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### COLLEGE TO BE CLOSED FRIDAY

In observance of the Friday, July 4 legal holiday, all regular operations at SVSC will be closed that day. Normal activities resume next Monday, July 7. July 4 paychecks will be distributed Thursday, July 3, at the regular time.

### "CAMPUS LIFE" RENAMED "STUDENT LIFE"

Administrative areas of the college reporting to dean of students Dr. Philip E. Beal have been named collectively as "Student Life," replacing the previous designation of "Campus Life." Included under "Student Life" will be the dean of students' office, health services, housing operations, intramural sports and activities, personal counseling, residential programs, student activities and student orientation.

### ONLY TWENTY SEATS LEFT FOR TIGER GAME

Only twenty seats are left on the bus scheduled to leave campus at 5:00 p.m., Friday, July 25, for the Detroit Tigers' baseball game versus the Oakland A's.

Some good and bad news was received from Tiger Stadium this week. Box seats for the game have been sold out, but the good news is that reserved seats near the bull pen in left field will lower the cost from \$18 to \$17 per person. Included for that amount is bus fare, game ticket plus refreshments and munchies on the bus.

To make your reservation, please call Nancy Deike at ext. 4112, Alice Cornejo at 4108 or Patti Zimmer at 4101.

### POLISH WOMEN OFFER LESSON IN RESPECT

If you're a lady and feel you don't get any respect, consider taking a lesson from women in Poland. "Females there are held in high

esteem because they demand to be appreciated," says Iwona Koziol, a pert 23-year old Wroclaw University student from Poland who has been attending SVSC during spring session.

"Women in my country have the same rights as men and expect to be appreciated. They demand more and the men go along," she explains.

It's not that men are the weaker sex in Poland, but rather they have traditionally looked up to women there. According to Koziol, "It's the socially accepted thing to do. One thing life demands of men is courtesy to women."

Although women in Eastern Europe are strong-willed, assertive, aggressive and demand attention from men, they're also very feminine, she says, "Women are not the weaker sex; instead they are different from men and want to be. They hold virtually all jobs that men do and always have. Yet their role as mother is equally important and they play a special role in society."

Respect also brings greater courtesy, she believes. "The relationship between men and women is very romantic. The man is almost expected to bring flowers home to his wife. In social situations when meeting a woman, the man will kiss her hand. In doing so, he is merely extending courtesy and is not being 'forward'."

Koziol has found there are more men her age than women, but such has not always been the case. Prolonged and persistent wars have ravaged her country for more than a century, and it's only been since World War II that the increased birth rate of men has caught up with casualty losses. Because of the wars, women had to be strong to deal with life's many problems, and their resulting feeling of independence has

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been conveyed to children.

"As a result, the word 'discrimination' does not exist in the Polish language. Women have had an equal status with men in society because they've been required to fill many of the social roles men occupy in America," she indicates.

Thus Polish women are more self-assertive than here, "but you only say hello to your friends. If you smile too much, some men may think you want to be picked up. Good taste requires you to be a little bit stand-offish.

"Men hate submissive women. A male reasons that if you are submissive with him, you probably are with others, too. Some forms of politeness are an invitation there," she points out. "Men don't talk to women they don't know."

During her brief stay at SVSC, Koziol has been surprised "how everybody is so kindly and friendly." The distance between students and the professor is much greater back home, with a considerably more formal atmosphere.

Only the best students get to go on to college in Poland, she notes. Although she was one of 400 students competing for admission to the English language program at the University of Wroclaw, there were only 40 places, and a rigorous oral and written examination selected her for the program.

But once you've been admitted to college in Poland, there is no worry about paying educational costs. Unlike here, the Polish government pays all educational costs. "There you worry about exams and collecting signatures from instructors in 12 or 13 courses at a time confirming completion of class requirements. In America, students appear much more bothered about finding the money to pay their educational costs."

Although she had to take a score of examinations during her final month back home and had to receive special permission from numerous sources to come here, she thinks the experience has been well worth the inconvenience.

## PLANNING RESOURCES COUNCIL BUSY DURING SUMMER MONTHS

Members of SVSC's 11-member planning resource council met last week with the college executive committee to review progress they are making in developing a long-range planning process for the college. Two subcommittees, chaired by deans Crystal M. Lange and William K. Barnett, are working with committee members on separate projects. Dr. Ann K. Dickey, director of institutional research and planning, is responsible for coordinating the overall planning process.

Dean Lange's task force is responsible for identifying all of the activities which must be accomplished during the first planning cycle of 1980-81. Her group is working toward proposing a timetable for accomplishing these activities and intends to keep the college community well informed about both planning activities and results. Her subgroup includes student government president Rich Gill, budget director James Muladore and faculty members Drs. Walter Rathkamp and Janet Robinson.

Dean Barnett's task force is responsible for proposing the content and form of historical and current year data which will be prepared this summer for distribution in early fall to those departments which will engage in formal planning during the next school year. The group includes Muladore, director of admissions Richard Thompson, student representative Jill Slasinski and faculty members Drs. Douglas Hansen and Hong Park. During the first year of formal planning, participating units include all academic departments, the division of placement and continuing education, the athletic department and a number of student services departments.

For specific assignments, Hansen will investigate the use of computers and other high technology devices in college instruction, along with non-traditional delivery systems for higher education under the topic of educational technology. Muladore is studying the net cost of attending SVSC including the impact of financial aid, while Park will evaluate the various projections of the labor market for college graduates between now and 1985.

Robinson and Thompson will scrutinize and revise the long range enrollment projections for the college which were prepared in 1977.

Barnett is designing a form on which to provide information for academic departments. Dickey is working on instructions to academic departments and student services departments regarding how to prepare a long range plan, while Hansen is providing advice on similar preparations for the athletic department.

#### SUMMER SOFTBALL LEAGUE OPEN TO ALL COLLEGE EMPLOYEES

All SVSC academic and administrative departments are invited to participate in SVSC's summer softball league, with team rosters due to the intramural department no later than Friday, July 11. Games will be slow-pitch and will be played after 4:30 p.m., with each team allowed a maximum of 15 players. Participants must either work for the department on whose team they play or be an immediate family member of a person who works there. For information on how to participate, contact Paul DeGuise at ext. 4260.

#### CAMPUS NOTES --

--Food services director John Curry attended a three-day A.R.A. management conference in Southfield last week. Sessions dealt with self and employee motivation as well as time management for the 1980's. John was named an honorary instructor for his contributions to the sessions, attended by 28 representatives from various types of institutions served by A.R.A.

--Parking attendant Glen W. Gerish and his wife, Adeline, of Essexville will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on Wednesday, July 16. It is believed that Glen is SVSC's first employee to be observing a golden wedding anniversary while in active service to the College.

--That new oak tree located near SVSC's bus stop was recently donated by the McDonald Nursery of Saginaw and planted by state representative Jim Barcia and President Jack Ryder in observance of the July 1 "Free Enterprise Day." Lila Ryder was hostess for a cake cutting ceremony which followed the Saturday tree planting. Attendees included persons on campus for the annual alumni picnic.

--Bumper stickers available without charge. If you'd like a free "Follow Me to SVSC" bumper sticker for your car, your copy is available by phoning the information services office at ext. 4054. Also offered without charge are window decals printed on clear mylar for the back window of your auto. Four-and-a-half inch diameter SVSC Cardinal iron-on transfers have also been received, for use on jackets, T-shirts or similar clothing. These are available with white ink for use on red or blue and red ink for use on white.

Information services office will soon be ordering attractive new address labels with the college name for distribution by September 1. These will be used primarily on large (9" x 12") envelopes and packages. These will be offered for approximately \$26 per thousand. We're also ordering red SVSC ballpoint pens for next year, and will be glad to include your request in a bulk order which will reduce the price considerably. Call John Rummel for details.

--Separate directories for SVSC employees (faculty/staff) and for students will be printed this fall. Final deadline for the faculty/staff edition is Tuesday, July 15. If any of your data has changed since a year ago, please submit the form included with last week's Interior or call ext. 4054 now. If your picture has not as yet been taken or you look better (or different) from fall 1979, we'd appreciate having you phone us now for a two minute appointment. Final deadline for photos will be next Friday, July 11.

--Everything's coming up roses for Ruth Gomez, project aide for the Bilingual/Bicultural Program. For the past four years Ruth has been raising roses, and this year a neighbor encouraged her to enter the annual Saginaw Rose Society contest held June 23 at Fashion Square Mall. Ruth's entry, an orange-blend rose named "Montezuma," won a first place rosette in novice division.

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## SVSC CALENDAR OF EVENTS -- JULY 1980

- July 1 - Students in Free Enterprise under the direction of Dr. Shiv K. Arora will be celebrating "Free Enterprise Day" in Michigan with a booth at Fashion Square Mall. The students will be distributing fliers and information telling how free enterprise has made America great. For more information call the SVSC students in free enterprise project at ext. 4232 or 4301.
- 2 - Delayed Registration, Summer Semester
- 4 - INDEPENDENCE DAY - College closed
- 7 - Summer Semester classes begin
- 7-8 - Freshman Orientation for new students enrolling in SVSC's fall 1980 semester
- 10-11 - Freshman Orientation for new students enrolling in SVSC's fall 1980 semester
- 13-15 - SVSC-SIFE students in Dallas for national competition
- 14-15 - Freshman Orientation for new students enrolling in SVSC's fall 1980 semester
- 16-20 - Badgerette Pom Pon Training Camp. For more information or registration contact SVSC office of continuing education at ext. 4066.
- 25 - SVSC staff trip to Tiger baseball game. For more information call Patti Zimmer at ext. 4101, Alice Cornejo at 4108 or Nancy Deike at 4112.
- 25-27 - Marriage Encounter Workshop held on campus from 5:00 p.m. on Friday through 9:00 p.m. Sunday. Registration fee includes meals and dormitory rooms. Enrollment is limited for this enrichment-type program; contact Mike Hornsby at 799-9709 or Karen Gates at 792-6523 for information.
- 29-Aug.1- Firebird Cheerleaders Camp. For more information or registration contact SVSC office of continuing education at ext. 4066.