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SVSC WELCOMES NEW FACULTY, STAFF MEMBERS

The continuing rapid growth in student numbers attending SVSC has brought a corresponding increase in the number of faculty and staff members serving them this fall. So that you'll know more about the backgrounds and experiences of these people as you meet them in future months, we're pleased to enclose the following thumbnail sketches about them for your information. New faculty members include:

SALLY A. DECKER is a new instructor of nursing for fall semester. She received her B.S. in nursing degree from the University of Maryland in 1972 and her M.S.N. from the University of North Carolina in 1978. She was previously employed at the University of North Carolina School of Medicine and Research.

FAITH A. (TAIT) EDWARDS is also an instructor of nursing. Already familiar to some of us because of her past part-time experience at SVSC as a laboratory specialist, she was married this past summer and is currently working on her master's degree at the University of Michigan. She received a B.S. in 1976 from Northern Michigan University.

DR. TERUO (TERRY) ISHIHARA has joined SVSC as a professor of mechanical engineering technology. He previously was a faculty member at Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology, Terre Haute, Indiana, and received his Ph.D. degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Arizona last year. His hometown is Ogden, Utah.

DR. LOUIS R. JACOBY was hired as an instructor of accounting. He earned B.S., M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Michigan as well as an M.S. from CMU. He has been a consultant in urban and regional planning and a substitute teacher for the Bay City public schools and is a valley native.

JOAN L. KANE is a new instructor of nursing. She received her B.S.N. from the College of Nursing and Health, University of Cincinnati, in 1951 and an M.S. in nursing from Texas Women's University, Denton, Texas, in 1978. She previously worked for Mott Community College in Flint.

JANET M. LANG is an instructor of marketing. She received her B.A. degree from Augustana College in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, and she received her M.A. degree from MSU in 1976 and her M.B.A. there in 1976. She formerly was director of marketing at A.T.E. Management and Service Company, Inc.

DR. ALFRED R. MENARD, III is a new assistant professor of physics. He earned his M.A. in 1969 from the University of Minnesota and Ph.D. from the University of Florida in 1974. Last year he was assistant professor of physics at Washington and Jefferson College, Washington, Pennsylvania.

IAN A. MINERS joined SVSC this summer as an assistant professor of management. He is a Ph.D. candidate at the College of Social Science, MSU, and received his master of labor and industrial relations degree there in 1975. He previously was a research assistant in the College of Labor and Industrial Relations at MSU.

DR. GRETCHEN M. MOONINGHAM has been hired as an assistant professor of mathematics. She holds a 1966 A.B. degree from Converse College, 1969 master's degree from the University of South Carolina and earned her Ph.D. from Texas Technical University in 1974. Last year she was a part-time instructor at SVSC and earlier taught at Mohawk Valley Community College.

PATRICIA ANN RAE joins SVSC as a new assistant professor of social work. She received her bachelor's degree from Rosary College, River Forest, Illinois, in 1960, and her

master of social work degree from WMU in 1978. Last year she was an instructor of social work at CMU.

MAARTEN A. REILINGH joins SVSC as instructor of speech/theatre. He is a Ph.D. candidate at Bowling Green State University and received a master's degree in theatre in 1977 from State University of New York at Binghamton. He was formerly a teaching associate at Humanities Cluster College, Bowling Green State University. He is a native of Leerdam, The Netherlands.

DR. MICHAEL J. SOVANSKY comes to SVSC as an assistant professor of business law. He holds a B.A. degree from York College, City University of New York, and his juris doctor degree from the Thomas Cooley Law School, Lansing. A native of New York City, he has been a law clerk for Circuit Judge Joseph R. McDonald, Saginaw, this past year.

DR. JAMES E. SYPHERS is an associate professor of social work. In 1965 he received a master of social work degree from the University of Pittsburgh and in 1978 earned his Ph.D. degree in education from Walden University. Last year he was an assistant professor of human services at Lincoln University.

DR. EDUARDO URBINA is a new assistant professor of Spanish. He received an M.A. in Spanish from the University of California, Berkeley, in 1975 and his Ph.D. in Hispanic literatures there in 1979. Last year he was a lecturer at the University of California.

MARGARET S. WHEELER has joined SVSC as an assistant professor of nursing. She received a B.S.N. degree at the Medical College of Virginia School of Nursing, Richmond, Virginia, and her M.S.N. from the Vanderbilt University School of Nursing, Nashville, Tennessee, in 1959. She previously worked at Tennessee State University School of Nursing in Nashville.

New staff members who have come to SVSC this year include:

DAVID W. BERTIE is SVSC's new athletic trainer/equipment manager. After receiving his B.S. in education from CMU, he earned an M.A. degree from Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, where he was a graduate assistant this

past year teaching physical education service courses. He is a native of L'Anse.

DR. ALISTAIR M. BRETT joined SVSC as dean of the school of science, engineering and technology on August 18. He holds a bachelor's degree from Chelsea College of Advanced Technology, University of London, and received his Ph.D. degree in physics from Drexel University, Philadelphia. A native of Cottingham, England, he was associate professor and chairperson for the Department of Chemistry and Physical Science at Philadelphia College of Textiles and Science before coming here.

MARY ANNE LUSTGRAAF is the new coordinator of student activities and orientation. She received her B.A. in social science from the University of Northern Colorado and her M.A. in adult and higher education at Montana State University, where she was employed in the office of student affairs and services.

DENISE C. OTTINGER was hired as coordinator of residential life. She holds B.S. and M.A. degrees from Bowling Green State University and was director of the Goldsworth Valley III dormitory complex at WMU this past year.

PAUL H. SAFT came to campus as registrar on July 29. His degrees include a B.S. in business earned in 1969 from Indiana University, where he also received a 1975 M.S. in education, in college personnel administration. For the past five years he has been registrar at Indiana University-Northwest.

MARK A. SIMONS is serving a dual role as part-time admissions counselor and part-time head basketball coach and assistant basketball coach. He received a bachelor's degree in biology and physical education from Aquinas College, Grand Rapids, in 1972 and a 1976 master's degree there in aquatic biology. He has been a part-time assistant basketball coach at SVSC for the past four years and taught school in Saginaw and Birch Run during that time.

CAROL THOMAS is new head resident for the dormitories through SVSC's office of residential life. She holds a bachelor of science degree from CMU, where she is completing her master's degree in guidance and counseling.

We welcome all these new faculty and staff

members to campus and hope you will join us in helping to make them a part of the SVSC family.

CAMPUS NOTES --

--We'll be pleased to publish any items of forthcoming events, personal accomplishments by campus people or other things of interest to the general SVSC family if you'll simply bring these to our attention. News items for the "Interior" must be received at the office of information services, Wickes Annex (ext. 4054) no later than Friday at 4:30 p.m. for publication on the following Tuesday.

The "Valley Vanguard" also welcomes news items, which will be accepted until 4:00 p.m. Tuesday on a week an edition will be published. According to Vanguard editor Elizabeth Virgin, there will be no exceptions to this policy.

Neither the "Interior" nor the "Valley Vanguard" can guarantee publication of items on a particular date, since space limitations sometimes require editorial decisions regarding items to be printed on a given date. In general, items should be submitted as early as possible to assure inclusion in the desired issue of either publication.

--The Valley Film Society, in cooperation with SVSC's student activities office, has scheduled 17 films for the 1980-81 season in Wickes lecture hall. Meeting time is 7:30 p.m., with short films including some academy award winners to be shown at 7:45 p.m. Features will be viewed at 8:00 p.m. While regular memberships cost \$15 for the year, these will be prorated based on the number of remaining films. Students can join for a \$5 fee. For program information, call 799-6203, 893-2396 or 835-2270.

Coming films during fall semester include "Greaser's Palace" on September 19, "To Be or Not To Be" on October 3, "King's Row" on October 17, "The American Friend" on November 7, "The Knack" on November 21, "The Marvelous Visit" on December 5, and "Silent Comedies" and "Sunrise" on December 19.

--Weaving instructor Martha Collins Yeatman is displaying the construction "Positive-Lift/Axis" at the Central Region Exhibition

of Michigan Artists 80/81, on now through October 17 at the Midland Center for the Arts. Her work is a primitiv-kite-form in the crafts, painting and sculpture section. After majoring in art at SVSC for her B.A. degree, Yeatman received her master of arts degree in fiber design from CMU and has also studied at the Kalamazoo Institute of Art and Wellesley College, Massachusetts. She has also exhibited at the 1980 Mid-Michigan Exhibition, 1979 Saginaw Art Museum annual show and Divergence '79 at Aquinas College, where she received the Judges' Choice Award from the Handweavers Guild of America.

--Tickets are on sale now for the Sunday, October 5 performance by Maynard Ferguson at SVSC's gymnasium. The 8:00 p.m. show will include his 13-piece jazz band, with tickets available for \$7 per person from campus activities at ext. 4260.

--Coach Jim Larkin's fighting Cardinals football team notched its second win 13-10 over the University of Evansville Saturday night. Kirk McCarty kicked a 28-yard field goal for a 3-0 lead, but Evansville went ahead 7-3 after a touchdown pass in the second quarter. McCarty also found the range on a 45-yarder, giving the Aces a 7-6 halftime lead. After Evansville scored a field goal of its own early in the third quarter, SVSC's Sylvester Bush scored from four yards out late in the third quarter and there was no further scoring. Starting quarterback Rusty Mandell was injured in the second quarter, but freshman Mike Zolnieriek proved a good replacement, connecting on eight of 13 passes for 106 yards.

--SVSC's cross-country team won its fourth Ferris Invitational title in as many outings Saturday with a team total of 37 points. Jackson Community College finished second with 65 and Ferris third with 78. Waldo Cabriaes was SVSC's top finisher, taking fourth place with a time of 27:38. Other Cardinals finished in the top 10 were John Stadwick in sixth, Rich Hunter in eighth, Ed LaBair in ninth and John Adams in 10th. Coach Doug Hansen points out that the team's splits -- time between finishers -- were the best ever, with only a 26-second split between the first and fifth SVSC finisher, 33 seconds between one and seven and 59 between one and ten.

SVSC EXCHANGE STUDENTS WITNESS POLISH WORKER STRIKE

When they left in June for two months' study at the University of Poznan, Poland, four SVSC students expected adventure and expanded horizons. But they got even more than they bargained for.

They began to sense something in the air soon after their arrival in Poland and some five weeks before it made world headlines, they were aware of the developing strike by Polish workers.

"We knew almost immediately that something was going on," says Colleen Gulvas, 4081 Green Isle Way, Saginaw. "The people were very restless, but at first we didn't know the cause. People did not talk about it very much. The Russian influence prevents much discussion -- Polish people do not want to risk their intervention."

Delphine Atkins, 1322 Lamson, Saginaw, confirmed Gulvas' observations. "The Polish people do not discuss the strike openly," she notes, "but I think it has strengthened their will to seek human rights. They have a strong sense of nationality and want to maintain their identity."

All of the exchange students were impressed by the spirit and national pride of their Polish hosts. "They are very brave people," believes Michael Hanley, 418 Adams, Saginaw. The students observed that the military was very much in evidence and the Russian influence always present, and were awed by the desire of the Polish to survive as an independent nation in spite of all odds.

They were also somewhat surprised by the extent of expression of religious beliefs. "The visit by the Pope was very important to them," feels Gulvas. David Gilmour, 4492 Warren, Bridgeport, points out that the Poles are extremely proud of Polish Americans such as Muskie and Brzezinski who have U.S. governmental posts.

The groups agreed that, by American standards, life is hard in Poland, but it only seems to make the Poles more determined. "Consumer goods are scarce in Poland," says Atkins. "You stand in line for everything you buy, even food items."

In spite of their lack of luxury items, the Poles were warm and gracious hosts and did everything possible to make their guests' stay pleasant.

"Our instructor took us to see many places in Poland in his own car. He also drove us for a visit to Czechoslovakia when he learned that my family originated in that country," reports Gulvas.

"Our whole stay was a positive experience," adds Gilmour. "There is a marvelous learning atmosphere in Poland. It is rich in art and culture that is far different from anything we had experienced at home."

The students were members of the first exchange group resulting from an exchange agreement between the University of Poznan and SVSC. While in Poland, they took classes with all tuition and other costs provided by the University of Poznan. The SVSC students found that they received preferential treatment compared to other U.S. college students studying at the university, and feel that this is because the SVSC institute of Polish studies is so highly regarded there.

During the 1980-81 academic year, SVSC junior Barbara Grey will study in Poznan as part of the exchange program. In return, SVSC will host guest instructor Eugeniusz (Eugene) Siedliski from the University of Poznan. Siedliski arrived in Saginaw in time for the beginning of fall semester classes last week. In addition to guest lectures, he plans to coordinate a course in Polish music and dance.

FACULTY-STAFF DIRECTORIES AVAILABLE

SVSC's attractive new 1980-81 faculty and staff directories have arrived on campus and should be delivered to you today. If yours is not received by Thursday or you need additional copies, please call the mail room at ext. 4278 or information services at ext. 4054. We appreciate everyone's cooperation in moving up the publication date for this year's edition.