BUSY WEEK AHEAD WITH FINAL REGISTRATION, ORIENTATION, FIRST FOOTBALL GAME; CLASSES START MONDAY

Everything is set for next Monday's start of fall semester classes, with two days of delayed registration slated this Wednesday and Thursday. To date both credit hours and student headcount figures are somewhat above a year ago at this time. The SVSC dormitories are full and some students presently remain on a waiting list for on-campus housing. The total number of resident students is up nearly 20 percent over fall 1978 figures.

A fall orientation session for faculty and all staff members takes place this Thursday, September 6 in Doan Center. After coffee and a chance to meet new members of the SVSC family at 9:30 a.m., a welcome will be given by President Jack M. Ryder and by Ann Kozak of Student Government. An informational slide presentation about the College will be shown by the Admissions Office at about 10:45 a.m. Most employees will then return to their normal tasks, while the faculty will remain for an update on academic affairs by Vice President Robert S. P. Yien and a faculty luncheon at noon.

Please be certain that all public contact areas are staffed adequately during the time you are attending the orientation session.

Afternoon sessions for the faculty (both new and returning) step off at 1:30 p.m. with five-minute presentations on internal services by various areas of the College. Two longer sessions will tell about the Bookstore and College Library.

Members of the faculty and administrative staff and their spouses or guests have been invited to a reception and dance Thursday evening in Doan Center. New faculty and administrative staff members will meet the college community at the reception, which begins at 7:30 p.m.

CARDINALS OPEN SEASON HERE SATURDAY

Season kick-off for the 1979 Fighting Cardinals football team is this Saturday, September 8 at 1:30 p.m. at Cardinal Field. Northeastern Illinois University will provide the opposition. Last year the Cardinals bested the Golden Eagles by a 37-28 score. In Saturday's red-white scrimmage game last week, quarterback Steve Zott fired four touchdown passes as the first team "red" squad won 56-0.

Future home games will pit the Cardinals against the University of Evansville on Saturday, September 29; Grand Valley State for Homecoming on October 13; and Wayne State on November 10 in the season finale. Colorful season schedule cards have been distributed by the Sports Information Office; additional copies are available from ext. 4053.

If you do not as yet have your free all-sports pass for fall semester, go to the Business Services office, '66 Building, during normal working hours. Each full-time SVSC employee is entitled to one free pass; spouses and dependents can purchase additional copies for $8 each, covering the full fall season. Ticket information may be obtained by calling ext. 4101.

1979-80 PARKING CARDS AVAILABLE

1979-80 parking cards for lot C reserve parking are now available. Parking cards from the 1978-79 year will expire Sept. 30, 1979, and will no longer provide admission to lot C.

New 79-80 parking cards can be purchased at the Department of Public Safety, Pierce Rd, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. During the week of September 10 only, permits can be purchased between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m.

SHAPE UP NEXT WEEK!

Interested in getting into shape? The SVSC
fitness and jogging club is forming this fall for all interested faculty, staff, administrators, secretaries and maintenance personnel. First meeting is scheduled for 11:45 a.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 12 in the portable classroom behind the gym. No matter what your level of fitness, here's your chance to get into shape and the club is for everyone. For further information contact Dr. Doug Hansen at ext. 4119, Dr. Eric Peterson at 4360 or Dr. Tom Renna at 4363.

HOW ABOUT BEING PUBLISHED?

All SVSC employees will have their photographs included in this year's faculty-staff and student directory and we are asking you to make arrangements now to have a photo taken if you have not already done so. Please call the Office of Information Services at ext. 4054 this week, to help us publish this year's directory on time. If your title, home or office telephone or address have changed during the past year, kindly let us know so that your information will be current.

BAY CITIAN TO HEAD SVSC ANNUAL FUND

Ruth E. Buzzard has been named coordinator of annual funds for the Saginaw Valley State College Foundation. As coordinator, she will administer the planning and implementation of all Foundation annual giving programs. She will also be responsible for Foundation personal or direct-mail fund raising solicitations and will report to the Foundation's executive director. Specific duties include coordination of the Annual and Athletic Funds and the recruitment, training, and assignment of volunteers.

A native of Bay City, Mrs. Buzzard received her associate degree from Delta College in 1962 and her bachelor of arts degree from SVSC in 1974. She is currently a graduate student in the Master of Arts in Teaching program at SVSC.

Long active in volunteer efforts, she has been Bay County chairman for the American Cancer Society annual fund drive. She has participated on the group state by-laws committee and has been public education chairman and crusade chairman. She resides with her husband, Dale, and two children at 2109 Broadway, Bay City.

PARDEE GRANT AIDS EASTLAND'S CANCER RESEARCH

A $17,000 research grant from the Elsa U. Pardee Foundation of Midland is enabling professor of Chemistry Dr. George Eastland to continue his work toward a cure for some strains of cancer. Together with two full-time and two part-time student assistants, Eastland is studying the effect of rhenium metal compounds on suppressing cancerous tumors. The Pardee grant was received after competition for the funds from various researchers across the U.S.

Eastland began his work in September, 1976 with Dr. Nikolai Dimitrov, professor of Medicine at MSU. The pair presented a paper at the 10th International Congress of Chemo-therapy in Zurich, Switzerland and later published the full text in "Current Chemotherapy" magazine on "Studies of Anti-Tumor Effect of Certain Rhenium Compounds".

Since then, the National Cancer Institute has selected one of the compounds developed by Eastland and Dimitrov for additional testing. Their compound is called dirhenium proponato and has shown a pronounced effect on some types of tumors.

FACILITY SCHEDULING FORM ASSURES RESERVATIONS

Any college person interested in reserving campus facilities for meetings, workshops, luncheons or other functions during the upcoming school year can do so with a College Facility Schedule Form and authorization from the Campus Activities office.

This year the Schedule Form will be required to reserve any facility in any SVSC building. The form should be sent to the Campus Activities Office to ensure the facility you want is available when desired. Planning well in advance of your event is worth the effort, and proper set-up plus coordination with other offices will then be possible.

Facility reservation forms may be picked up from Campus Activities in Doan Center or by calling ext. 4260.

ARTS WORKSHOP OPENS MONDAY

SVSC's Arts Workshop opens its fall season next Monday with a screen printing exhibit by native Michigan artist Janet Gallup. Her works will be on display daily through Sept. 21. They include photographic silkscreen images from her own life to express universal human concerns.