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BOARD OF CONTROL CORRECTS
TASK FORCE REPORT

Monday evening's SVSC Board of Control meeting brought a call by the Board for corrections to a report issued last week by the Michigan Efficiency Task Force, which recommended a merger of SVSC with Delta College. Board members felt the report did not recognize the great differences in educational programs between two and four-year colleges. A suggestion by the Task Force that the College sell part of its land holdings ignored the fact that the land was completely donated to SVSC from private sources. In addition, the amount of land involved was considerably overstated and the report did not acknowledge that a major portion of the College's outdoor athletic facilities lie in the area the Task Force considered surplus land. Finally, the committee apparently did not realize that both SVSC and Delta already cooperate in many areas and that both schools presently have crowded academic facilities.

The Board was also told that the program statement for the proposed $10 million Instructional Facility II Science and Academic buildings has been approved and that the project is now on the agenda of the Joint Capital Outlay Committee in Lansing. Two other applications for the same project have also been submitted, through the federal Public Works Act to fund a 175,000 sq. ft. complex.

Although 5-6% more admissions applications have already been received for next fall than a year ago, President Ryder expressed a concern that state appropriations for the current fiscal year may not meet projections. Because the College is already underfunded, he warned that no further cuts can be made without serious program or staff cutbacks or the possibility of a tuition increase.

HEROINES OF SHAW FEATURED THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

SVSC's Theatre Workshop will be presenting "G. B. eEssence of Women" in the College Theatre Thursday and Friday, Nov. 18 and 19, at 8:00 P.M. Each faculty and staff member will be given two complimentary tickets upon identifying themselves at the Theatre Box Office on evenings of performance.

Women were one of the most intriguing and most controversial subjects of George Bernard Shaw. His comments on morals and marriage were spiced with comedy in the usual Shawian wit. "I cannot remember any time when I did not exercise overwhelming imagination in telling stories about women!" wrote Shaw, and his outrageous approach has been arranged by the adapters, Dorothy Olney and Day Tuttle, to include pertinent selections from his plays, in addition to G.B.S. comments from other writings that serve to illustrate his belief in the superiority of women.

"G. B. eEssence of Women" was chosen and presented by the American National Theatre and Academy as their 50th anniversary production on Broadway. It was critically acclaimed as being "...brilliantly conceived...a most delightful invention...an instant education in Shaw!".

Theatre Workshop Company cast members include Reggie Armstrong, Waffia Carter, Tom Kelly, Sharon Singh and LuAnn Wolfe of Saginaw; Kathi Clark of Beaverton; Ray Farris, Mary Faustin, and Linda Hoffman of Bay City; and Michael Mehl of Oscoda. The production is being produced by the Department of Speech and Theatre Arts. Additional tickets may be purchased for the regular $1.00 general admission price at the box office. There will be no reserve seating.
A foot-tapping good time is in store for you next Sunday, November 21, at the SVSC Fieldhouse when the College Marching Band will present its first annual indoor concert at 3 P.M.

According to Band Director Thomas Root, the hour and a half performance will have a great amount of variety. Songs include "MacArthur Park", "Day By Day", a medley composed from the music of "The Sound of Music", a low brass feature with the rollicking "Hey Big Spender", a medley with "Masquerade" and "Play That Funky Music", as well as other popular American music highlighting hits from the 70's.

Also featured will be fanfares from Rachmaninoff's Piano Concerto in C, a new rendition of "When Johnny Comes Marching Home Again," a rollicking Dixieland setting of "Saints" and "Swanee" plus marches and school songs. The concert will consist wholly of original arrangements by Root, and the trumpets, percussion instruments, trombones, baritones and piccoloes will be individually featured in various songs. According to Root, the performance is open to the public without charge.

On Tuesday, November 23, the Marching Band will attend a banquet at the Michigan Haus, Bay City. The Concert Band season gets underway next, with a February 19 performance scheduled in the College Theatre. On April 20, the Concert Band will perform in the Midland Center for the Arts, where they will be joined by Clark Terry playing the trumpet.

**Basketball and Wrestling Open Friday Night**

Super seasons are expected from both the SVSC basketball and wrestling teams this year. The Fighting Cardinal cagers will tip-off the collegiate basketball season Friday night at 7 P.M. in the Owosso Kiwanis Classic at John Wesley College against Shaw College of Detroit. The wrestling team will travel to Wright State University for the two-day Ohio Open Tournament.

**Chrysalis Center Offers Testing Program**

College personnel who want to know more about themselves are invited to contact the Chrysalis Center and sign up for future testing designed for adults and administered under the direction of Audrey S. Harding, Consulting Psychologist. According to Rose Collamer, Assistant Professor of English and Director of Chrysalis Center, the test battery can give you information to feel more confident about choosing courses, current jobs or professional training, or leisure time activities. No record of test scores are kept on file anywhere and you will receive the only copy of your scores. Tests available include the Strong-Campbell Interest Inventory, SRA Pictorial Reasoning Test, Thurston Interest Schedule, Survey of Personal Values and Survey of Inner Personal Values. Any college personnel can participate in the program for half price and are invited to call the Chrysalis Center at Ext. 385 to learn when the tests will next be given.

**Opening Basketball Game Free to SVSC Employees**

Home opener for the 1976-77 Fighting Cardinal basketball team will be Tuesday, November 23, at 7:30 P.M. against Sienna Heights College. The game will be marked by the traditional "SVSC Employees Family Night" with all of the College's employees and their families admitted free of charge. This year's team is exciting to watch and you can't beat the price!

**Marson Gallery Exhibit Coming to SVSC**

America's leading gallery for oriental art will be bringing a one-day exhibit to SVSC on Friday, November 19, from 12 noon to 8 P.M. The Marson Gallery of Baltimore will present a collection of original paintings, wood block prints, etchings and lithographs from China, India and Japan.

Both antique and contemporary works will be shown, according to Dr. Barron Hirsch, Chairman of SVSC's Art Department. The exhibit will be displayed in the SVSC library and is open to the public without charge, according to Hirsch.
BUY BLOOD INSURANCE TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY

Inexpensive insurance -- good for blood when needed by you or your immediate family anywhere in the U.S. -- is what you can get by donating a pint of blood on Tuesday or Wednesday, November 16 or 17, during the Fall Blood Drive on campus. You can give a gift of life on Tuesday between 2 and 8 P.M. or on Wednesday from 9 A.M. to 3 P.M.

If you contribute blood, you and your immediate family will obtain coverage to receive blood without cost at any U.S. hospital if needed during the next year. Come to the student concourse on the third floor of Wickes Hall.

FOOTBALL BANQUET DECEMBER 9 AT SAGINAW CIVIC CENTER

The second annual Varsity Football Banquet will be held Thursday, Dec. 9, at 7 P.M. in the Saginaw Civic Center's Unity Hall. Tickets are $7.50 per person and everyone is welcome to attend. Tickets and reservations are available by contacting the Athletic Department at Ext. 521.

TRANSPLANT COMPLETED

They aren't transplanting human body parts on campus, at least not yet, but during the past few weeks a direct transplant project has moved 203 Austrian pine trees from the College's pine boks to various campus locations. The pine groves were planted originally in 1968. The Vermeer Ditchmaster machine which planted the trees is owned by Begick Nursery of Bay City. The machine digs a 45" diameter hole and next moves the pines across campus to their new location. Costs for the project have come from a fund earmarked for campus development and have not involved any expenditures of general fund monies.

DR. GILBERT MADE RESPONSIBLE FOR DATA PROCESSING

Dr. Emerson D. Gilbert, Vice President for Administrative Affairs and Dean for Student Services has also been given responsibility effective this month for the College's data processing operation. According to President Ryder, this additional responsibility had been planned since Dr. Gilbert joined the College last summer and he is assuming the added duties now that he has familiarized himself with SVSC.

CROSS-COUNTRY TEAM ENDS WITH 25-4 RECORD

Dr. Doug Hansen's first cross-country team has finished a very successful season behind the outstanding performances of sophomore transfer Tim Terrill and 28-year-old Navy veteran Peter Hallop. Running in U.S. Track and Field Federation and AAU sanction meets as a club team, SVSC posted an impressive 25-4 season record.

ART STUDENTS AT SAGINAW ART MUSEUM

An exhibit by advanced art students at SVSC in print making and photography will be displayed at the Saginaw Art Museum from November 28 to December 19. A reception on Sunday, November 28, from 2-4 P.M. will open the exhibit at the museum, located on North Michigan Avenue near Remington in Saginaw.

The display will be open each Tuesday through Friday from 10 A.M. to 5 P.M. and on Saturdays and Sundays from 1-5 P.M. The museum is closed on Mondays.

Following the display in Saginaw, the SVSC exhibit will appear from December 19-31 at the Image Unlimited Gallery on Wenonah Street in Bay City.

SOPRANO TO GIVE RECITAL SUNDAY

Soprano Julie Meyer will present a program featuring music by Brahms, Barber, and Puccini at 4:30 P.M. Sunday, November 21, in the College Theatre. There will be no admission charge and the public is invited to attend. Ms. Meyer is a part-time instructor at SVSC and will give a similar concert at CMU on November 30.

HARBIN NAMED COORDINATOR OF ALUMNI RELATIONS AND SPECIAL EVENTS

K. Dale Harbin will be the new Coordinator of Alumni Relations and Special Events.
effective December 1, when he will move from his present position as Assistant Director of Financial Aid. He initially joined SVSC as an Admissions Counselor in October 1973.

A native of Port Hope, Harbin received his Bachelor of Business Administration degree from SVSC in Management and Economics. He served in the U.S. Navy and worked for Liberty Mutual Insurance Company and Consumers Power Company as a residential marketing representative in the Bad Axe area before coming to SVSC. He has also been executive secretary and a board member for the Home Builders Association of the Thumb and was earlier a member of the Liberty Leaders National Club for Sales Excellence.

In his new position, Harbin will provide staff support for the Alumni Association and will assist in fund raising efforts by the College, as well as coordinating campus-based special events. He is the father of three sons, and with his wife, Beatrice, resides at 350 W. Bush Street in Caro.

FOOTBALL SEASON ENDS ONE POINT AGONIES

With a 14-7 loss to neighboring rival Northwood Institute, the Fighting Cardinals football team ended its season Saturday on a disappointing note. SVSC's second-year varsity football team posted a 4-7 season record, with four of the losses by just one point.

NIKKI GIOVANNI ON CAMPUS WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Just a reminder that an evening of poetry readings and lecture will be presented on campus tomorrow evening at 7:30 P.M. when Nikki Giovanni, a noted writer, poet, recording artist and lecturer, will appear at Doan Center. The event is open to SVSC students, faculty and staff free of charge, while there will be a $1.50 general admission fee.

Ms. Giovanni has recorded "The Way I Feel", "Like a Ripple on a Pond", and "Truth Is On Its Way" on Atlantic Records. She is also the author of 11 books, including "The Woman and the Man", a poetry volume published last year by the William Morrow Company.

According to her, "People today are generally lonely and afraid. One of the responsibilities of the artist is to soothe that passage from irresponsibility to responsibility -- from life to rebirth."

Ms. Giovanni is known as the "princess of black poetry" and according to critics, "to describe her is to attempt to describe the meaning of each of her poems. Her writing is an extension of herself -- clear, uncluttered, and full of wonder and love for people and nature."

PERSONNEL

SECRETARY II - Part-time 12 noon until 4 P.M., 11 months position. $3.08 per hour.

The following positions are available for the College's bilingual project:

SECRETARY II - $3.08 per hour -- Must be bilingual.


PARAPROFESSIONAL AIDE - Temporary part-time. Salary negotiable.

These positions will be open exclusively to SVSC employees for one week. Persons interested should contact the Personnel Office. SVSC is an equal opportunity employer.