SVSC SCORES UPSET

The Cardinal football team dusted off its favorite "flea-flicker" play to pull out a last-minute win in NAIA quarter-final competition Saturday. SVSC upset the defending national champion Central State University (OK) 14-13 with another thrilling come-from-behind win in the final 90 seconds, demonstrating again how they've earned the nickname "Cardiac Kids."

The Cards scored the winning touchdown with 1:28 left in the game for their first playoff victory ever. However, it took a pass interception by Darrel Bartkowski on the Cardinal 32 yard line with but 26 seconds left on the clock to seal the win. Quarterback Rusty Mandle set up the winning TD with a pass, and ran for the other score to earn "Most Valuable Player" honors.

SVSC (9-2) will travel to Jefferson City, Tennessee, to meet 12th-ranked Carson-Newman (8-3) in a semi-final game set for 1:00 p.m. this Saturday. Fans interested in traveling to Jefferson City to support the team may call the athletic office at ext. 4114 for information about transportation options. Commercial flights to Knoxville offer convenient connections with ground transportation to Jefferson City for those who wish to travel independently.
ATHLETIC DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR NAMED

President Jack M. Ryder announced today an additional assignment for Dr. Eugene J. Hamilton. He will be given responsibility for athletic fundraising on a 25 percent part-time basis, under the SVSC Foundation, reporting to President Ryder. Hamilton will be assigned the added title of Director of Athletic Development. He will continue to serve as dean of the Division of Placement and Continuing Education Services, reporting to Vice President for Academic Affairs Robert Yien. Hamilton's new appointment is effective immediately.

A member of the faculty, yet to be determined, will be assigned to support the continuing education function on an appropriate released-time basis, effective beginning winter semester 1984.

"Dean Hamilton is exceptionally well qualified for this important assignment because of his broad experience in various roles within the college, his keen interest in the total athletic program (having served as the first SVSC basketball coach), his extensive community involvement, his organizational ability, and his enthusiasm for the task to be achieved," Dr. Ryder said. "This move is consistent with the increased emphasis which must be placed on athletic fundraising if the plan submitted to the Board of Control at its June meeting is to be accomplished."

The plan calls for an increasing share of athletic scholarship funds to come from private sector support over the next five years, with a corresponding decrease in the share supported by the general fund.

Accepting the position, Hamilton said, "I appreciate the confidence President Ryder has shown in my ability to assume this challenging responsibility. It is particularly gratifying to serve in this new capacity at a time when our sports program is so exceptional. We have great coaches in both men's and women's sports. I welcome the opportunity to work more closely with them to help maintain and enhance the programs which have brought so much positive attention to the college. I'm convinced there are many people in the quad-county area who share our enthusiasm for the superior student athletes participating at SVSC. Given their support, we will be able to continue our outstanding accomplishments."

CLASS NOTEBOOK

Barbara Zivich's work is being recognized by the Michigan Council for the Arts. Zivich, a dance instructor at SVSC, received a creative artist grant. She was among 58 artists, which included only four choreographers, chosen from 500 applicants. Among the jurors was Rhoda Grauer of the American Ballet Theatre who considers Zivich "a highly talented artist with a true vision."

She will use her award in the development of new choreography. Her contemporary ensemble Khoros was awarded a mini-grant to provide honorariums for company dancers and help defray tour expenses.

Besides creating works for Khoros, Zivich is busy teaching dance. She will instruct three winter-semester classes held on Thursdays at SVSC. Dance composition explores the craft of choreography and will be held from 10:00 a.m. until noon. Modern dance is a movement class in beginning techniques that will meet from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Jazz dance covers beginning jazz dance movement and performances techniques and will be offered from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Zivich is also teaching a course for adults and young adults at her Saginaw studio, 312 1/2 South Hamilton. Beginning-intermediate modern dance technique will be offered from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. on Tuesdays, January 17 through April 17. Enrollment is limited to 10 pupils and students must register in advance.

Khoros is now preparing for spring performances, and Zivich is looking for two male and female dancers. Open auditions will be held on Monday, January 9, at 10:00 a.m. at the Hamilton street studio. Dancers are paid honorariums for performances and receive free advanced techniques classes.

The ensemble will be performing at Detroit's Paradigm Dance Center in March and the Race Street Gallery of Grand Rapids in April.

For information on registration for SVSC dance classes, call the SVSC Office of Admissions at ext. 4200. Zivich can be contacted for information about the SVSC classes, registration for her studio class, or Khoros auditions by calling 792-0839 during evening hours.
SVSC HOSTING POLISH CHRISTMAS

The Institute of Polish Studies at SVSC is inviting the community to share Wigilia on campus this year. Wigilia, the traditional Polish Christmas supper, will be held on Saturday, December 17, at 6:00 p.m. in Doan Center.

Sharing of the wafer, 'oplatek', begins the evening. It is symbolic of the Last Supper and is eaten accompanied by a wish. The 12 course meal will be a sample of old Polish cuisine in accord with the centuries of Polish Christian advent tradition. Mushroom soup, noodles, pike Polish style, fish in horseradish sauce, sauerkraut with mushrooms, mashed potatoes, twelve-fruit compote and Polish Christmas pastries are featured on the menu.

Following supper the Pol-Musica ensemble from Detroit will perform a variety of carols and pastorals. Donations for the evening are $10 and tickets must be purchased in advance. For reservations call the Polish Institute at ext. 4315.

BRIEFLY SPEAKING — EVENTS & INFORMATION

--Dr. Bernyce Smith, professor of education/English, will present a professorship lecture today at 3:30 p.m. in the Wickes faculty lounge. Her topic is "Reading Competence of SVSC Students: Assessing Their Needs."

--Campus Ministry will host a film weighing an aspect of science and morality on Thursday, December 8, at 7:00 p.m. in the Campus Ministry offices. "Knowledge of Certainty" views the moral dilemma that confronts today's scientists, contrasting harnessing nuclear energy with the development of the atomic bomb. Discussion will focus on moral values. Admission is free. For more information, call Trish Novicke at ext. 4423.

--Twenty-six students from SVSC will be included in the 1984 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." They join an elite group of campus leaders chosen from more than 1,300 institutions of higher education in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and several foreign nations.

Selections were based on academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and future potential. Named from SVSC this year are:

Bay City: Kathy Benjamin, Jamie B. Blum, Karen C. Eickel, Donna A. Kaye, Karen Pabalia, and William Wilson; Bridgeport: Craig A. Tatum; Freeland: Karen L. Foulds, Cherryl L. Matuzak, and Kelly Sue Vasold; Elkton: Ruth A. Klee; Flint: David D. Johnson; Harbor Beach: Colleen A. Booms; Kinde: Pamela A. McKim; Midland: Brian B. Latoski; Ovid: Julie K. Goebel; Posen: Roselyn S. Fuhrman; Richmond: Dennis J. Boyd and Susan R. Maackneri; Saginaw: Timothy J. Dijack, Jeannine Scheuerlein Konesko, Alissar L. Najd, Bruce A. Nordin, and Joan Rossio; St. Charles: Steve P. Wilkowski; Ubly: Janet Roberts.

--Copies of "What's Cooking at SVSC II," the Children's Center cookbook, are available for holiday gifts. The book sells for $5 a copy and can be ordered through evening services. All profits from the sale benefit the Children's Center.

--The Valley Film Society will present "Stage Door" on Friday, December 16, at 7:45 p.m. in Wickes lecture theatre. Katharine Hepburn and Ginger Rogers star in the 1937 comedy. Admission is by adult, trial, or student membership, available at the door.

--The Saginaw Valley Bridge Association will sponsor a charity bridge tournament on Sunday, December 18, from 11:00 a.m. to Midnight in Doan Center. For more information, call Dr. Shiv Arora at ext. 4301.

--Blank IRS Forms are available at the circulation department of the library, on the shelves beside the copier.

ACROSS CAMPUS

--Dr. William Barnett, dean of the school of arts and behavioral sciences, will appear in the Pit and Balcony theatre production of "A Flea in Her Ear." He plays the manager of a bawdy hotel in this French farce. The show runs from December 8-11 and 14-17.

--Ann Gallegos, instructor of nursing, recently presented a research study at the annual Psychiatric Nursing Conference in Ann Arbor. Her topic was "A Needs Assessment of Community Health Clients."
--Dr. Janet Rubin, associate professor of communication and theatre, participated in the recent Speech Communication Association national conference in Washington, D.C. She presented a short course titled "Communicating Through Creative Dramatics: A Hands-On Approach to Using Drama in Instructional Settings." Rubin also served on a panel presenting material on developing communication skills through creative drama.

--Gary Asey, director of placement and co-operative education, has been appointed to the public relations publicity committee for the Midwest College Placement Association. The committee promotes recognition of career planning, placement and recruitment as professions.

PERSONNEL

--Liz Kornacki, formerly scheduling coordinator, was recently promoted to administrative assistant to the vice president for academic affairs. She will oversee facility scheduling and the preparation of scheduling of classes in addition to other duties.

--Kathy Lake, a former staff accountant, began duties as administrative assistant to the vice president for administration and business services November 21. In addition to office duties, she will also be responsible for the financial records of the SVSC Foundation. She is currently splitting her days between the controller's and vice president's offices, but will be in Wickes Annex full time by the end of the month. Her new extension will be 4032.

--In an election conducted by the Michigan Employment Relations Commission on Friday, December 2, the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees was selected to represent the service staff employees at SVSC. The bargaining unit will include hourly personnel in the departments of Plant Services and Business Services performing custodial, grounds, maintenance, mail, and printing functions. The election will be certified by the state on December 9, with negotiations to be scheduled after that. Prior to last week's election, SVSC was the only public college or university in the state not represented by AFSCME.

SVSC CHRISTMAS, NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAYS SET

College offices will be officially closed for the Christmas holiday on Friday, December 23 and Monday, December 26. New Year's holiday closings will be Friday, December 30 and Monday, January 2. Offices are to remain open on the 27th, 28th, and 29th unless departments have the approval of the appropriate member of the Executive Committee.

HIGH FIVE

The Cardinal football moves on to NAIA semi-final play against Carson-Newman in Jefferson City, TN, this weekend, following a 14-13 win over Central State University, OK, last Saturday. (See pg. 1)

The second-ranked Lady Cardinal basketball team rolled to two lopsided victories over the weekend, dumping Northern Michigan 95-60 and Wisconsin-Milwaukee 76-43. SVSC, 2-0, faces a three-game home stand this weekend with games Thursday, Saturday and Sunday.

SVSC's men's basketball team won the consolation trophy in the St. Michael's Tip-Off Tournament at Winooski, VT, last weekend. SVSC lost to Pace University 54-41, then came back to beat Johnson College 92-44. The Cardinals are 2-4 overall in pre-conference play.

SVSC EVENTWATCH

Dec. 6... Professorship Lecture
Dec. 7... Men's Basketball
Dec. 8... Campus Ministry Film
Dec. 8... Women's Basketball
Dec. 10... Women's Basketball
Dec. 11... Women's Basketball
Dec. 16... VFS "Stage Door"
Dec. 17... Polish Christmas Dinner
Dec. 17... Men's Basketball
Dec. 18... Charity Bridge Tournament

See monthly calendar or call Information Services for times and details.
INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY INFORMATION

With the advent of snow and cold weather, the campus community once again faces the prospect of occasional days when classes will be cancelled or all college operations suspended due to hazardous driving conditions. Please post this summary of SVSC closing policy in a convenient location at home. Refer to an Operations Manual for the full text of procedures dealing with closings and cancellations.

The campus will be kept open if at all possible, and classes and normal operations will continue. However, employees living some distance from campus may not be able to report as scheduled. If so, they should notify their supervisor. In these circumstances the appropriate leave to be charged will depend upon the individual's employee group.

If adverse conditions necessitate closing or cancellation, the decision to do so will be made prior to 6:00 a.m. for day classes which begin before 4:00 p.m., and by 2:00 p.m. for evening classes.

Information about cancellation of classes or closing of all college offices will be relayed to radio and TV as soon as the decision has been announced. A calling committee exists for this purpose. Messages will be broadcast on TV-5, TV-12, TV-25, WGER, WHNN, WKNX, WKO, WMPX, WBCM, WSAM, WRCI, WSGW, WWWS and WTCX.

The SVSC Weather Line -- 790-4477 -- has taped messages about the status of campus activities. There are six different messages which cover separate situations. Summarized, they are:

1. Campus open as usual.
2. Evening classes and activities open as usual.
3. Daytime classes have been cancelled. (Employees are to report.)
4. Campus is closed for daytime classes and operations. (Employees need not report.)
5. Evening classes have been cancelled. (Employees are to report.)
6. Campus is closed for evening classes and operations. (Employees need not report.)

NOTE: Emergency crews are to report for work during closings as well as cancellations.

There are also procedures to be followed by instructors who deem it necessary to close an individual class even though the campus is officially open. Please see the Operations Manual for steps to be followed.

When hazardous weather conditions occur, it should be possible to obtain current information by listening to your local radio or TV station, or by dialing 790-4477. In extremely adverse weather, SVSC emergency crews and others with assignments listed in the Operations Manual may have difficulty completing appointed tasks efficiently. (For example, phone lines to local media are jammed with calls, resulting in time delays in airing the SVSC message.) Your patience and cooperation is appreciated in dealing with emergency situations.