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RIBBON CUTTING OPENS ROAD

Noting that many good things have happened at Saginaw Valley State College recently, SVSC Board of Control Chairman John W. Kendall assisted President Jack M. Ryder with a ribbon cutting ceremony Monday to open a new campus road. The road connects East and West College Drive to form a loop across campus.



"This road, constructed under the direction of Michigan Department of Transportation, is another important step toward completion of SVSC's Campus Master Plan," Kendall said. "Its use is dedicated to improvement in access to services at the college."

Funding for the road came from the state gasoline tax, and it is part of a system of roadways on state properties. Work began on May 23.

Participating in the ribbon cutting ceremony, which was open to the campus community, were representatives from the SVSC Board of Control, college administration, the Michigan Department of Transportation, and Rohde Brothers Excavating, Inc. (contractors for construction). First vehicle to cross the new span was a bus carrying Board members and college personnel to a meeting at Cass City. (See Board Report for coverage of the Cass City meeting.)

FALL ENROLLMENT ANOTHER RECORD AT SVSC

SVSC's fall semester enrollment was up again this year, marking the 11th consecutive fall with an increase in students. The official count this year totaled 4,650, up five percent from 4,426 in 1982.

Credit hours were also up, totaling 44,263 -- a 6.3 percent increase from last year's 41,647.

This year's enrollment exceeded projections by 98 students, according to Dr. Ann K. Dickey, director of institutional research and planning. "The number of both new and returning students was slightly higher that expected," Dr. Dickey said.

SVSC has continued to buck the trend of declining enrollments that has caused problems for many of the nation's colleges and universities. College officials look forward to the construction of Instructional Facility No. 2, slated to begin in early 1984. Completion of the \$28 million, 208,399 gross square feet complex will allow SVSC to better serve its growing student population.

POLISH INSTITUTE SPONSORS SERIES

SVSC's Institute of Polish Studies is hosting a series of lectures on Polish history, literature and the Polish-American experience. "Not For Polish Americans Only" will be presented on five successive Wednesday evenings, from October 19 to November 16 at 7:00 p.m. in the Wickes faculty lounge. The series is part of the national Polish American Community Humanities Project (PACH), sponsored by the Polish American Ethnic Committee under a grant by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Dr. Andrew Ehrenkreutz of the University of Michigan will open the series on October 19 when he discusses "Sobieski's Heroic Rescue of Vienna." On October 26 Dr. Wienczyslaw Wagner of the University of Detroit will present "Traditions of Democracy and Tolerance in the History of Poland."

"New Ethnicity and the Polish-American Experience" will be examined on November 2 by Rev. Dr. Leonard Chrobot of St. Mary's College, Orchard Lake. Dr. Anna Dadlez, SVSC associate professor of foreign languages, will discuss "The Image of Women in Polish Post-WW II Literature" on November 9. Dadlez serves on the executive committee of PACH.

On November 16 Dr. Cezary Mendelius, acting director of SVSC's Polish Institute, will close the series with a discussion of "The Literature of Solidarity."

The lectures are free of charge and guests are invited to arrive half an hour early to talk with the speakers over coffee and doughnuts. For more information on the series, please call Mendelius at ext. 4315.

GOVERNOR SENDS THANKS TO SVSC COMMUNITY

President Jack M. Ryder has received a letter of thanks from Governor James J. Blanchard for the cooperation and assistance of many SVSC faculty and staff in making his September 23 visit to campus move smoothly. "We were pleased to host the Governor's appearance at the Michigan Youth Corp graduation in the morning, and at the Leadership Conference in the afternoon," Ryder said. "This is the first time in my presidency that a Michigan governor has come to SVSC and had the opportunity to take a first-hand look at our needs. The conference brought many people to our campus for the first time, and we've received positive comments about the day."

UNITED WAY CONTRIBUTORS CAN EARN PRIZES

For the third consecutive year, prizes are being offered by anonymous donors for a drawing open to those who contribute to this year's SVSC United Way campaign. Top award in the drawing will be \$40, while second prize will be \$20.

Each contributor will have one ticket in the drawing for his or her first \$20 United Way gift, with another ticket for each additional \$10. Your ticket will be entered automatically into the drawing as soon as your contribution is received.

Norma Gase is SVSC liaison and coordinator for the 1983/84 campaign. If you have any questions regarding the campaign, or need a pledge card, please contact her at ext. 4075. She asks that you help SVSC reach its \$9,000 goal by returning your pledge card to her by Monday, October 24.

ARBURY'S, ZAHNOW'S HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. Ned S. Arbury and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin J. Zahnow were among the honored guests invited to a National Major Benefactors Recognition sponsored by the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education (CASE). Held Tuesday, October 4, in Washington, D.C., the event included seminars focusing on the importance of philanthropy to education.

The morning session explored "The Essence of Philanthropy," using a panel of nationally recognized leaders and benefactors. The panel was moderated by Michael J. Ferin, vice president for development at Purdue University. In the afternoon David R. Dunlop, director of capital projects at Cornell University, moderated a panel discussion of "Motivations for Philanthropy."

The day's activities culminated with a dinner giving public recognition to benefactors of higher education. SVSC President Jack M. Ryder, who accompanied the group to Washington, noted, "Both the Arburys and the Zahnows have given extensively of their time, talent and material goods to assist SVSC. In addition, they have encouraged others to aid our development, and we are deeply appreciative of their efforts."

Mrs. Arbury was named to the first Board of Control in 1963 and still serves on the SVSC governing body. Mr. Zahnow was an incorporator of the college and served on the Board of Control from 1963 until 1981.

BRIEFLY SPEAKING - EVENTS & INFORMATION

- --The presentation by Bentley Bridgewater on the British Museum originally scheduled for today has been postponed until Tuesday, October 18. The rescheduled program will be held in the Wickes Hall faculty lounge at 4:00 p.m. Bridgewater is former curator of the London Museum.
- --A Writing Lab, open to all foreign students enrolled at SVSC began operation Monday, September 26. Sessions tutored by Dr. Raymond Tyner, professor of English, meet in room 156 Pioneer Hall from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. Mondays and 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. Thursdays. Students receive individual tutoring in the use of written English. The instruction is coordinated with the student's class work, and supported by counseling on academic and cultural matters involving the use of language, according to Dr. Kay Harley, chairman of the English department.
- -- Two men with differing views on the risks posed by use of chemicals will speak at SVSC today and tomorrow. Lewis Regenstein will discuss his book, "America the Poisoned," on October 11 at 8:00 p.m. in the SVSC theatre. On October 12 Dr. Fred H. Tschirley of Michigan State University will speak at 6:30 p.m. in the theatre on the topic: "Chemicals in the Environment: Their Risks and Benefits." Admission for Regenstein's presentation is \$1 for SVSC employees. There is no admission charge for students, and Tschirley's lecture is free to both students and SVSC personnel. Regenstein will also be on hand in 158 Pioneer Hall between 3:00 and 5:00 p.m. today to field questions from students and faculty at an open forum sponsored by SVSC's Chemistry and Biology Club.
- --A Grantsmanship Workshop will be held in the large private dining room of Doan Center from 2:30 to 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 12. A repeat session is scheduled for 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 13. Interested faculty and staff may contact the Office of Sponsored Programs at ext. 4048 for additional information or to register for the workshop.
- "Lunch with Luther" on Friday, October 14 at noon. Rev. Lyle Klemar will be on hand in lower Doan to play the role of Martin Luther. Interested persons are invited to bring a sack unch or a train from the cafeteria and join in the open session.

- -- Green River Press is hosting a publication party on Saturday, October 15 to mark the publication of an anthology of Chinese literature titled "Perspectives in Chinese Literature." The party, set from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. in lower Doan, is open to the public. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call Dr. Mason Wang at ext. 4328.
- --A concert and open house on Tuesday, October 18 will mark the remodeling of the Doan Center Mall. Singer/songwriter Helen Hudson will perform from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. She has appeared on national television, at night clubs and colleges across the country and with such performers as B. J. Thomas, Jim Stafford and Tom T. Hall. Hudson uses only her own material and has recorded an album and several singles. Cake and refreshments will be served during the open house. Visitors are invited to bring a lunch to the concert or purchase one at the snack bar. For more information, call campus activities at ext. 4260.
- -- "The Bishop and the Bomb" will feature Saginaw Bishop Kenneth Untener discussing issues related to nuclear war and morality. The presentation, set for noon on Thursday, October 20, will be held in Doan Center. Untener will discuss many points in the bishop's pastoral letter on "The Challenge of Peace: God's Promise and Our Response." Admission is free, and guests are invited to bring a lunch or purchase one in the snack bar. For more information call campus ministry at ext. 4423.
- -- The Saginaw Valley Woodwind Quintet will perform its first concert of the year on Sunday, October 23 at 3:00 p.m. in Wickes lecture theatre. The program will feature classical works plus a selection of chamber pieces. For more information, call Dr. Drew Hinderer at ext. 4497.
- -- "Shadow Box" will be presented by the SVSC theatre department Friday through Sunday, October 28 to 30 in the SVSC theatre. The curtain goes up on Friday and Sturday at 8:00 p.m., followed by a Sunday matinee at 3:00 p.m. For ticket information, call ext. 4110.
- --Downtown Saginaw PRIDE is sponsoring its sixth annual **Christmas Parade** Saturday, November 19 at 11:00 a.m. Event organizers are inviting entries of floats, marching bands, drill units or similar groups. Entry deadline is October 31. For more information, call PRIDE at 771-2409.

KIM KEY, CRAIG TATUM HEAD HOMECOMING FESTIVITIES

Two seniors were elected as king and queen to preside over SVSC's homecoming weekend. Craig Tatum of Bridgeport and Kimberlee Key of Flint were crowned during halftime ceremonies when the Cardinals played Michigan Technological University Saturday afternoon.

Tatum, 21, is a criminal justice major active in campus activities. He is vice president of SVSC's student government, an All American in track and field, secretary of Phi Beta Sigma fraternity and an advisor of the Black Students Association. Tatum is the son of Curtis and Clara Tatum, 3581 Diamondale.

Key was also a member of last year's home-coming court. The 21 year-old physical education major is a starter on SVSC's women's basketball team and secretary of the Black Students Association. She is the daughter of Sammie and Paula Key, 9124 Suncrest in Flint.

The rest of the court included: junior Mike Beveridge, Escanaba; junior Kurt David, Gaylord; junior Rose Fuhrman, Posen; junior David Johnson, Flint; junior Robin Jones, Traverse City; senior Michael Korn, Port Austin; sophomore Mishelle Milhizer, Mt. Clemens; senior Gene Schroll Jr., Utica; junior Kelly Sue Vasold of Freeland; and junior Jean Warnos, Dryden.

ACROSS CAMPUS

- --Dr. Ricardo Pastor, professor of Spanish, recently had one of his latest books, "Escritores Bolivianos Contemporaneos," critiqued in "Hispanic Review" magazine.
- --Dr. Rosalie Troester, assistant professor of English, will present a paper titled "Women Writers of the Harlem Renaissance" on October 28 at the National Conference on Black Women in Chicago.
- --Adjunct faculty member Marilyn Oeming appeared on a series of panel discussion programs on S.C.O.P.E., a religious news broadcast series on WNEM TV. Oeming represented the veiwpoint of the Baha'i Faith. Also on the panel were Rabbi Dov Edelstein of Bay City and Fr. Olin Murdick of Alma. Subject of the series is "The Impact of Religion in the World Today." The programs will air at 6:00 a.m. on October 14 and 21.

--Dr. K. S. Kynell, associate professor of political science and criminal justice, will present a professional paper at the annual meeting of The American Society of Criminology in Denver, Colorado on November 12. Kynell's paper is titled, "Data Reciprocity: The Importance of Psychiatry and History to Criminology."

PERSONNEL

SR. BOOKSTORE ASSISTANT - Full-time, permanent (replacement). Level 4, \$4.75/hour. Evening hours and some weekend hours required. Occasional overtime hours required. All internal applications must be received by the personnel office no later than Wednesday, October 12.

HIGH FIVE

The high-flying Cardinal football squad posted their fourth win of the season by turning back a scrappy Michigan Tech team Saturday. Final score was 35-15, after a second-half surge by the Cards.

The SVSC cross country team swept five of the top ten places at the Detroit Free Press 10k in Windsor, Ontario, Saturday. SVSC harriers also competed in the Blue Division of the Notre Dame Invitational over the weekend, placing 13th against Division I NCAA competition.

The Lady Cardinals tennis team, 8-1, set a team record for wins by beating Lake Superior State and Oakland U. this weekend.

EVENTWATCH

Oct. 11 ... "America the Poisoned" Oct. 11 ... IRRA Dinner and Meeting

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Oct. 12 ... Tennis; SVSC vs. Ferris

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Oct. 13 ... Film; Cosby on "Prejudice"

Oct. 13 ... Volleyball; SVSC vs. Hillsdale

Oct. 14 ... "Lunch with Luther"

Oct. 15 ... Soccer Club Match

Oct. 15 ... Publication Party

Oct. 18 ... Helen Hudson Concert

Oct. 18 ... "The British Museum"

Oct. 19 ... Study Skills Workshop

Oct. 19 ... S. V. Entrepreneurs Club Oct. 20 ... "The Bishop and the Bomb"

See monthly calendar or call Information Services for times and details.