DECEMBER 12, 1978

ADDRESS CHANGE TIME IS NOW

The home address listed for you on last week's paycheck is the one that will appear on your W-2 form and will be submitted to the Federal government unless updated by you this week. If you have moved or your address was incorrect, please call Kathy Nowaczyk, payroll supervisor, at ext. 4217 no later than this Friday, December 15.

WINTER ALL-SPORTS PASSES AVAILABLE

Winter 1979 all-sports passes can be obtained by SVSC faculty and staff members from the Business Services Office, '66 Building, any time between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. daily. Passes must be picked up in person. Additional copies are available for $7.50 each for spouses or dependents.

RESERVATIONS REMINDER

The annual SVSC Christmas luncheon is being held next Thursday, December 21 at noon at Das Michigan Haus, and there is still time to make reservations by contacting Mrs. Michele Dyer at Business Services on ext. 4102. A hot buffet featuring three entrees, potatoes and gravy, salad bar, relishes, beverage, dessert, tax and tip will be offered for $5.00 per person.

Because there will be a door prize, be sure to pick up your luncheon ticket when paying for your reservation. Payment should be made to Mrs. Dyer no later than Tuesday, December 19, so she can enjoy the luncheon too.

FACULTY INPUT SCHEDULED IN ACADEMIC REORGANIZATION PROCESS

A series of meetings for the SVSC Faculty will provide an opportunity for members of the instructional staff to have further input into the proposed academic reorganization of the College before the proposal comes to the Board of Control at its January 1979 session. According to Vice President for Academic Affairs Dr. Robert S. P. Yien, faculty members are urged to come to meetings scheduled from 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Thursday, December 14; 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. on Friday, December 15; 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 19; 9 a.m. to noon on Wednesday, December 20; 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, December 21; and 9 a.m. to noon on Friday, December 22.

All sessions will be held in the Wickes Hall Boardroom except for the Friday, December 15 meeting, slated for the Wickes Lecture Hall at 1:30 p.m.

LIBRARY SETS HOLIDAY HOURS

Regular hours will be maintained at the SVSC Library through next Wednesday, December 20, when the Library will close at 10:30 p.m. On Thursday and Friday, December 21-22, the Library will be open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., according to Acting Director Mrs. Dorothy Horwath.

After being closed from Saturday, December 23 to Tuesday, December 26, the Library will re-open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. on both Wednesday and Thursday, December 27-28. On Friday, December 29, open hours will be 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

In observance of the New Year holiday, the Library will be closed from Saturday, December 30 to Tuesday, January 2. It will re-open again on Wednesday, January 3 from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Regular hours will resume on Thursday, January 4 with the beginning of winter semester classes.

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PROCEDURE ESTABLISHED FOR CARDIAC EMERGENCY

A portable oxygen tank and ambu (manual respirator) are now available for use on campus in case a cardiac emergency occurs at SVSC.

The portable oxygen tank is stored at Student Health Service in B-2, Great Lakes Hall, and the Ambu (manual respirator) is stored in the Department of Public Safety's patrol car. Public Safety personnel have been instructed in the proper use of this equipment.

When an emergency occurs, call Student Health Service on ext. 4272 and Public Safety at ext. 4250. Further information is available by calling Mrs. Irene Miller, registered nurse and coordinator of Student Health Services at ext. 4272.

PART-TIME HELP SOUGHT

Part-time help is being sought by the Personnel office to help staff the College Bookstore, Registrar's Office, and Business Office during peak registration periods. Applications are particularly invited from spouses of faculty and staff members.

Dates when help will be needed include Wednesday through Friday, December 27-29, Wednesday, January 3 through Friday, January 5, and Monday, January 9 through Friday, January 12. Potential applicants should contact the Personnel Office at ext. 4108.

The Personnel Office is also looking for a few part-time clerical workers on an "on call basis" during that time as well. Interested persons should call ext. 4112.

CONCERT CHOIR RECRUITING NEW MEMBERS

If you've always wanted to make beautiful music, the SVSC Concert Choir wants you! According to Dr. Eric Nisula, assistant professor of music and new conductor of the SVSC group, a trained voice or extensive singing experience are not necessary.

"All that matters is that you are sincere in wanting to make music -- I will take care of the rest! The real payoff is when your life is immeasurably enriched by coming closer to the works of Mozart, Bach, Beethoven, or Brahms, either as a singer, audience, or conductor," Nisula feels.

There will be openings in all four sections of the choir, beginning with winter semester in January. Prospective members need not be enrolled in other SVSC courses to participate, and students of all ages are welcome. All one needs is a love of music, free time on Tuesdays between 12:30 and 1:30 p.m., and Thursdays from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. and possibly a cassette tape player. "This is a great aid in learning parts," Nisula adds.

The Concert Choir is planning a major performance on Palm Sunday Evening, April 8, at St. Thomas Aquinas Church in Saginaw. Their musical Vespers service will feature a single work, the "Vespers de Dominica" by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, with soloists and a professional orchestra providing accompaniment.

Anyone wishing more information should contact Dr. Nisula at ext. 4307 or go to Room 6 of the '66 Building. Applications for choir membership will be taken any time this month or in the early part of January.

FACULTY NOTES --

-- Dr. Thomas Renna, associate professor of History, presented a talk on Thomas Merton as Peacemaker at the 4th National Assembly of Pax Christi USA: International Catholic Movement for Peace, on December 2 at Columbia University, New York. This was the seventh paper on the topic of peace read by Renna at various historical conferences around the country during 1978.

-- A short story entitled "Una Historia Real", written by Dr. Ricardo Pastor, associate professor of Spanish, was printed in the November 1978 issue of "Spanish Today". The magazine is published by Cruzada Spanish Publications in Miami, Florida. Dr. Pastor is a member of the periodical's Editorial Board.

-- Dr. Laczek Jarecki, research fellow at the Midland Macromolecular Institute, spoke on "Politics in Eastern Europe" at the Tuesday class session of the Eastern European political science course presently being taught by Dr. Anna Dadlez, assistant professor of Polish and
director of the Institute of Polish Studies. Dr. Jarecki, who specializes in ultra-high modulus polyethylene, is representing the University of Warsaw and the Polish Academy of Sciences during a one-year research assignment in Midland.

-- Dr. Shiv K. Arora, associate professor of marketing, addressed the Saginaw YMCA Retired Men's Fellowship Club on Monday, December 11 concerning "Economy and Free Enterprise". The senior citizens are probably the most affected by the state of the economy and were pleased to note that SVSC is doing something to promote free enterprise, Arora said. Over 60 members were in attendance, and presented him with a certificate of appreciation.

PERSONNEL --

--FACULTY: Instructor of German; Part-time-Temporary; Winter Semester, Salary Negotiable.

--FACULTY: Instructional Development Specialist, Division of Nursing; FT-P, Sal. Negot.

--FACULTY: Self-Instructional Laboratory Specialist, Division of Nursing; FT-P, Sal. Negot.

--FACULTY: Instructor of Nursing, Division of Nursing; FT-P, Sal. Negot.

These positions will be open to members of the SVSC community for one week. Interested persons should contact the Personnel Office at ext. 4108.

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