

SEPTEMBER 6, 1977

WELCOME BACK!!!

Fall semester classes officially begin this Wednesday, September 7, and there will be a record number of students, faculty and staff persons here this year.

Our theme for the 1977-78 school year is "Grow With SVSC". Badges for all College employees were handed out at last Wednesday's College-wide orientation. Personalized copies have also been sent through the campus mail to all other faculty, administrative, and staff members who were not in attendance. If your name badge has not arrived by today or your name was incorrectly listed, please call Ext. 207 immediately.

A "mystery person" will begin visiting campus this week to see how many people are wearing their badges. He/she will be leaving a card with each person wearing a badge during each surprise visit throughout the coming school year. A \$200 cash prize with no strings attached will be awarded in April to the College employee who has worn his/her badge the most frequently. Further details on this program are available by calling Information Services.

Faculty portraits for 1977-78 will be taken all day Wednesday, September 7, and from 9-4 P.M. daily next week, September 12-16. Please come to the Information Services Office during these scheduled times! New faculty members have been sent biographical forms for news release information, and other faculty members are urged to update their existing forms or complete the brief questionnaire if

they have not previously done so. A copy of the form is attached to this week's Interior for your use.

WICKES FOUNDATION PLEDGES \$1 MILLION

A grant of \$1,000,000 from The Harvey Randall Wickes Foundation of Saginaw to SVSC to support the growth of library facilities was announced Wednesday at the all-college orientation session.

"The Wickes Foundation feels that a new library should be furnished to the college by the state of Michigan, but we thought this action by a local foundation might encourage the legislature to recognize the need more fully," said Melvin J. Zahnow, Wickes Foundation president and treasurer of the College Board of Control. "We hope they will put this important necessity of the College on the state's agenda for new facilities at an early date," he added.

"We are ecstatic about this major gift toward library facilities and are optimistic it will provide a major impetus toward additional state support sooner than we had expected," stated President Jack M. Ryder.

"The library and instructional resources center constitute the heart of any respectable institution of higher learning. We see this gift as being incorporated into our current process of re-evaluating the campus master plan, which is being supported by the state. We are not yet certain about the type of facility which will be developed because the overall campus plan is still being reviewed. However, we envision it as containing a lot of resource materials other than just books. The announcement drew an overwhelmingly positive and enthusiastic response from our faculty and administration and tremendously buoyed the spirits of everyone here.

"We are extremely grateful for the continuing support we have received from the

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Wickes Foundation. Their contributions demonstrate the importance of private philanthropy to this institution. More than half of our physical plant has resulted from private support of this type, with less than a third coming from state funds," the SVSC prexy noted.

The Wickes Foundation also donated \$1 million dollars earlier which provided part of the funds used to acquire land for the present SVSC campus in 1965. In addition, the Foundation was a major contributor to the new Pioneer Hall of Engineering and Technology classroom building currently under construction.

H. Randall Wickes also built the College football and athletic practice fields.

DICK GREGORY COMING TO SVSC

Non-violent social revolutionary Dick Gregory will be speaking at SVSC on Thursday, September 22, at 8:00 P.M. in the College Theatre. His message will be that there is a great social revolution going on in America today and the wonderful thing is that it is not Black against White. Instead, it is simply right against wrong.

"The number one problem in America today is not air and water pollution. It is moral pollution. This same moral pollution which keeps the smoke up in the air also keeps the Indian up on the reservation," Gregory declares.

Described as "the world's foremost free-lance humanitarian", his commitment and sacrifice have been dramatically illustrated by lengthy periods of fasting. He has done this to dramatize the drug problem in America and to urge that the pushers and smugglers be punished rather than drug users. His 800-mile "run against hunger" three years ago called attention to the problem of hunger in the world today and was his attempt to pind the national conscience into responding to the hunger crisis.

Gregory became famous as a professional comedian and today is a recording artist,

author, lecturer, actor, human rights activist, social satirist, critic and philosopher. He tries to combine all of these roles to "serve the cause of human liberation and to alleviate human suffering brought on by ignorance and apathy".

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In his talk at SVSC, Gregory will explain that "the real champion in today's society is the man who has risen to the crest of life's highest purpose -- singular and complete devotion to serving one's fellow man". He has ardently pursued his definition of "championship" by doing the things he does best -- making people laugh, making them listen, and helping them understand one another. As a recording artist, Gregory has many albums to his credit and has authored nine books, the most recent entitled "Up From Nigger."

His appearance at SVSC will be sponsored by the College Program Board. Tickets are available for \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for students through the Activities Office at Ext. 525.

SHIELDS AND SPEARS COMING TO SVSC ...But It's Only An Exhibit

An exhibit of shields and spears by noted Canadian artist William Fabrycki will be displayed at the Art Workshop daily between September 7-30. Fabrycki, stimulated by his intensive study of Greek, Egyptian and North American Indian ancient religious symbols and folklore, will show shields, masks and canes in pop art sculpturesque concepts.

He was chairman of the Art Department at St. Lawrence College, Kingston, Ontario from 1972-75 and subsequently became a commercial artist in Toronto. He is currently chairman of the Art Department at Joliet Junior College, Joliet, Ill. His work has been exhibited throughout the United States and Canada.

Fabrycki's most interesting pieces are his eye-catching carefully planned shields. While African craftsmen considered themselves merely skilled artisans, producing objects for their social tribal needs, he designs sophisticated trinkets for our sophisticated society. Included among his work are brightly colored canes and spears, incorporating children's toys -- elephants, allegators and plastic fruit.

Fabrycki makes no effort to be authentic in his representation of cultural artifacts. Rather he brings into play a delightful sense of humor and undercurrent of sensuality. He is a constructivist artist and highly original in creativity. He demonstrates versatility in subject matter and material usage, plus a disciplined knowledge of optical composition techniques.

FIGHTING CARDINALS PLAY HILLSDALE SATURDAY

After an impressive 31-7 victory over William Penn College on Saturday, SVSC's Fighting Cardinals football team will return to action this Saturday, Sept. 10, at 1:30 P.M. in Cardinal Stadium against Hillsdale College.

Saturday's scoring included an 11-yard touchdown run by John Waters, a 48-yard pass play from quarterback Steve Zott to Scott Skinner, a 33-yard pass from Zott to Greg Borsenik, a 35-yard field goal by James Wickham and a 5-yard run by Mike LeBlanc. Wickham made 2 point-after conversions and Bill Waters ran the ball in for 2 points after the first TD. SVSC gained 143 net yards rushing, compared with 81 for William Penn and added another 163 through the air. Total offensive yardage was 317, while William Penn was held to just 131. The Fighting Cardinals also amassed 17 first downs, while William Penn could garner only 7.

Full-time SVSC employees who have not picked up their free all-sports pass for fall athletic activities can still do so this week at the Business Services Office. Additional passes are available for \$7.50 each for spouses and dependents. Six more home games remain this year, including every Saturday this month.

CALENDAR DEADLINE APPROACHING

Calendars, appointment books, and pocket notebooks you may need for 1978 should be ordered now, through Michele Dyer in the Business Services Office. Since these items are printed once yearly by the manufacturer, it is necessary that you anticipate your needs. Once the supply of a certain item is exhausted, it is not reprinted and thus the College must send in its order early before the items are printed.

For an order form or information, call Michele at Ext. 210 or pick up extra order blanks in the Faculty Lounge. This year's order will be placed with the manufacturer on October 1, 1977.

FREE SPEEDREADING DEMONSTRATION OFFERED

Persons interested in learning how speed-reading can improve reading skills are welcome to a special free demonstration lesson slated for 7:00 P.M. on Monday, September 19, in Room 239 of Midland High School. The class will be presented by Dr. Leslie Whittaker, Professor of English and Education. No reservations are required.

Speedreading is designed for people who want to improve both their reading speed and understanding, said Whittaker. Most students can quickly learn to double their reading speed, and the demonstration is intended to acquaint prospective students with the methods and materials used. The program has been used successfully to develop efficient reading habits for studying, on-the-job reading and leisure reading, he noted.

The complete Speedreading course will be offered at Midland beginning on Sept. 26. Opportunity will be provided at the Sept. 19 demonstration to register for the fall course. Additional information about both the demonstration and the course is available from the Center for Placement and Continuing Education Services, Ext. 273.

ROSE COLLAMER SELECTED

Rose Collamer, Director of the Chrysallis Center, was recently selected to serve on the Nominating Committee of the Division of Women's Education for the National University Extension Association. Her appointment came at the national conference of the NUEA held in Tucson, Arizona.

BOOKSTORE HOURS ANNOUNCED

SVSC's Bookstore will be open the following hours during fall semester: Wednesday, September 7, and Thursday, September 8 - 8:15 A.M. to 4 P.M. and 5 to 7:30 P.M. Friday, September 9 - 8:15 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 12-14 - 9:30 A.M. to 4 P.M. and 5 to 7 P.M.

Regular hours will resume again on Sept. 15, with the Bookstore open Monday through Thursday from 9:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. and again from 5:45 to 6:45 P.M. and on Fridays from 9:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

"HOW TO WATCH FOOTBALL" SEMINAR COMING

If you've always wondered what your spouse sees in a football game, you'll be able to find out at 7:30 P.M. on Wednesday, September 14. A "How To Watch Football" seminar at the College Theatre will show everything from the meaning of officials' gestures to the implications of a "blitz" for a quarterback.

Conducting the seminar will be SVSC's nationally-known Head Football Coach Frank D. "Muddy" Waters, Jr. He will describe the fine points of football with a humorous presentation to spark the interest of both neophyte and professional football game watchers. The \$1.00 registration fee entitles participants to bring a guest and covers the cost of refreshments. Each person attending will also receive a free reserved football ticket to the Saturday, Sept. 17, SVSC college football game with Edinboro State University of Pennsylvania.

FIRST ANNUAL FRESHMAN DAY IS SATURDAY

All members of the SVSC community are encouraged to attend the College's first annual Freshman Day this Saturday, Sept. 10 to get better acquainted with one another. Co-sponsoring the event will be the SVSC Student Government and Campus Activities Offices.

Persons who already hold football game tickets can attend a picnic at Owsley Grove beginning at 4:30 P.M., plus games and a disco dance Saturday evening from 8:30 P.M. to 12:30 A.M. for just \$1.50. A \$3.00 general admission ticket to the football game with Hillsdale College can be obtained for an additional \$1.00. Tickets should be purchased in advance from either Student Government or Campus Activities.

PERSONNEL

KEYPUNCH OPERATOR (C.E.T.A.) - Data Processing. Full-time. \$3.43 per hour.

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

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S.V.S.C. BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION FORM FOR NEWS RELEASES

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