MARCH 11, 1980

SVSC FACULTY ACTIVE IN MICHIGAN ACADEMY MEETING

Members of the SVSC faculty will be playing a prominent role at the 84th annual meeting of the Michigan Academy of Science, Arts and Letters next Friday and Saturday, March 21-22, at Wayne State University, Detroit. In addition, the SVSC Early Music Collegium, under the direction of Dr. Eric Nisula, will present "Music of the Spanish Renaissance" as a special Friday evening event at the conference.

Dr. Thomas Renna, professor of history, is section chairperson for Medieval Studies. He will also present a paper on "Kingship as Seen by Clerics and Barons." Dr. Basil Clark, associate professor of English, will speak on "Chaucer's Science: Its Rhetorical Place in the 'Canterbury Tales'."

In the Botany section, Dr. A. Richard Koch, Jr., assistant professor of biology, will speak Friday morning on "Floristics and Ecology of Some Alabama Subaerial Diatom Communities." Dr. David S. Dalgarn, assistant professor of biology, will present a Friday afternoon paper on "Senescence of Detached Leaves."

Under the Physical Science category, Dr. Albert Plaush, associate professor of chemistry, will speak Friday morning on "Ion Binding to Nucleosides in Mixed Solvents."

Presenting a Zoology section paper Friday afternoon will be Dr. Richard J. Trdan, assistant professor of biology, and SVSC graduate W.R. Hoeh, who will speak on "The Reproductive Biology of Unionid Clams in a Northeastern Michigan Stream."

Dr. William J. Doll, associate professor of management, will speak Friday morning on "Leadership Representation in a Hospital Environment" in the Management Sciences and Health Care Administration category.

HOWELL WITH JAZZ GROUP

SVSC's Jazz Ensemble will be presenting its first concert of the 80's Monday, March 17, and will be featuring local jazz great Billy Howell.

The concert, which begins at 8 p.m. in the college theatre, will include Big Band music and jazz combo tunes. Howell will be featured on his trombone with both contemporary and traditional sounds.

Howell is director of bands and curricular consultant at Saginaw Arthur Eddy Junior High School, and has a prestigious record as both music educator and musician across the country. He has performed and recorded with such artists as Curtis Mayfield, the Chi-Lites, the Impressions, Aretha Franklin, Quincy Jones, Nancy Wilson, and Melba Moore.

Ticket prices are $2.00 for adults and $1.50 for students at the door. For more information, contact the fine arts office at ext. 4159.

DON'T FORGET YOUR LANDEE NOMINATIONS!

Your deadline for returning nominating ballots for the 1980 Frank A. Landee Award for Excellence in Teaching is coming up next week on March 20. Staff members, faculty, present and past students and alumni are all eligible to help select SVSC's best teacher.

Seventy-two faculty members are eligible for the award this year, including: Accounting - John Clinkenbeard, Russell Gingras, Lawrence Kickham; Art - Barron Hirsch, Matthew Zivich; Biology - Charles Pelzer, Walter Rathkamp, Richard Trdan,
Gene Yang; Chemistry - Arthur Andrewes, George Eastland, Berner Gorden, Samuel Levine, Peter Moehs, Albert Plaush; Economics - Hong Youl Park, Sam Sarkar; Education - John delRegato, Gamal Elashhab, Robert Meadows, Joseph Snider, Norman Sterchele, Kenneth Wahl; Engineering & Technology - Thomas Gillespie; English - Basil Clark, Rose Collamer, Kay Harley, W. Thomas Hearron, William Smith, Raymond Tyner, Mason Wang.

Also: Education/English - Bernyce Smith, Leslie Whittaker; Finance/Law - William Elliott, Wayne Mackie; History - Robert Braddock, William Hoffmann, John Jeziorski, Eric Petersen, Thomas Renna, John Willertz; Management - Albert Busch, William Doll, Kyung Su Rhee; Marketing - Shiv Arora, Frederick Webster; Mathematics - David Desautel, Diana Dowling, Joseph Matti, Rose Novey; Modern Foreign Languages - David Barker, Anna Dadlez, Lynn Herkstroeter, Jose Ricardo Pastor; Music - Charles Brown, Thomas Root; Nursing - Janalou Blecke, Pamela Chally, Lois Deleruyelle, Philosophy - David Rayfield; Physical Education - Douglas Hansen, Robert Pratt; Physics - Hsuan Chen, Suk-koo Yun; Political Science - O. Zeller Robertson, David Weaver; Psychology - Margaret Cappone, Joy Hargrove, Merlyn Mondol, Janet Robinson; Sociology - James Ford, Robert Thaler.

You are encouraged to return the simple ballot included with this week's "Interior". Please indicate your one choice for the award, along with written comments to support the nomination. Please don't forget that the deadline for returning your ballot is next Thursday, March 20.

Criteria for the award are: Prepares students academically in first rate manner, superior knowledge of subject matter, clarity and organization of presentations, ability to motivate students, respect and sensitivity towards student opinions, displays sincerity and enthusiasm in teaching, maintains high standards of academic achievement, recognized for fairness and integrity, ability to relate classroom learning to real life, shows interest and helpfulness in counseling.

ORDER COMMENCEMENT TICKETS, GOWNS NOW!

The increasing number of graduates makes it necessary to limit to five the number of guests each degree recipient may invite to this year's May 3 commencement exercises. Thus faculty and staff members will also be limited to five tickets, according to Dr. A. Jefferson Sharp, vice president for development and college relations.

If you plan to march, you will not need a ticket for yourself. However, each member of your family and each of your guests will require a ticket.

Please contact the Office of Campus Activities (information desk) in Doan Center by March 31, informing them of how many tickets you will need. Since not every faculty and staff member may choose to invite five guests, there may be extra tickets. Thus, students should order the total number of tickets needed, and they will receive five initially. If there are extra tickets, these will be distributed after March 31.

A reminder that if you need academic regalia, your order must be placed through the bookstore this week, by Friday, March 14. There will be no rental charge.

Measuring will be done in the bookstore between 9:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. this Monday through Friday and from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. through this Thursday, March 13.

Please note that commencement will be Saturday, May 3 at 1:30 p.m. in Cardinal Gymnasium. This change in date resulted from the college attempting to reduce the amount of time between the end of final examinations and graduation day.

POLISH ARTIST IN SECOND U.S. SHOWING

The fantasies of young Polish artist Walldemar Bartnicki will be on display in the arts workshop Monday, March 24 through Friday, April 18 by arrangement with the U.S. State Department of Cultural Affairs.

This will be only the second U.S. showing of Bartnicki's work, which appeared in New York in February. His work is very well-known in Europe, where he has shown in Krakow, Lodz and Warsaw.

His drawings, done in heavy ink on paper, have a mystical, folk-art quality about them which makes one feel strangely sad. His scenes are somber and delicate, with a minor key running through them, much as Polish and
Russian folk music has.

He earned his degree from the Higher School of Plastic Arts in Gdansk, Poland, his home. During his SVSC showing, the workshop will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Admission is free.

SORORITY GAINS NATIONAL CHARTER

The Delta Sigma colony of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority on SVSC's campus will be nationally chartered next Saturday, March 15.

Installation of the chapter and initiation of members will take place at 9 a.m. Saturday on campus. At noon, the members will be guests at a luncheon at Das Michigan Haus. A reception for SVSC students, parents and administration will follow at 3 p.m. in Doan Center and a formal banquet will highlight the evening at 7:00 at Sullivan's North restaurant.

Members of the sorority include president Therese Dunn, vice president Pat Leavy, secretary Kathy Sokol, and treasurers Chris Sysol and Kathy Bertschinger.

Other charter members are SVSC students Margaret Baranyai, Ann Bosenbark, Soni Besko, Donna Hrhnak, Christy Krepps, Mary Jo Lee, Pam Mills, Margaret Murphy, Rhonda Nielson, Cindi Place, Lynn Squanda and Lori Survant.

Before its installation as a national charter sorority, ASA had to meet several requirements by its national headquarters. Among these were election of officers, regular business meetings, fee collection and several projects.

ASA is the second sorority and the fourth Greek organization to go national on the SVSC campus.

BECKER NEW SVSC ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

Appointment of Robert T. Becker as director of athletics and special services here was announced last week by college president Dr. Jack M. Ryder. "We are very pleased after evaluating 20 candidates that our internal candidate stacked up exceptionally well," Ryder said.

"Bob has been with SVSC for 11 years, has considerable experience in administration and possesses fine management skills from his former role as director of business services here," the SVSC proxy noted.

"The director of athletics position is primarily a management function, and for a limited time, Bob will also continue his existing duties as director of purchasing and auxiliary services. As rapidly as possible, we will relieve him of many of those functions. As the number of sports offered by SVSC increases, the requirements of the athletic director position will demand more of his time," Ryder predicted. "Basically he will serve a combination of roles during the next year."

One of Becker's first tasks presently underway is to help select a new head football coach, where he is playing a major role. He will also continue to serve as SVSC golf coach and will coordinate the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics golf tournament, which will be hosted by SVSC at Bay Valley golf course May 27-30.

Becker played basketball for Eastern Michigan University for four years and was team captain during the last two. He also was a high jumper on the tract team there for two years and graduated with a bachelor of science degree in education in 1958.

A Saginaw native, he was an elementary teacher in Dearborn before joining the Saginaw public school system as a traveling elementary physical education teacher in 1958. He earned a master of arts in school administration from the University of Michigan in 1961 and was a social studies teacher at Arthur Hill high school before beginning a three-year stint for Saginaw public schools as director of health, physical education and safety in 1962.

After serving as purchasing agent for Saginaw public schools from 1964-68 he became director of personnel in 1968 and moved to SVSC as director of business services in 1969, a post he has held since then. He has officiated high school and college basketball and football games for 22 years.

Becker is current president of the NAIA National Golf Coaches Association and has earlier been the group's vice president and secretary/treasurer. He is vice president of the state college risk managers and belongs to the Michigan and American School Business Officers associations. He is also in the Association of College and University Housing
Officers and the American Association of School Administrators plus the National Association of Educational Buyers.

With his wife, the former Valerie A. Leverton, he resides at 2255 Mayfield Court, Saginaw, and they have three sons.

Becker succeeds Frank D. "Muddy" Waters, Jr., who resigned last month to become head football coach at Michigan State University. He will report to vice president for administration and student services Dr. Emerson D. Gilbert.

VOGEL NAMED TO NEW SVSC POST

Joseph A. Vogl has been named assistant registrar, succeeding Charles Kurzer. A resident of 3135 Shattuck Arms, Saginaw township, he was previously financial aid coordinator here. He will continue to be the college's assistant golf coach, a post held since 1976.

As assistant registrar, Vogl's duties include supervision of registration, transfer credits, microfilming and the veterans coordinator.

Vogl received his bachelor of business administration degree in management and marketing from SVSC in 1976. Before joining the financial aid office, he worked in the copy center and mail room. While in college he was captain of the SVSC golf team and a member of the all-district 23 and all-GLIAC golf teams.

Vogl is a graduate of Owosso High School, where he was on the all-conference football team in 1970 and 1971 and the 1971 all-state football team.

CAMPUS NOTES --

--The next Science Colloquium is set for Monday, March 17 at 1:30 p.m. in 238 Wickes Hall. Nina Hadden, Manager for Fluorescence Products for Varion Company will be speaking on "Clinical and Environmental Applications of Fluorescence Spectrometry." Hadden holds a degree in Chemistry from U. of M. The colloquium is open to all members of the SVSC community and guests, and refreshments will be served.

--Dr. Hsuan "Frank" Chen, professor of physics at SVSC, has recently published several papers in scientific journals. "Achromatic One-Step Rainbow Hologram Process" appeared in the November 1979 issue of "Applied Optics." A second article, "Single Beam Holography," by Chen and Paul Ruterbusch was published in the December 1979 issue of "American Journal of Physics." Ruterbusch was an SVSC physics student at the time work for the papers, supported by grants from the SVSC Foundation, was performed. He has since graduated and received the university fellowship in electrical and computer engineering from Wayne State University.

In February Chen presented a paper, "One-Step Rainbow Holography - Old and New," to the In-depth Seminar of Holography in Los Angeles. This will be published in the 1980 Society of Photo-Optical Instrumentation Engineers proceedings. SPIE proceeding 192 printed a Chen article titled "One-Step Rainbow Holographic interferometry."

--Congratulations to John Curry, director of ARA Food Services, who recently entered an A.A.U. Powerlifting meet. In a field of over 110 participants, John did remarkably well, placing in the top ten in his division. Keep it up, John!!

SVSC took first place Saturday, March 8 in the Great Lakes Conference Championship in Indoor Track for the third consecutive year. This was SVSC's second indoor championship this year after the team won the NAIA District 23 Championship February 23. SVSC had a total of 186 points, with Northwood right behind with 179, and Ferris third with 65. SVSC placed first in five events, and leading the way with a double win was Dave Stimpson, a sophomore from Saginaw Eisenhower. Stimpson is a conference champion in both the mile (4:18.65) and the 1,000-meter run (2:17.32). Other conference champions from SVSC are: John Darga - 880 (1:57.00); Joe Cotner - 2-mile (9:23.69), and Louie Iordanou setting a new conference and meet record with his perfor-
mance in the triple jump (44'11 1/4)

--The Volunteer Service of SVSC needs you! April 26-May 2, 1980 are this year's dates for the Channel 19 Great T.V. Auction. We want SVSC to take an active part in this worthwhile auction. If you are interested in helping out, or want more information, stop at the Volunteer Service office, by the Dean of Student's office, North Student Concourse, 3rd Floor, Wickes Hall or call 4294, and ask for Jill.

A Lenten Renewal Program on the "Christian Today" is scheduled for Wednesdays 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. from March 12 - April 9 in the Campus Ministry Center, A-Basement, Great Lakes Hall.

PERSONNEL

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BOARD HEARS GOOD, BAD NEWS ABOUT CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Final planning money for instructional facility number two and initial funds to begin planning for physical education facilities at SVSC were signed into law by Governor William Milliken this weekend, the Board of Control learned Monday at its monthly session. However, the governor vetoed a line item in the same bill which would have provided $600,000 in state funds to complete the construction drawings for the new heating and cooling plant. "This is unfortunate for us, but things could change next year," noted President Jack Ryder.

"We can build 1F2 without the heating and cooling plant, but this will increase its cost and reduce our number of fuel options. Thus it will cost us more operating funds. It appears that no new construction starts or drawings were supported by the governor in the bill," Ryder said.

The President noted that when and if more state bonds are sold under the $400,000 bonding proposition, it will be possible to move ahead with 1F2. The funds just approved include money to complete construction drawings for 1F2 and to begin planning of physical education facilities here.

Ryder reported on the more active role in higher education now being played by the Senate Education Committee. "The Legislature is showing an increasing level of interest in the future of higher education and that's a very positive development," he said. Together with President Harold Shapiro of the University of Michigan, Ryder recently testified on prospects for the next decade. This state has great opportunities for employment and to play a leadership role as new technology bursts on the scene in the next few years. "We have an opportunity to contribute to technological development, but decreasing relative support for higher education in recent years has meant that the amount spent in Michigan per capita on higher education has been falling relative to other states.

"As we view declining enrollments between now and the early 1990's, it's important that the legislature not just look at the state as a whole, but instead see where the people are. We're in the center of the population. It's important to note that we're one of the fastest growing schools, and that our student population is growing in age as well, meaning that the number of 18 year old students already is less critical here than at residential colleges. Many of the people attending here simply can't go off to those other schools, but they should have the opportunity to pursue their educations.

"We do need the buildings requested now and we expect our enrollment to increase over the next five years to about 5,000 students or possibly somewhat more.... it's important that we in Michigan maintain adequate support for higher education. With our dorms filled to over-capacity for next fall, I'm very optimistic about our future and am extremely hopeful SVSC will soon get the buildings needed as we move ahead," he said.

The Board next considered a resolution regarding tenure for four faculty members. Dr.
Arthur Majewski felt he needed more information before voting. "We should get a list of who has been rejected and why, as well as why these were approved. Academic affairs vice president Dr. Robert Yien indicated that all requests for tenure go through a lengthy series of approvals and President Ryder indicated these procedures are part of the faculty contract. Trustee Florence Saltzman said the requests for tenure also go through a board committee before coming to the full group, and felt her only question is how can the college bring in new and young faculty members if a full department becomes tenured. Ryder indicated the college is considering a variety of ways to assure that faculty members are stimulated and updated, such as in-service education, individual projects and seminars. Tenure was then unanimously granted to associate professor of marketing Dr. Shiv Arora, associate professor of English Dr. Basil Clark, associate professor of economics Dr. Hong Y. Park and professor of marketing Dr. Frederick Webster.

In other action, the Board agreed that the Division of Placement and Continuing Education Services could be authorized to award Continuing Education Units (CEU's) to acknowledge participation in non-credit education programs, such as short courses, workshops, seminars and conferences. In most cases, 10 hours of participation are required for one CEU, which is used as a measurement by many of professional growth.

Next six resolutions were adopted which extended congratulations to academic and athletic groups which have reached high levels of success in recent months. Praise for exceptional scores on professional examinations was extended to the School of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences for high scores on the 1979 state board of nursing exams, and to that School and the Department of Medical Technology for a 100% pass rate on the National Medical Technology exam. The School of Business and Management and Department of Accounting were lauded for the high success rate of our accounting graduates on the state C.P.A. exam. Only the U of M and MSU produced graduates with a higher average pass rate.

Congratulatory resolutions were also approved for the men's basketball team, which won the district and GLIAC championships, the indoor track team which did the same, and the bowling team, which won the MIBT championship over all Michigan colleges which competed.

Ryder announced the appointments of Robert T. Becker as director of athletics and special services, and Joseph Vogl as new assistant registrar. He indicated the college is not anticipating any additional money will be needed for athletics because of splitting the A.D. and head football coach jobs. "Right now it appears we will be spending somewhat less money, and we are restructuring and evaluating the whole staff. Although the A.D. job will eventually be full-time, right now Bob will be approximately a 50% A.D. even though the job will likely require a 150% effort. The new football coach's role will be configured somewhat different from the past; the new coach will likely do more recruiting because he will not also be A.D. The coach will carry on more functions than just coaching," Ryder predicted.

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1980 LANDEE AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

Nomination Ballot

Name of Nominee

Please explain your selection below:

Your name Dept.

Please return to LANDEE Selection Committee
By Campus Mail before March 30, 1980!!!