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FIGHTING CARDINALS RECEIVE NAIA PLAYOFF BID

SVSC's fighting Cardinal's football team will be participating in their first-ever NAIA postseason playoff game on Saturday, December 1. Tentatively the opponent will be Presbyterian University of South Carolina, currently ranked number one in the NAIA, while SVSC was number eight last week. Because Presbyterian won't play their final game until Thanksgiving Day, the Cardinals could still find themselves vying against a different opponent if the South Carolina school would lose. The December 1 game would be played there, due to the warmer climate.

SVSC's game will be one of four regional quarterfinal games to be played on December 1. The semifinals are slated for December 8, with the NAIA championship game to follow December 15 in the Palm Bowl in McAllen, Texas.

Earlier there had been speculation that the Cardinals would be pitted against Wisconsin River Falls, but it was announced Sunday that Falls' opponent will be Angelo State College of Texas in Texas.

So it will be Presbyterian University, unless they are upset in their Thanksgiving game. Presbyterian currently has a 9-1 season record, compared with SVSC's 8-1-1 effort this fall.

CHRISTMAS MUSIC FESTIVAL SET FOR DECEMBER 10

Sacred and secular works for choir, brass and full band will be presented by SVSC music groups on Monday, December 10 at 8:00 p.m. in their second annual Combined Christmas Festival. Included will be the choirs, collegium, brass ensemble and fall concert band.

A special feature will be two magnificats by Henry Purcell and Pergolesi, which will be performed by the concert and chamber choirs with orchestra.

Early Christmas music for Renaissance instruments will come from the SVSC collegium. The brass ensemble will play traditional Christmas music, while the fall concert band will present a varied program of light music. Concluding the concert will be a festival of Christmas carols arranged by Leroy Anderson and played by the concert band.

Location for the performance is St. Thomas Aquinas Church, 5376 State St., Saginaw. Tickets will be available at the door. Ticket or concert information may be obtained from the SVSC choir office at ext. 4307.

HARRIERS THIRD IN NAIA

SVSC's Cardinals's cross country team placed third in the nation at the NAIA National Cross Country Meet Saturday in Parkside, Wisconsin.

Thirty-three regional champion schools and 300 runners competed in the meet, which was won by Colorado Adams State with 63 points. Placing second was the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse with 123 points. SVSC totaled 157, followed by Malone College of Ohio with 161.

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SVSC's sophomore Duane Johnson received All-American honors for the second time by placing ninth with a time of 25:27. Other Cardinal finishers were Brian Olsen in 30th, Spence Peterson 37th, Waldo Cabriaes 57th, Bob Duerksen 59th, Don Adams 68th and Mike Heath 73rd.

FILM TO RECOGNIZE INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF CHILD

An award winning true story will come to campus on Wednesday, December 5, when the film "Cipher in the Snow" will be shown at 4:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. by campus ministry. The film, which is being presented in recognition of the International Year of the Child, tells of a little boy no one thought was important until his sudden death one snowy morning. Message of the story is that concern should be motivated for the needs of every child and person.

The 4:00 p.m. showing will be at Campus Ministry headquarters in A unit of Great Lakes dormitory. At 10:00 p.m., the film will be shown in lower level Doan Center.

MEN'S BASKETBALLERS WIN AT WINDSOR: HOMES START NOVEMBER 28

A surge in the final two minutes enabled SVSC's men's basketball team to defeat the University of Windsor 87-80 Saturday night. After some first-half poor shooting, the Cardinals held a 32-23 halftime lead. They were actually outscored 57-55 the second half, but a three point play by senior Anthony Stephenson with one minute to play gave the Cards an 83-78 lead.

Sophomore Lewis O'Neal paced SVSC with 26 points, while Stephenson added 20 and center Jim Wing poured in 11 and senior forward Michael Plowden scored 10.

Next contest for the Cards will be on November 28, when they host Spring Arbor College in their home opener at 7:30 p.m.

POLISH YULE PARTY A TRADITION

Carols, good things to eat and Polish culture will be just part of the fun

at the second annual Polish Christmas Party on Saturday, December 15. Sponsored by SVSC's Institute of Polish Studies, the party will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the lower level and cafeteria of Doan Center.

"Our Christmas Party is intended for people of all ages and nationalities," says Dr. Anna Dadlez, Institute Director. "We're attempting to combine interesting information about Polish culture and how Christmas is celebrated. We'll be showing how to say and write Christmas greetings in Polish. This will enable people to see how interesting Polish language expressions really are."

During a social hour, participants will have a chance to sample various Polish treats such as pastries, cookies and sandwiches. In addition there will be a time to learn Polish Christmas carols and a sing-along. The sing-along will be led by a member of the Galicja dancers, an authentic dance group with roots in Poland. The words will be provided, too.

A highlight of the evening will be a slide and film presentation on Polish Christmas customs by an expert. Reservations will be required in advance to facilitate food planning. They can be made until December 15 by calling ext. 4315 daily between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Cost is \$3 for adults and \$2 for children under 12.

FOURTH LANGUAGE DAY IS BIG SUCCESS

With some 500 students representing nine area high schools in attendance, the fourth annual SVSC Foreign Language Day last Wednesday, November 14 was a big success. The department of modern foreign languages wishes to thank everyone who helped with arrangements and added a positive contribution to the day's activities.

Winning the poster contest in lower division was Jane Wade (Spanish) from Carrollton High School, while Yoshiriari Osumi (French) from Carrollton was second. In upper division the winner was Marilyn Dunker (German) of Freeland, while second was Tamara Zeigler (German), also of

Freeland. First and second places in the skit competition were both won by students from Carrollton, with the Spanish class taking first and French taking second.

Winning the dance competition was the French act from Bay City All Saints High, while Spanish students from Saginaw St. Stephens placed second. First place in the song contest went to Spanish students from Saginaw St. Mary's High, while French students from Carrollton took second.

OBSERVATORY PLANS OPEN HOUSES

A series of open house viewings is planned by the SVSC Observatory before closing for the winter months. They are slated for 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. on three successive Friday evenings, November 30, December 7 and December 14.

Local stargazers will be able to use the 16-inch celestial telescope to view such constellations as the "Great Galaxy of Andromeda" and "Ring Nebula in Lyra." Many star clusters are also visible during late fall months, and the various phases of the moon can be observed close-up.

On November 30, a movie titled "The Universe" will be shown and movies are also planned for December 7 and 14. Refreshments will be served at each event, and admission is free and open to the public. For more information about the observatory and the viewings being planned, contact Dr. Hsuan Shen (Frank) Chen at ext. 4137.

CAMPUS NOTES

--The next Science Colloquium will be held in Room 158 Pioneer Hall at 1:00 p.m. next Thursday, November 29. Speaker will be Dr. Emmett Leith, professor of electrical and computer engineering at the University of Michigan. Dr. Leith is the inventor of laser holography, and will be speaking on "White Light Holography." The lecture is free and open to the public.

--Two watercolor paintings by associate professor of art Matthew Zivich have

been selected for the Flint Institute of Art's 45th Flint Area Exhibition, and are on display there now through December 30. His original watercolors are titled "Nijinsky Series: Vaslov's Dream" and "Nijinsky Series: Le Spectre de la Rose." The juried show, sponsored by the J. L. Hudson Co., is open daily and admission is free. Zivich is also currently chairman of the regional committee for the Central Eastern Michigan Scholastic Art Awards competition.

--English professor Dr. Thomas Hearn was a local panelist on the television program "The Baxters", broadcast on WYI channel 25 on November 3. He represented the Saginaw Rape Crisis Center, where he is vice-president of the board of advisors, on the program, which dealt with the issue of marital rape.

--Two addresses on Dr. Albert Einstein were given last week by Dr. Thomas Renna, associate professor of history. He gave an address entitled "Einstein's Social Philosophy in Historical Perspective" at Delaware Technical College, as part of the 1979 Einstein's Centennial Celebration Commission of Delaware. Later in the week he read a paper about "Einstein on War and Peace" at Hofstra University, New York, as part of the International Conference on Einstein as an Intercultural and Interdisciplinary Phenomenon.

--"Polly Oliver", a recent publication by music instructor Thomas Root, is selling well in its second printing and has been added to the State of Michigan's required music list for bands in 1980. His publication was added to the Texas band list this summer and has been on the Ohio list for a year. The lists are used by thousands of music educators throughout America. "Polly Oliver" will also be officially premiered before 3,000 band and orchestra directors from the midwest in Chicago on December 15.

Two additional new publications by Root will be distributed in December. His new band textbook, "Band Power", is nearing completion and will be marketed next spring in America, Germany and Japan.

--A new special topics course titled "The American West in Fiction and Film" will be team-taught by faculty members Dr. Tom Hearron in English and John Jezierski in history during winter semester. The class will meet Monday evenings from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. and will be offered as English 259 and history 201, for three credits in history, English, social studies or humanities.

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