August 22, 1978

SPECIAL BOARD OF CONTROL MEETING SET

A special meeting of the College Board of Control is slated for this Thursday, August 24 at 4 p.m. to consider ratification of a new three-year faculty contract. This meeting will follow a faculty ratification vote scheduled for Wednesday, August 23. The special board meeting will be held in the Pioneer Room of Pioneer Hall of Engineering and Technology, according to Vice President for Business Affairs Jerry A. Woodcock.

NEW PARKING PLAN READIED

A new parking plan for the College will mean the end of gates, barricades, and reserve areas in all places except Lot C for fall semester. Because students will now be paying $1 per credit hour up to 12 credit hours for parking during fall and winter as well as $1 per credit hour up to six credits during spring and summer, they will no longer be required to use coin-operated gated areas. The only gates will appear soon on Lot C, where faculty and staff members who apply for reserved parking will use gate-control cards.

SVSC will pay a parking fee of $20 per year for each faculty and staff member who is employed annually and works 40 hours a week. For each faculty member employed by the semester, the College will pay $1 per credit hour. The payment for each staff member employed annually who works less than 40 hours per week will be a portion of the annual fee of $20, pro-rated on a monthly fee scale. CMU, MSU, and UM will pay $1 per credit for each credit offered on the campus of SVSC.

College faculty and staff members will pay a $20 annual fee as last year, but now only for parking in Lot C. Employees will be able to park in Lots A, B, D or E without paying a fee. Those paying the $20 will be issued one gate-control card per fee and there will be no deposit fee charged. However, replacement of lost parking cards will cost $5. The cards will expire on June 30 of each fiscal year and must be renewed by September 30 of the following school year. Before a new card is issued at the beginning of a school year, the previous year's card must be returned.

This year visitors will be permitted to park free of charge in all unreserved areas. When space is available, parking will be permitted in the reserve area at a fee of 50¢. Invited guests will be provided with a parking permit, available from the Office of Public Safety. Persons who extend invitations will be responsible for obtaining parking permits for their use.

For conferences and special events, parking permits may be obtained by departments, divisions, and other sponsors. The sponsoring group will be responsible for issuing permits and collecting the permit fees. There will be a 50¢ fee for each permit. General parking is available for groups who do not wish to purchase reserve parking permits.

Evening students may purchase reserve permits when there is available parking space and will pay a portion of the annual fee of $20 pro-rated on a monthly fee scale for reserve permits.

Finally, students who are employees and have had their parking paid by the institution are eligible for a refund of the parking fees collected at registration. Refunds will be provided by the Office of Public Safety when the employee presents his/her tuition bill.
A 10-minute unloading zone will be re-established in front of Wickes Annex. However, persons parking in that area will be ticketed unless a permit from the Office of Public Safety is displayed on the driver's side dash.

BAY CITY FOUNDATION ESTABLISHES SCHOLARSHIP

A $10,000 permanent scholarship fund has been established at SVSC by the Oscar P. and Louise H. Osthelder Charitable Foundation of Bay City.

The fund will be used to provide a $250.00 scholarship per semester for deserving and academically qualified Bay County students. The stipends will be renewable if the student maintains a "B" average in college course work.

Selection of the students to receive scholarships from the Osthelder Foundation Fund will be made by the College. Interested persons who will be attending SVSC this fall should contact the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid at 4116 for further details.

Louise Osthelder was a Bay City native who moved to Wisconsin, where her husband Oscar was president of the Stephenson National Bank. Following his death, she returned to Bay City, where the Osthelder Charitable Foundation was established through the trust department of the Bay City Bank & Trust Company. After she died in February 1972, an advisory committee was established which has granted aid to various area charities and colleges for educational and scientific purposes.

GIFT SHOP NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

The beginning of a new school year will bring with it the re-opening of the Triskelion Gift Shop in Doan Center. As in the past, the shop will sell everything from candy and soap to clothing articles like T-shirts and jogging suits, and a wide array of gifts. Volunteer help is needed to continue operation of this fine shop. It would be greatly appreciated if persons interested in helping students contact extension 4296. Your help will be an invaluable aid to our students.

MURKY ASSISTING FOOTBALL DESPITE CUT

Frank "Murky" Waters III, son of head football coach and athletic director Frank "Muddy" Waters Jr. and assistant football coach, will be helping the football team again this year, but in the role of a volunteer instead of a paid coach.

Murky's job was one of the 16 administrative positions cut last month when the College began its money-saving plan ordered by the Board of Control. He is receiving no more than the severance pay given to each of the people affected by the layoffs.

Murky coaches the backfield and the passing game, and each summer he prepares for the upcoming season in many ways. These include recruiting players, preparing playbooks, and getting mentally ready for 12 weeks of football.

"I've invested a lot of time in helping to develop the program," he says. "After this fourth year, we'll be through the developmental stage and I want to do all I can to see the program reach maturity."

"We greatly appreciate Murky's willingness to volunteer his services to the College under these difficult circumstances," commented President Jack M. Ryder. "He is dedicated to our football program and to the young men who have such great potential for success this season.

"I know we will be fortunate indeed if he can remain with the team for the whole season."

COLLAMER AUTHORS MAGAZINE ARTICLE

An article by Mrs. Rose Collamer, Director of the SVSC Chrysallis Center, appeared in the June issue of Continuum magazine. Her story described the need for a service such as Chrysallis and related the work that Chrysallis does in helping mature students become acclimated to the college environment.
About 50 freshmen have shown up for pre-season practice, which began Monday, August 21 out of 112 total players.

"My job is to make sure the freshmen recruits I've worked with have someone they can come to if they have any problems or questions," Waters says.

"In most cases I've developed a close relationship with them during the recruiting process and they know me better than other members of the staff.

"This closeness will remain until they get to know the other coaches they'll be practicing with."

Some of the students Waters recruited this year come from across the state -- places like Anchor Bay, Battle Creek, Comstock, Grand Rapids, Ionia, Newaygo, Portage, Three Rivers, and Vicksburg.

"For some of these young men," says Murky, "it's the first time they've been away from home. Just because they're six feet tall and weigh over 200 pounds doesn't mean that some of them don't have an occasional bit of homesickness. I try to provide a measure of guidance and simply be around if they need me."

Before coming to SVSC, Murky signed a pro football contract with the Toronto Argonauts of the Canadian Football League. His career as a running back was cut short by a knee injury.

He was a member of Michigan State's 1966 undefeated team, which shared the national championship with Notre Dame. He also served as an assistant coach at Hillsdale College, handling the defensive backfield and the passing game.

"The fact that my office door is closed does not necessarily mean that I am not in," said Mrs. Colvin. "Please 'come in' as the sign on my door says."

"In the event I am away from my office momentarily or for lunch, there will be a message pad, pencil, and scotch tape on the vacated secretary's desk to the left of my office. Please feel free to sit down, write a message, and tape it on my door," she concluded.

It is also possible to reach the President by telephone at extension 4042.

PERSONNEL --

RESIDENCE PROGRAM (AUXILIARY SERVICES) --
Senior Secretary; full-time, permanent. $3.53/hour.

INFORMATION SERVICES -- Director of Information Services

These positions will be open to members of the SVSC community for one week. Interested persons should contact the Personnel Office at 4108. SVSC is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer. SVSC is non-discriminatory in its policies and practices.

COLVIN IN THOUGH DOOR CLOSED

Persons wishing to see President Ryder or to leave a message for him are requested to come directly to the office of Opal Colvin, administrative assistant to the President, located adjacent to the President's office in Wickes Annex.