

October 2, 1979

BUSY HOMECOMING WEEK AHEAD

Sure there'll be the traditional events such as the football game and homecoming dance, but 1979's SVSC Homecoming Week promises a lot more, too. Saturday, October 13 will be highlighted by a day-long Historyfest on campus, plus the game and crowning of the Homecoming Queen and a special evening performance by the Republic of China Youth Goodwill Tour.

As a prelude to the activities, a Wednesday, October 10 "rap" session will involve SVSC faculty and students along with alumni at Doan Center. The 1-4 p.m. gathering will bring past grads back to campus to share information concerning job opportunities, classes they found the most beneficial for meeting career goals and how students can best prepare for their chosen fields. A wine and cheese party for alumni and faculty members is set for 4-6 p.m. on Friday, October 12 in the Wickes faculty lounge.

Kicking off Homecoming Saturday will be an all-college Smorgasboard Brunch in the Doan Center cafeteria from 10:30-noon. Reservations are required and can be made by calling ext. 4050. The 1979 Historyfest in the Doan mall area will present various displays by museums, historical societies, the military and other groups. A Civil War battle will be reenacted on campus and there will be an encampment of area Mountain Men plus music by the Collegium Musicum and other special attractions. The Historyfest runs from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. and is sponsored by the SVSC History department.

Next it's on to the gridiron at 1:30 p.m. as the Fighting Cardinals take on the Grand Valley State College Lakers. GVSC has been picked to win this year's G.L.I.A.C. crown and the Cardinals will be looking to knock the Lakers from their top post.

At 7 p.m. an evening of Chinese culture is being readied at the SVSC Theatre, where an exciting show of dances, folk music and songs, skits, boxing and sword fighting and even kung fu demonstrations will be given. The performers have been specially chosen from various universities in the Republic of China and will come here on one of only 10 stops in the U.S. The night before they will perform at the U of M and they will continue their tour at Notre Dame. All proceeds from the SVSC event will benefit the new International Student Scholarship Fund here.

Homecoming ends on a high note as the versatile "Bigfoot" band provides music from disco to rock to pop at the student government-sponsored Homecoming Dance at Bay City Country Club. The dance gets underway at 9 p.m. and continues to 1 a.m. For information concerning any Homecoming Week event, please call Information Services at ext. 4054.

THREE VISITORS COMING FROM MAJOR POLISH UNIVERSITY

Three special visitors from the University of Poznan, Poland, will be on campus and in the Valley area on October 23-27 in a culture-sharing excursion. Through the efforts of SVSC's Institute of Polish Studies, the professors are coming to meet with various representatives of this College and area communities to establish communication links. They will also give lectures on several topics and plan to visit SVSC classes.

Chancellor Dr. Benon Miskiewicz, Vice Chancellor Dr. Stefan Kozarski and chairman of the English department Dr. Jacek Fisiak will be visiting SVSC and the Polish Institute to discuss the possibility of future student and faculty exchanges between Poznan and SVSC.

Their excursion begins with a reception for faculty at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, October 23 in lower level Doan Center. Dr. Fisiak will address the SVSC faculty and will be introduced by Vice President for Academic Affairs Dr. Robert S. P. Yien. A private dinner with President Jack M. Ryder follows that evening.

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Preliminary plans for Wednesday, October 24 include a tour by the group of Dow Chemical Company in Midland, followed by a luncheon with Dow officials. Next the group will return for a student-faculty exchange at 2:00 p.m. in the faculty lounge. That evening, the SVSC hospitality committee will dine with the group at Das Michigan House, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

An agricultural tour showing the size and importance of area agribusinesses is set for Thursday the 25th in the morning, followed by a luncheon with members of the area Polish education committee in Doan Center. Meanwhile, Professor Fisiak will be participating in faculty colloquium luncheon. That afternoon, the visitors will meet with a number of classes on campus before being hosted that evening at a buffet dinner in Bay City.

A special "Encounter with Poland" photography exhibit will be opened by the visitors in the library lobby at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, October 26, to be followed by a press conference in the faculty lounge at 9:30 a.m. The group then travels to General Motors Corporation's Steering Gear complex for a luncheon and afternoon tour. On Friday evening, President Ryder will host a dinner at Doan Center's large private dining room. A public lecture at 7:30 p.m. in Lower Level Doan Center by the visitors should be of interest to all members of the SVSC community. There is no charge to attend and refreshments will be provided by the Institute of Polish Studies.

NORTH CENTRAL ALL-COLLEGE MEET THIS THURSDAY

The entire SVSC college community is urged to attend a meeting this Thursday, October 4, which will outline preparations necessary before the North Central Association evaluation team arrives here October 29-31. Thursday's meeting, at 4:15 p.m. in the Wickes Lecture Hall, will provide an opportunity for suggestions regarding the recently prepared self-study report and the evaluation process. As the evaluation involves the entire community, and continued accreditation is essential to SVSC's future, you are urged to attend and become involved.

FIRST "EXECUTIVE IN RESIDENCE" AT SVSC

Robert J. House of Midland, executive consultant at The Dow Chemical Company,

is serving as the first executive in residence for the school of Business and Management here.

House, who was appointed this month, will serve a year's term at the college until May 31, 1980. As executive in residence, he will be a liaison between academia in the school of Business and Management and persons in the business community. The position will promote communication between the SVSC faculty and Dow's marketing personnel.

House will provide assistance to the dean of the school of Business and Management, Dr. James Mitchell, in arranging for students to visit business locations. He will be working with the college's faculty and administration to help develop the cooperative education program and its sensitivity to the needs of business and industry.

Besides his college executive duties, House will also be a part-time faculty member teaching business courses during both the current fall and the winter terms. He will serve as a guest lecturer for various courses as well.

SVSC hopes that the executive in residence idea will be expanded and will be a continuing feature at the college. Mitchell would like to see other corporations take advantage of this unique opportunity in the future. Firms could send members of their own on a rotating basis to represent their companies as well as gain experience in college teaching.

House brings with him to the college a long string of prestigious business accomplishments. At Dow, House worked his way up through the accounting department to controllership and then was named Director of Employee Relations for the entire Dow organization worldwide. Before coming to SVSC, House was one of four executive consultants in the world employed by Dow.

FOOTBALL TEAM NOW 3-1; HARRIERS WIN OWN MEET

Everything was going SVSC's way last Saturday on the athletic field, as the fighting Cardinals football team bested the University of Evansville 23-0. Once again it was the Cardinal's defense which provided the key to victory. After the defense forced an Evansville fumble on the second scrimmage play of the game, quarterback Steve Zott scored on a quarterback keeper.

The second touchdown came on the final play of the first quarter, when halfback Terry Peabody ran 28 yards after carrying the ball on all 5 plays of a 49-yard drive. Kicker Kirk McCarty made it 17-0 at half-time on a 42-yard field goal into the wind. The final touchdown came early in the fourth quarter on a 17-yard keeper by Zott. This Saturday the Cardinals travel to Hillsdale for the first Great Lakes conference game of the season. The Chargers have a 2-2 overall record thus far, after beating St. Norbert's 31-14 last Saturday.

The Cardinal cross-country team won the SVSC open cross-country meet Saturday by taking the team title with 18 points.

Macomb Community College was second with 51 and Northwood Institute with 78. SVSC alum Rob Bostater was individual champ in 25:14, 14 seconds ahead of runner-up Bob Duerksen. Placing third was Spence Peterson, while Waldo Cabriales was fifth, Mike DuCharme placed sixth and Dale Hool was seventh. The Cardinals would have had a perfect score of 15 except that Macomb's Phil Stephenson placed fourth. This week the harriers travel to Notre Dame for an invitational there on Friday.

PHOTO SILKSCREEN SHOW HERE

Artist John Fetter will exhibit a collection of photo silkscreen prints at the arts workshop beginning October 8. Entitled "Collages in Photo Silkscreen", the works are compositions of several photographic images meshed together by the process of silkscreen

Fetter is a 1975 SVSC graduate and is the founder and director of Images Unlimited, Bay City. His business is one of the most successful design and screenprint studios in the area. Fetter's exhibits have claimed him several awards as he has participated in shows throughout the state. Locally he has been a winner at the Bay City Riverside Art Fair. For more information, contact the art department at ext. 4391.

HAMILTON, WOODCOCK AT COOP ED CONFAB

The fifth annual Midwest Cooperative Education Association fall conference is underway this week at LaCrosse, Wisconsin, and SVSC's Gene Hamilton is serving as president of the group. The general theme for the meeting is "Co-op Fest: '80's", a look ahead for learning new skills and tech-

niques for increasing the effectiveness of cooperative education in the midwest region. Members have gathered from Illinois, Indiana, lowa, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, and Ohio.

Vice president for Business Affairs Jerry A. Woodcock will present his proposal for establishing a corporate souce of funding for co-op programs on Thursday morning. His talk will be entitled "Alternative Funding Sources for Co-op" and he will be teaming up with Dr. David Smith, a federal programs consultant from Washington, D. C.

Dow Chemical, U.S.A. has been named the recipient of M.C.E.A.'s annual award for outstanding leadership in support of cooperative education. Dow was named for the honor because the firm has displayed contributions to the advancement of co-op ed and Dow U.S.A. president David L. Rooke will accept the special recognition.

RACQUETBALL OPEN HOUSE FRIDAY NIGHT

A racquetball open house for SVSC faculty and staff is set for this Friday, October 5, from 7:00 p.m. to midnight at Sports Illustrated Court Clubs, 2717 Schust Road, Saginaw. There will be free racquetball, refreshments and instruction, and special membership rates are also being made available. If you plan to attend, please R.S.V.P. to 790-0150.

MEXICO TOUR PACKAGE AVAILABLE

SVSC's football team will be playing the Ministry of Education team from Mexico City on Saturday, November 3, and a four-night, five-day tour package has been arranged for those interested in accompanying the team. The SVSC tour group leaves Thursday, November 1 and will arrive back in Saginaw on Monday evening, November 5. The game will be Saturday, November 3, at 3:00 p.m., Mexico City time, and will be played in City of Sports Stadium there. The group will stay at the Alameda Hotel, a centrally located high-rise hotel overlooking Alameda Park and the Palace of Fine Arts. Sightseeing trips to the Pyramids and to see Mexico City will be planned for Friday, November 2, and Sunday, November 4, at additional cost.

Air fare per person for the trip is \$285.30. The hotel cost for four nights is \$94.52 (double occupancy) or \$156.68 for single

occupancy. Reservations and full payment must be received by October 10 at the business services office, and checks should be mailed to Robert T. Becker. The Pyramids tour will cost approximately \$10 per person, while the Mexico City tour is approximately \$7. Anyone with questions concerning the trip should contact Becker at ext. 4101.

THIRTY COPIES NEEDED FOR BOARD

Members of the college community are reminded that a minimum 30 copies of all resolutions, reports, and other board materials are required at open meetings. These materials should be prepared in advance of the meeting and submitted to Mrs. Opal Colvin, administrative assistant to the president. Kindly phone her at ext. 4042 if you have any questions concerning materials you wish distributed at open meetings.

ORDER 1980 CALENDARS NOW!

Now is the time to order 1980 desk calendars, appointment books, and blotter calendar pads, says Mrs. Michele Dyer in the office of business services. Please contact her regarding the quantity and type of calendar you seek not later than October 15. Her extension is 4102.

RYBKOWSKI HEADS LAW ENFORCEMENT ADMIN-ISTRATORS

Zane L. Rybkowski, director of Public Safety at SVSC, has been elected president of the Michigan Association of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators for 1979-80. He succeeds Fred Roll, director of campus safety at the University of Michigan-Flint. The group represents some 30 colleges and universities across the state, and held its fall meeting at Albion College last week.