everyday world. Students will work in small, collaborative research groups to identify problems and attempt to solve them. Groups will then present findings and discuss the implications of them.

For those students transferring to PSU, the BI 199 course will meet a General Education science requirement. Next year at CCC, the full sequence of Science in the Liberal Arts will be added to the current transfer sequence, BI

101, 102, and 103.

For those students not transferring to PSU, the new biology course will transfer as an elective. It is the goal of those involved to add the Science in the Liberal Arts sequence to the list of approved Oregon transfer sequences.

"We definitely need a program like this state-wide," Misley said. "It's an attempt to engage people to get involved with science. The class is meant as an inquiry, moving to questions and problem-solving rather than absolute right or wrong answers."

Science in the Liberal Arts will eventually be expanded to include courses in chemistry and physics.

For more information about this new course, call Bob Misley ext. 2376.

New scholarship for older students

by Zach Kreinheder
The Print Staff

More often in our society today adults are re-enrolling and, taking a second chance at getting a degree. This is fairly represented at Clackamas with the ever rising number of adults enrolling in college classes. In fact, according to the U.S. Department of Education, nearly 5 million students over the age of 30 will be enrolled in college by 1997.

These adults are taking the incentive not only for personal knowledge, but to further secure their future as well as that of their families. Rarely do these non-traditional students get recognized for their financial dilemmas, that is until now. Orvil and

Gary Redenbacher, of popcorn fame, established the Orvil Redenbacher Second Start Scholarship Program.

This program will be offering 30 adults age 30 and over the opportunity to receive a \$1,000 scholarship for their efforts in obtaining a "second start" in life and a higher education. This program has been established since 1990 by the Redenbachers to help defray the ever-increasing cost of tuition hikes.

"Gary and I created this program because of our strong belief in education and what it can do for a person," Orvil Redenbacher said. "Its never too late to learn or succeed!"

This program is unique in the fact that this scholarship

has virtually no restrictions; applicants need not be of a certain race, or religion and they need not be enrolled in a certain program, or pursuing a specific degree.

Applicants will be judged on a 500 word essay reflecting their entrepreneurial spirit, financial need, and academic performance.

Applications will be accepted for the 1994-95 school year starting March 1 and ending May 1, 1994. Additional information and applications will be available by writing to: Orvil Redenbacher's Second Start Scholarship Program, P.O. Box 39101, Chicago, IL 60639; or by contacting Edelman Public Relations Worldwide (302)280-7000 or contact your local financial aid offices.

Forensics team takes first at tourney

by Nicole Turley
The Print Staff

Once again The Clackamas Forensics Team outperformed the competition by claiming first place at their home tournament, Feb. 25 and 26.

The purpose of last week's tournament, entitled "The Nothing Better to Do Tournament," was in part to raise money for the team. Not only did the team walk away from the event with a few extra dollars in their

pockets, but it also took first place, beating Clark Community by two points.

Individual awards were numerous for the team. In the platform events, Avril Johnson took first place in open informative, and second in open persuasion. Nicole Turley captured the third-place spot in the open persuasion event.

In the interpretation events James Spiering took first in open Drama interp, Ryan Hull

was second in the event and Turley captured finalist honors. Hull and Cathy Mitchell won the first-place trophy in Duo interp and Spiering was a finalist in open pros interp.

Mitchell, in addition to her trophy in interp, gained finalist honors in novice impromptu. Astar Mink was also a finalist in novice impromptu and Mike Hirsansomboon captured second in the open division of that event.

With combined efforts the Clackamas debate team, made up of Johnson and Hirsansomboon, was able to capture third in open debate. Johnson won third place speaker points in open debate.

Clackamas has only been less than second once this year. According to Hull, this is a result of the teams combined talent and hard work.

"We all work really well together. It's definitely paid off and we are looking forward to going to nationals in April," he said.

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