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VOLUMES STACK UP IN SVSC LIBRARY--

-- 100,000 volumes, to be exact. According to Dr. Michael M. Lee, that landmark was reached by the SVSC library and learning resources center in July just before Lee completed his duties at SVSC.

According to information compiled by the library staff, SVSC started the 1965-66 academic year with 1,530 volumes, including more than 1,200 titles. In subsequent years annual acquisitions have ranged from 1,554 titles to more than 16,000 volumes. Some 4,700 volumes were added during the current school year.

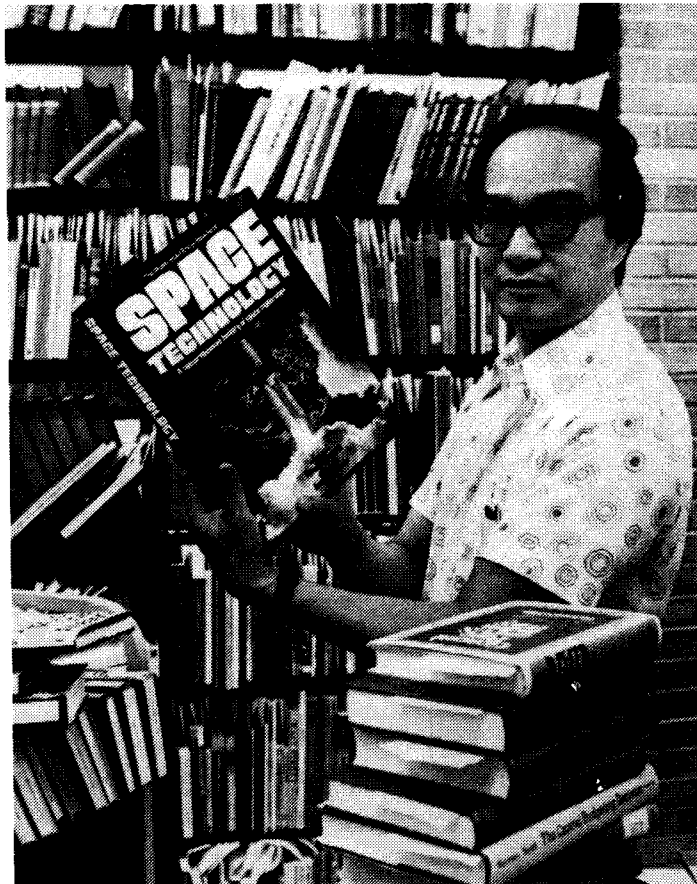
Besides its book collection, SVSC's library contains current periodicals, microfilm, microfiche, bound periodicals and pamphlets. Library administrators note they significantly increased the number of non-book materials this year, reflecting a stronger demand for research information.

The SVSC library is earning a reputation for its ability to provide research materials. Statistics kept by the Valley Library Consortium which links SVSC, Delta College and Saginaw Public libraries show that people are borrowing more reference books and materials from us than from other sources.

SVSC tied into the On-line Computer Library Center (OCLC) network in 1980, and later added another computer system for internal cataloging and linkage with the Valley Library Consortium. OCLC is a national network with over 2,000 members. It is possible for College librarians to locate and request a book or periodical article through its data base, and provide it to a borrower in as little as three or four days.

In addition, SVSC has a computerized data base search program offered since July 1981. Called Bibliographic Retrieval Services (BRS), it offers a comprehensive topical listing of published sources. Users can determine what information is available in their research field and make arrangements for obtaining it.

Dorothy Horwath is interim director of library and learning resources for SVSC. Under her direction, the staff will continue progress toward computerizing library services.



COMMUNITY INVITED TO JOIN SVSC CONCERT CHOIR

Dr. Eric Nisula, assistant professor of music at SVSC, wants to make this year's fall concert twice as good as previous performances. To do so, he's planning a double choir concert.

Joining vocal forces with the SVSC concert choir will be members of the Bay Chorale. Together they will perform Antonio Vivaldi's "Beatus Vir" for double choir and double orchestra. The two choirs will be accompanied by a professional orchestra including members of the Saginaw, Midland and Detroit Symphonies.

SVSC's concert choir is open to community singers, whether or not they are full-time students at SVSC. According to Nisula, the primary requirements for membership are an interest in good music and regular appearance at rehearsals, scheduled on Tuesday and Thursdays at 11:00 a.m. beginning September 7 in SVSC's '68 building.

"Neither an outstanding voice nor extraordinary music reading ability is really necessary," Nisula notes. "Most singers, no matter how 'average' they consider themselves to be, improve tremendously through the semester of rehearsals. By concert time they have a powerful command of the music and are enjoying themselves immensely," he adds.

In addition to "Beatus Vir", the concert will present music by Willan, Arcadelt and Gretchaninof. To conclude the performance, the orchestra will provide accompaniment for a carol sing, with the audience invited to join in.

Choir members can earn academic credit for participation, or they may join on a non-credit basis. For more information about the SVSC concert choir, please call ext. 4307. Membership is open to all interested singers, and activities include the Christmas concert and a winter tour.

AUSTRIAN PINES AVAILABLE

If you've always wanted a healthy pine tree to add a finishing touch to your landscaping, consider an Austrian pine purchased from SVSC. The trees are priced at \$75 each, and assistance is available for transplanting on your site. SVSC's tree

spade can be rented for \$65 per hour, with an additional charge of \$1 per mile for distances greater than 20 miles.

The trees average 18 feet in height and will be available August 3 through December 15, weather permitting. Employees interested in purchasing a tree should contact Tom Ferguson, director of plant services, at ext. 4080.

SVSC FOUNDATION NAMES COORDINATOR OF ANNUAL FUNDS

Pamella B. F. Binder has joined the SVSC Foundation as Coordinator of Annual Funds. Her appointment was effective August 2.

Mrs. Binder's responsibilities include coordination of the annual and athletic funds, plus special events and social activities sponsored by the Foundation. She will also organize community volunteers for SVSC's annual business commitment program.

Since 1979 Mrs. Binder has been executive director of All Saints Educational Foundation, Inc. in Bay City. Prior to that, she served as administrative assistant to the Press Club of Grand Rapids, and was health education/public relations director for the Kent County unit of American Cancer Society. She holds a bachelor of arts degree in health education earned at San Jose State University in California.

She and her husband Charles reside in Bay City.

SUMMER SNACK BAR HOURS ANNOUNCED

Food service director John Curry has announced that the snack bar in Doan Center will be closed from August 9 through September 3. Regular hours will resume the afternoon of September 6 when fall semester students begin dormitory check-in.

HELP SAVE ENERGY!

Employees are reminded that SVSC can reduce energy consumption by conserving use of air conditioning units. Office areas which have individual units should allow temperatures to reach 78 degrees or more before turning the units on. Employees are also requested to be sure that windows are closed and air conditioning units turned off before leaving the office.

CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE CHANGES

Cross country fans will have a chance to see some of the nation's top teams in action on the SVSC campus this fall. The Cardinals will host a pair of home meets, a change from the previously released schedule.

The Ferris Invitational scheduled for September 18 has been scratched and the Cardinals will host the SVSC Invitational on that date.

The Eastern Michigan University Invitational has been moved from October 23 to October 30. SVSC cross country coach Dr. Doug Hansen has filled the open date with the SVSC Open.

The Cardinals are hoping to improve on consecutive third-place finishes in the NAIA national meet which closed each of the past three seasons. SVSC finished second the previous two years.

OUTLOOK BRIGHT FOR TENNIS TEAM

The SVSC women's tennis team is taking giant strides for a youthful program. Awaiting the start of the 1982 season, coach Brian Gano appears to have improved the squad's potential with outstanding recruiting success during the summer.

Gano feels any of his top four recruits could move into the top three singles slots. That comes as quite a surprise, considering the Cardinals return each of their top three players. Last year they represented District 23 in the NAIA nationals, quite an accomplishment for their second year of competition.

FALL REGISTRATION SET

Registration for fall semester classes is set for Tuesday and Wednesday, August 10 and 11. On Tuesday, seniors and graduate students may select classes between 9:00 and 11:00 a.m., and juniors begin at 11:00 a.m. Stations are closed from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. when they reopen for sophomores. Registration is open to all students from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, plus 9:00 a.m. to noon and 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. Wednesday. A final sign-up period is set for August 31-September 2, with late registration from September 7-10. For more information, please call ext. 4200.

ACROSS CAMPUS--

--Dr. William G. Elliott, professor of business law at SVSC, has been awarded a fellowship from the Research and Educational Trust Fund of the Mortgage Bankers Association of America. The grant will cover the cost of tuition, room and board, textbooks and travel expenses for a mortgage banking seminar held at the University of Notre Dame from September 26 through October 2.

--James E. Florczak of Winnetka, Illinois, has been named an officer in the special industries services department of Continental Illinois National Bank and Trust Company of Chicago. He graduated from SVSC in 1973 with a bachelor of arts degree and later earned a master of arts from the University of Michigan and an M.B.A. from the University of Chicago.

--Sadako Hashimoto, assistant professor in the department of English literature at Tokushima Bunri University, Tokushima, Japan, was a recent visitor to the SVSC campus. Professor Hashimoto, in the U.S. for a convention of Zonta International, toured SVSC facilities and met with college personnel to learn about higher education in Tokushima's sister city.

--At least two SVSC staffers have become active campaigners for the upcoming primary elections. The husbands of Kathy Meinschein Lewis and Rosalie Riegle Troester are both candidates for probate judge, and the ladies have been busy assisting them with distribution of literature, plus other campaign tasks. They pass along a reminder to take time to vote for the candidate(s) of your choice.

--Marilyn Frahm, director of information services, recently served on the selection committee for the Tuscola County Bean Queen. The queen and her court assist with the promotion of the dry bean industry, and note that some 90 percent of all navy beans are raised in the Saginaw Valley.

--Susan Light, recent SVSC graduate, presented her honors thesis last Wednesday in the faculty lounge. A business major, Ms. Light's thesis was titled "An Integration of Human Motivation Theories."

--Darryl Moon (Financial Aids) and his wife Pam are the parents of a new baby girl, Lindsey Rene, born July 14. Best wishes!

POM-PONS AND CHEERS AT SVSC

What could be more cheering than a pom-pom squad performing synchronized routines and chants on a sunny summer afternoon? The answer might be "a dozen pom-pom squads" -- and that's just what happened at SVSC last month. Varsity and junior varsity teams representing nine area schools took part in the Mid-American Pom-Pon Association camp held here July 22-25.

Camp director was Karen Blazaitis, an SVSC graduate who formed the Mid-Michigan Pom-Pon Association. Because attendance at her camps has grown each year, her organization has expanded and been renamed. Her staff includes her sister, Dawn Laatsch, a student at Eisenhower High School, plus Douglas MacArthur High School graduates Missy Plambeck and Mary Lee.

Most girls who attended the camp found it challenging, but rewarding. They learned new techniques and new routines, and competed for ribbons and trophies. Competitions were scheduled each evening, with a

final performance Sunday, July 25. Awards were presented in various categories, including spirit and skill.

The Freeland High School squad, pictured below, shows the cheerful dedication typical of those enrolled in the camp. Other schools represented included Birch Run, Durand, Eisenhower, Hemlock, Ithaca, Midland and St. Charles high schools, and Jefferson Intermediate School in Midland.

Two additional camps will meet on campus this month. The U.S. Cheerleaders Association plans daily activities beginning today and ending Friday. USCA is the largest cheerleader group in the country, and each year sponsors national championship competitions. Winners at local camps are eligible to enter national events.

Rounding out the camp series is an August 16-19 session planed by All Star Cheerleader Conference. The camps are coordinated by SVSC's Conference Bureau as part of its summer schedule of events.



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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3	Summer classes end.
3-6	U.S. Cheerleading Camp. Begins Tues. at 10 p.m. and continues across campus through Fri., 11 a.m. Open to jr. high and high school cheerleaders. For registration information, call Marge Smith at 646-6709 or 646-6132.
6-8	First Annual SVSC Fast Pitch Invitational Softball Tournament. Fri., 6 p.m., Sat. & Sun., 9 a.m.-8 p.m. Open to public, free of charge. For information, call Sue Guevera, Athletic Dept., ext. 4118.
10	Movie sponsored by Campus Activities, "Love Story." Movie begins at 10 p.m. in Wickes Lecture Hall. Free admission.
10	Orientation for new fall students; check-in at Doan Center. Registration begins 7:30 a.m.; programs & activities continue through the day. Call MaryAnne Lustgraaf, ext. 4260 for information.
10-11	Registration for Fall Semester Classes.
12-13	Suicide Workshop; 8 a.m.-5 p.m., lower level Doan. Speaker - Dr. Friedrich V. Wenz. Seminar designed to improve skills in dealing with suicide. For registration information, call G. Survant, ext. 4066.
16-19	All Star Cheerleading Camp. Open to jr. high and high school cheerleaders. Begins 8 a.m., Mon., through 5 p.m., Thurs. For information, call or write Steve Garnett (816) 737-2339, P.O. Box 9485, Kansas City, MO 64133.
17-20	Retreat for Academic Deans & Directors. Retreat will take place in large private dining room, Doan Center, and will run from 4:30 p.m., Tues. (17th) until 12 noon, Fri. (20th). For details call Dr. Robt. S.P. Yien, ext. 4296.
Aug. 22- Sept. 4	Early Football Camp. Most activities will be held at the Morley Football field. For information, call Jim Larkin, ext. 4123.
Aug. 25	Football Press Day. Registration begins 10 a.m., lower level Doan Center. For more information, please call Tom Waske, ext. 4053.
28	Real Estate Licensing Exam. 8 a.m.-2 p.m.; Pioneer Hall. Open to students with registration. Call Angelita Torrez, ext. 4284, for more information.
Aug. 31- Sept. 2	Registration for Fall Semester Classes.