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"CANDIDE" AT THEATRE THIS WEEK

Voltaire's "Candide", set to music by Leonard Bernstein, will be presented this Thursday through Saturday, November 4, 5, and 6, in the College Theatre. The play was a smash hit on Broadway for nearly three years and features Diane Alexander of Saginaw as Cunegonde. Ms. Alexander has previously performed as a soloist with the Saginaw Choral Society and at Eddy Band summer concerts. Her husband Rodger is cast in the role of Candide and Dave Carmona of Bay City plays a variety of characters including Voltaire, Pangloss and the Governor, Host and Sage. Christi Leahy of Bay City is featured as Paquette while Tom Schlichting of Bay City is Maximilian.

According to Director Terry L. Flatt, the play "Candide" is a classic comic strip come to life. Like a madcap circus racing happily along through a series of bizarre disasters, it provides constant surprises in the sharply ironic spirit of its originator, the French writer-philosopher Voltaire. A proponent of individual thinking, he continually attacked the establishment and wrote "Candide" -- subtitled "Optimism" -- in 1759 as a wickedly, joyful satire. To him, it was simply a flight of fancy conceived as a calculated insult to the philosophy that this is the best of all possible worlds.

Tickets for "Candide" are available through the Fine Arts Office or at the door. Performances begin at 8 P.M. in the SVSC Theatre and admission is \$2.50 for adults and \$1.00 for students or children.

UNITED WAY NEEDS YOUR HELP BADLY

Although the official reporting period for this year's Saginaw County United Way has already passed, contributions by SVSC faculty and staff personnel are still only totaling one-half of the amount contributed last year. According to people with whom we have spoken, reasons for this severe decline include lack of a teaching contract and the late beginning of the new fiscal year, meaning that most people still do not know what their cost of living increase will be.

While all these excuses sound good, the fact remains that United Way can help people only if it has the funds necessary to carry out its vital work through 70 local agencies. Won't you please do your part to at least match your 1975-76 contribution, so that the vital work of United Way can be continued?

PARKING AND TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE NAMED

Policies and procedures leading to safe, equitable and effective parking and traffic safety for SVSC administration, faculty, staff, students and visitors will be generated by a new Parking and Traffic Safety Policy Committee for the College. To be chaired by Professor Rose S. Novey, this standing committee will report through Vice President Emerson D. Gilbert. Professor Ray A. Voelker will be vice chairman and Registrar Gary Apsey will serve as secretary. Other committee members include Francetta Crook, Rick Franz, Robert Hanes, Duane Jones, Lydia Argumedo, Zane Rybkowski, and Don Zorn.

It is hoped that the group will make recommendations on parking matters such as who will pay, what fees will be assessed and by what classification, who shall be exempted from paying, how fees will be collected, and what areas, if any, should be set aside for free parking. The committee also plans to offer suggestions on security, traffic signs, surfacing of lots, speed limits and enforcement.

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TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR HERITAGE THEATRE PERFORMANCES

Orchestra center seats for an 8 P.M. Friday, November 5, concert by Jose Feliciano at the Saginaw Civic Center's Heritage Theatre are being offered through the Student Activities Office for \$5.50 per seat. This compares with a \$6.50 price if tickets are purchased at the Civic Center.

According to Emerson Holliday, tickets for the Friday, November 12, 8 P.M. performance of "One Flew Over The Cuckoo's Nest" are also available for the same price.

FACULTY MEMBERS ON AAUW PANEL

Drs. Margaret Cappone and Harriet Tillock of SVSC will participate in a panel discussion entitled "45-Plus in the Country of the Young", at a seminar on "Knowledge and Power: Spectrum For All Ages". The Thursday, November 4 conference is being sponsored by the Saginaw branch of the American Association of University Women at the Saginaw YWCA, 615 S. Jefferson Avenue. Sessions are being held under the auspices of the Michigan Council for the Humanities.

TORREZ, BYAS ELECTED TO STATE POSTS

Angelita Torrez, Coordinator of SVSC Student Development Center and Assistant Director of Special Services, has been elected vice president and an executive committee member of the Michigan Council of Educational Opportunity Program. She will be moderating a panel discussion on academic support centers at next month's national convention of the American Association of Educational Opportunity Programs, to be held at Lake Geneva, Wis.

Dr. William H. Byas, Director of Academic Support Services and Ethnic Studies, is also a member of the group's executive committee and chairman of the Research, Evaluation and Training Committee for the national organization. The Michigan council represents public and private two and four-year colleges and universities across the state.

DR. RATHKAMP TO PRESENT PAPER

Dr. Walter R. Rathkamp, Assistant Professor of Biology, will be presenting a paper entitled "Pineal Gland Prothyroid Stimulating Substance in White Leghorn Cockerels" at the 92nd annual meeting of the Indiana Academy of Science. The meeting is slated for Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana.

INTERLOCHEN TRIO HERE THURSDAY

The Abelard Trio, faculty ensemble of the Interlochen Arts Academy, will present concert at Doan Center this Thursday, November 4, beginning at 5:00 P.M. This program, part of the "Interlochen Outreach" supported by the Michigan Council for the Arts, is sponsored locally by SVSC. Admission will be without charge and the public is welcomed.

Artist-faculty members of the trio are Paul G. Statsky, violinist, Frederick Miller, cellist, and Deborah Statsky, pianist. The program consists of Mendelssohn's Sonata in F Major for Violin and Piano, the Sonato in C Major for Piano and Cello by Beethoven and Brahms' Trio in C minor.

SPEAKER'S BUREAU STILL REQUESTING ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS

This year's Speaker's Bureau brochure will be going to the printer shortly, and additional programs of interest by members of the SVSC community are still needed. If you have an interesting topic in your field of teaching or some other area of interest, please contact the Information Services Office at Ext. 208 so that you can be included in our community listing. Your assistance aids the College by increasing community awareness of our existence.