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BOARD RECEIVES HEATING/COOLING RECOMMENDATION

At Monday night's Board of Control Meeting, a recommendation was received from the engineering firm of Harley- Ellington-Pierce-Yee and Associates that a 12.1 million dollar heating and cooling facility be built on campus, including more than a mile of underground tunnel. The centralized facility, which would use oil or natural gas for fuel upon its 1980 projected date of completion, could be modified later to use coal. This flexibility to respond to future changes in fuel availability could lead to a second phase for the project in about 1985.

Phase one would include a $6,200,000 building with 2 boilers and 2 electric centrifugal refrigeration machines, as well as a $5,950,000 underground utility distribution system. Phase two would cost the state an additional $3,950,000.

The study was contracted by the Department of Management and Budget Bureau of Facilities and must be accepted by that group and the Joint Capital Outlay Committee before funding would be possible. The same firm was also recommended as the engineering group to conduct a proposed College Utilities Study.

The architectural and planning firm of Rosetti and Associates was recommended for re-mapping the campus master plan, which will include an evaluation of all parts of the 750 acre campus and will attempt to create a desired campus image and atmosphere. Seven firms were interviewed last week by a campus screening committee; the actual contract for the study will be signed by the Bureau of Facilities in Lansing. Rosetti and Associates plans to interview faculty, students, and administrative and staff members and plans to set up shop on campus during part of its study, for direct interaction with all of the influences which can affect a campus like SVSC. They plan to look at how the college interacts with the area community and how this should influence the master plan.

The Board also approved the operating budget for the 1976-77 fiscal year, with both total revenues and expenditures set at the same figure, $6,221,884. This compares with $5,495,141 in revenues last year. Some 70.6%--or $4,386,750--of revenues will come from state appropriations this year, with another 27.8% or $1,728,080 obtained from student fees $2,480,556 or 39.8% of the expenditures column will go into instruction. Other major categories include institutional support, academic support services, student services, operation and maintenance of plant, student financial aid and public services.

A resolution approved by the Board paid tribute to college athletic teams which have distinguished themselves in winter sports. Commended were the men's basketball team, with a 23 won and 7 loss record, the women's basketball team with a 22-11 record and a second place finish in the College Division State tournament, and to wrestler Ralph Roberts who earned All-American honors, plus a number of individual team members and their coaches.

The Board also rewrote its April 1966 by-laws, to include existing practices which allow members of the public to address board meetings. The Board has previously followed the guidelines of the new Open Meetings Act ever since the college opened, but now they have formally written these into their by-laws.

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CAMPUS BLOOD DRIVE NEEDS YOUR HELP

Faculty, students and staff are urged to participate in the annual spring blood drive coming to campus next week. Located at the student government concourse on the third floor of Wickes Hall, the blood drive will be in operation from 2 to 8 pm next Wed., March 23 and from 9 am to 3 pm on Thursday, March 24.

By participating in the drive, you will be entitled in the future to receive any blood you might need without having to pay. Call the Student Government office at ext. 236 to give your "gift of life".

INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALIST HERE THURSDAY

Washington investigative reporter Brit Hume will speak at 8 pm Thursday in Doan. He touched off the first of the great scandals which shook the Nixon administration in 1972, when his investigations led to the discovery of ITT lobbyist Dita Beard. Hume's talk is entitled "The Contemporary Presidency and the American Press" and will be sponsored by the Academy of Applied Philosophy. He has appeared on a number of national television programs and is presently a general correspondent for ABC- TV News. His investigations as a reporter have led to two significant books.

SILK SCREEN PRINTS EXHIBIT AT ARTS WORKSHOP

An exhibit of silk screen prints by Kent Kirby, Chairman of the Art Dept. at Alma College, will be on display at the SVSC arts workshop through Monday, March 28. Consisting primarily of photographic silk screens, the display shows a variety of scenes people and places. A well-known Michigan artist, Kirby also has an extensive following throughout the middle west and is represented in many Michigan museums. The recipient of a Michigan Council for the Arts grant, he is also the founder of an art printing organization called "Light Print Press".

STUDENTS, FACULTY HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO USE TECHNICAL LIBRARY

SVSC students or faculty members interested in using the Dow Chemical Company technical library at 566 Bay Road, Midland, may do so after 4:30 pm daily if they contact librarian Libbie Kessler first. Ms. Kessler will put your name on a list to the library before you go and the list will be up-dated periodically. Call her for further information at ext. 241.

CHRYSSALLIS DIRECTOR MAKES PUBLIC APPEARANCES

Rose Collamer, Director of the SVSC Chrysallis Center, will be speaking to a Saginaw YWCA group and the Saginaw University of Michigan Alumni Club this week. On Tuesday she will discuss the Chrysallis concept when the "Merry Y's" from the Saginaw YWCA visit the campus. On Wednesday she will participate in a panel discussion on the changing goals of education at a meeting of the University of Michigan Alumni Club in Saginaw.

KEGLERS WIN DISTRICT 23 CROWN

SVSC's bowling team has won the district 23 crown and is now in contention to once again become the champions of area 5 in the NAIA. With an average of 194.6 pins per man per game, the team bowled a total score of 5,840 pins, compared with 5,306 for Lawrence Institute. Last year SVSC took the championship with 5,498 pins. Area 5 consists of districts in Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan.

ARTWORKS ON EXHIBIT AT SAGINAW COUNTRY CLUB

Three artworks by Matthew Zivich, Professor of Art, are presently on display at the Saginaw Country Club.

The exhibit was arranged by Martha Yeatman of the Art Department and consists of works of distinction from SVSC faculty members and students. Each has won prizes elsewhere or has been accepted into competitive shows. The entries by Zivich consist of 2 oils and a tinted, plaster bas-relief. The exhibit runs through the month of March.
INFORMATIVE SPEAKERS SOUGHT ON VALLEY HISTORY

If you are interested in developing historical and cultural topics dealing with the production, consumption and leisure during the past two centuries in the Saginaw Valley, your help is being sought for a mobile-museum project which will begin its travels across Mid-Michigan this summer.

The Muse-Hopper, containing special museum displays, will provide learning experiences for area children, plus museum and art exhibits for adults.

Utilizing the theme, "Whistle While You Work: Life and Leisure for the Worker in the Saginaw Valley, 1776-1976," the Muse-Hopper board of directors is seeking ideas for public discussions which tie in the mobile museum with Valley history and culture.

If you are interested in researching a topic and presenting a proposal to the Muse-Hopper board, contact Dr. Larry L. Collins, Dean of the School of Arts and Sciences, at ext. 261 or 264 for further information. Deadline for submitting proposals is March 25 and a stipend of $1,000 will be paid for the research and development of each topic, with a $50 remuneration for each public presentation.

PERSONNEL

ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF MICROBIOLOGY (anticipated Fall 1977).

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.