

THE Interior

For Saginaw Valley State College employees. Published by the Office of Information Services. Call 799-4054 with news items.

January 7, 1986

DIRECTOR OF BILINGUAL EDUCATION APPOINTED

Dr. Jose Luis Valderas has been named Director of Bilingual Education. He will supervise the operation of SVSC's Bilingual-Bicultural Center and manage a \$149,213 U.S. Department of Education grant supporting a bilingual (Spanish/English) teacher training program.

The largest portion of the grant, \$96,000, will be used for tuition, books and stipends for 45 students who enroll in SVSC's bilingual education program. According to Valderas, three categories of students will be eligible to receive financial assistance through the program.

"We expect to enroll approximately equal numbers of currently certified elementary and secondary teachers who wish to obtain a state-approved bilingual endorsement, undergraduate full-time, and undergraduate part-time students," Valderas said. "Our candidates will come from the ranks of those who already are enrolled in the SVSC School of Education program or new students who are just beginning an education major.

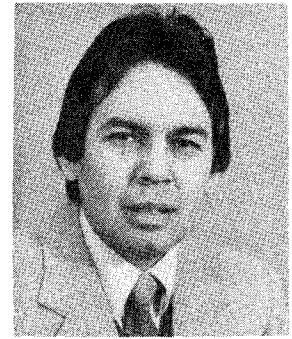
"Program students must meet stiff academic and programmatic requirements to qualify for future grant awards. Students are expected to sign a commitment form that specifies an intent to work as bilingual teachers after completing the baccalaureate degree or endorsement program." He added that language proficiency in Spanish and English will be assessed. "Standardized testing instruments will be used for the assessment," Valderas said. He noted that there is a shortage of bilingually certified teachers in the Saginaw Valley, which he said has the largest concentration of 'Limited English Proficiency' (LEP) and Hispanic students in the state. Ms. Milagro S. Arenas of Saginaw has been hired as the Bilingual Education Center secretary. She previously served as secre-

* VALDERAS RETURNS TO SVSC TO HEAD BILINGUAL/BICULTURAL CENTER

* NOVICKE LOOKS FORWARD TO NEW CHALLENGES

* WOMEN CAGERS OFF TO 7-2 START

Dr. Jose Luis Valderas



tary in the Chicano/Latino Services Office at Delta College. Valderas also expects to hire a bilingual counselor for the Center.

The Center directorship marks a homecoming for Valderas, who was employed at SVSC from 1974 to 1979. He first served as Coordinator of the Learning Center and Liaison for Financial Aid. From 1976 to 1979 he held the position of Coordinator of Academic Advisement.

Since 1979 Valderas has served in various capacities with the Title VII Mid-Michigan Bilingual Program in Buena Vista School District, Carrollton Public Schools, and Bay City Public Schools. Many of his duties involved work with Title VII bilingual teacher aides and students, and monitoring of a K-6 microcomputer elementary curriculum in eight school sites.

Valderas holds a B.A. degree from Western Michigan University and a M.A. in Spanish and linguistics from the University of New Mexico. He recently completed all requirements for a Doctor of Education degree through Wayne State University. He received a Title VII Bilingual Doctoral Fellowship from the U.S. Office of Education from 1980 to 1983. His community memberships include Bay City League of United Latin American Citizens (president), St. Boniface Church Education Commission, National Association for Bilingual Education, Bay City's "Morning" Optimist Club, and the Bay Chapter of the American G.I. Forum.

FINE ARTS BUILDING CAMPAIGN DRAWS SUPPORT

SVSC's campaign to complete a major fund raising effort for a new fine arts facility gained momentum as 1985 ended. Although final figures will be delayed until all holiday mail is processed, the project already has received some \$6.65 million in contributions and pledges toward the estimated cost of \$7 million.

Efforts to raise private contributions for the facility have been under way for more than a year. On December 9, 1985, with more than \$6 million already in hand, the campaign was publicly announced. College officials hoped to reach the campaign goal by December 31 so they could claim an anonymous challenge grant of \$250,000.

There was excellent public response to the request, according to President Jack M. Ryder. "There have been numerous gifts since the public became aware of our need. The response has been most gratifying," Ryder said. "People are genuinely interested in helping us secure this facility, which will be available as a community resource."

In addition to many individual gifts, contributions have been received from corporations and foundations, Ryder said. Among the largest contributors were three foundations, including The Dow Chemical Company Foundation (\$250,000), the Gerstacker Foundation (\$150,000), both from Midland; and The Harvey Randall Wickes Foundation (\$250,000) from Saginaw.

Other organizations that have contributed include Chemical Bank of Midland; NBD - Saginaw, Saginaw; the employees of Scientific Brake, Saginaw; Morley Bros. Foundation, Saginaw; Kantzler Foundation, Bay City; Michigan National Bank, Valley Branch, Saginaw; Walbro Charitable Trust, Cass City; Newhouse Foundation, Booth Newspapers of Bay City and Saginaw; Saginaw Bay Underwriters, Saginaw and Bay City; Michigan Sugar Company, Saginaw; and Ernst & Whinney, Saginaw.

Local legislators also got into the act, presenting personal checks to Ryder for use in the project. "The project was approved by State authorities prior to development of building plans," Ryder said, adding that operating funds for the building will come from State revenues. "We were extremely pleased to have area legislators add their personal involvement to the legislative

support they had previously accorded the project."

SVSC employees also are supporting the drive with personal contributions, Ryder noted. "They have demonstrated that they are willing to add their financial effort to improve the college environment for the students and the community."

While December contributions of \$625,000 were less than the \$975,000 needed to claim the challenge grant, positive response has convinced the anonymous donor to extend the offer until June 1, 1986. "We feel confident that we will be able to raise the \$350,000 needed to meet our goal," Ryder said. He said efforts would be focused on certain foundations and individuals to secure the remaining pledges needed.

Ryder indicated that enough progress has been made so bids could be sought on the building in late January or early February. "We hope to complete the drive relatively soon. With the bid process complete, we could break ground as early as April or May," he said.

"We are extremely pleased by the outpouring of support for the fine arts project. Such outstanding community response will help SVSC continue its development as an excellent regional college dedicated to serving the people of the Saginaw Valley and northeast Michigan."

Persons interested in more information about contributing to SVSC's fine arts project can contact the SVSC Foundation at ext. 4052.



State Sen. Jerome T. Hart (Democrat, District 14) [right] presents a personal donation to President Ryder. "As a State Legislator, I consider this a needed and important facility," Hart said. "It is an excellent example of what can be accomplished when State government and private citizens work together."

OPENINGS FOR LAS VEGAS TRIP AVAILABLE

SVSC faculty and staff are invited to join alumni for a trip to Las Vegas, Nevada. The trip, sponsored by Alumni Relations, begins Friday, April 4, continuing through Monday, April 7, 1986. Cost for the trip is \$299 per person, which includes round trip air fare from Detroit Metro Airport, three nights at the Tropicana Resort and Casino (based on double occupancy), and a book of coupons.

Also available are discount show tickets, a helicopter tour of Hoover Dam and the Grand Canyon, special car rental rates, and ground transportation from Saginaw to Detroit. A deposit of \$50 per person is required by February 15, 1986, with full payment required by February 24. Since space is limited, make reservations as soon as possible. Contact Jo Stanley for a reservation form by calling extension 4050.

NOVICKE TO LEAVE SVSC IN JUNE

"Many people have never even seen a real nun, let alone one who wears blue jeans," said Sister Trish Novicke as she relaxed in her office in the A-basement of Great Lakes Hall. After spending six years as full-time director of the Campus Ministry, Novicke will take on a new role after June 30. "I've been thinking about social work for a long time, and am working on a bachelor's degree here at Saginaw Valley in social work," said Novicke. "I have been in Campus Ministry for 11 years. I love it, but I'm looking forward to the change."

Novicke came to SVSC after spending four years working for Campus Ministry at Creighton University, in Omaha, Nebraska. Duties here as campus minister have included programming, counseling, making referrals to other clergy, and helping other local ministers become present on campus.

"Our Campus Ministry is interfaith," said Novicke. "We welcome any religion, and people with no religious background are welcome as well. We try to expose students to what they will see and encounter in the real world, and help them become adults in their faith." Programs Novicke has involved students in include "chat-about's," where students come and raise questions on sexual concerns, drugs, alcohol and relationships.

"The faculty on this campus take advantage of what is here as well," commented Novicke. "I

help them with questions, concerns; some have come to me for materials when conducting research." Novicke added that although most services and activities offered have not changed much in the past six years, there has not been as much emphasis on projects programming this year because of changes taking place concurrent with Novicke's departure.

College officials were notified in the fall that the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saginaw, which had funded the campus minister in the past, would not be able to continue full funding after June, 1986. President Ryder has formed a committee to conduct an assessment of the current role of the Campus Ministry Program, to gain information on redesigning a model for the campus. "My decision to leave here was not based on the Diocesan decision," said Novicke. "As I said earlier, I want to be practicing social work, or go to graduate school in the fall for further studies in social work if the money is available."

"The committee is looking at a number of options, and I'm optimistic that they will come up with a whole new 'animal' to be just as effective as the past programs. I think all of this has come at a good time, a change in program as well as personnel, rather than just changing one part."

Committee chairman Dr. Gary Davis said that the original committee has now broken down into three smaller committees. According to Davis, the Survey Committee was in charge of organizing, circulating, then analyzing a survey designed to aid in defining the goals of a Campus Ministry Program, and how it could be implemented while meeting the participants' needs. The Resource Committee is concentrating on finding resources for the future, while the Program Committee is responsible for deciding what the Campus Ministry should do.

"The Program Committee has already made a couple of recommendations," said Davis, "and it looks now like we are leaning toward a chaplaincy." Davis explained that the emphasis would be on a chaplain spending time with an individual and his or her needs. "We have found that this method is successful on campuses composed largely of commuters," said Davis. "We would appreciate any feedback on how people feel this might work on our campus." Responses or questions may be directed to Davis in the President's Office.

OPEN FORUM SLATED

In early November, President Ryder appointed an **Enrollment Control Study Committee** to evaluate enrollment patterns at SVSC. The Committee will study issues on admission standards, impact of tuition and fee policies, recruiting of students, and the advisability of limiting student enrollment.

The campus community is invited to attend the next meeting, which will be held in the Administrative Services Building conference room on Monday, January 20 from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. Those attending may ask questions and make recommendations on these important issues to the ad hoc committee.

BRIEFLY SPEAKING

--Ceramic sculpture by Marlene Pellerito will be on display in the **Arts Workshop** now through January 24. Admission is free.

--Attend the **salad bar concert** Thursday, January 9, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in Doan Mall. Performing live will be "The Urbations." Cost for a taco salad bar is \$1.25, and admission is free.

--A lecture in nuclear physics will be presented by **Dr. Robert Merande**, an SVSC graduate and assistant professor of physics at Pennsylvania State University. The lecture will be held in Pioneer Hall, room 224, on Friday, January 10 beginning at 1:00 p.m. Admission is free and refreshments will be served.

--The murder of a young woman is investigated in "**Laura**," a Valley Film Society selection that will be shown Friday, January 10, at 7:45 p.m. in Wickes lecture theatre. Call ext. 4154 for membership information.

--"**The Workplace Hustle**," a film that examines sexual harassment, will be presented on Monday, January 13, from noon to 1:00 p.m. in lower level Doan Center. Admission is free. An open discussion follows the film.

--Join the **blood drive** held in Wickes Hall (third floor concourse-north) on Tuesday, January 14, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Call Gloria Hansen at ext. 4272 for details.

--Copies of the **Winter 1986 Calendar of Events** are available by calling Information Services at extension 4054. Calendars are free and available while supply lasts.

ACROSS CAMPUS

--**Dr. Barron Hirsch**, professor of art, has been appointed juror for the Ann Arbor Art Association 1986 Multimedia Competition. Founded in 1909, the Association is Michigan's third oldest art organization and has a membership of 850. The exhibit, which opens with a reception for artists and guests on January 17, extends through February 8. Hirsch will choose the works to be included in the exhibit and will select the cash award winners.

PERSONNEL

SENIOR SECRETARY, Alumni Relations - Part-time, permanent (replacement). Start 25 hours per week, to be upgraded to full time when funds are available. Some evening and weekend work is required. Salary: Minimum of \$5.60 per hour, dependent on experience and skills. This is not a bargaining unit position, but is funded by the SVSC Foundation.

All internal applications must be received by the Personnel Office no later than Thursday, January 9, 1986.

HIGH FIVE

--The **Women's Basketball** team dropped a 94-76 decision to the University of Detroit at Calihan Hall on Saturday. The game was tied at 28-28 with five minutes left in the first half when U-D went on a 13-4 scoring spree that broke open the game. The Lady Cards were able to cut the deficit to 41-36 early in the second half, but that was the closest they would come. Sonja Paquin's 22 point effort moved her into fourth place in the Cardinal record book for career scoring. Both Cardinal teams will leave for an Upper Peninsula road trip this week to take on Michigan Tech and Lake Superior State.

REFERENCE DEPARTMENT

JAN 7-24...Arts Workshop: Pellerito
Jan. 8...Entrepreneurs Club Meeting
Jan. 9...Salad Bar Concert: "The Urbations"
Jan. 10...Film: "Laura"
Jan. 13...Basketball: SVSC vs. Ferris State
Jan. 13...Film: "The Workplace Hustle"
Jan. 14...Blood Drive

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

SAGINAW VALLEY STATE COLLEGE

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JANUARY

6	Men's & Women's Basketball: SVSC vs. Wayne State University. Women play at 6:00 p.m.; men at 8:00 p.m. Admission is \$3.00 general, \$2.00 students. Cardinal Gym. Call Athletics at ext. 4114 for more information.
7 - 24	Ceramic Sculpture by Marlene Pellerito; Art Gallery. Free admission. Call the Fine Arts Department at ext. 4159 for more information and gallery hours.
8	Entrepreneurs Club Dinner Meeting; 6:00 p.m., lower level Doan Center. \$7.50 fee. Area entrepreneurs meet for dinner and speaker. Call the BIDI office at ext. 4048 for more information.
9	Salad Bar Concert; 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m., Doan Mall. Enjoy a live concert by The Urbations along with an all-you-can-eat taco salad bar. Admission is \$1.25. Call Diane Brimmer at ext. 4170 for more information.
10	"Laura;" 7:45 p.m., Wickes Hall lecture theatre. Witty murder investigation of woman loved by many men. Admission by pro-rated membership, available at the door. Call Dr. Ishihara at ext. 4154 for details.
13	Men's & Women's Basketball: SVSC vs. Ferris State College; Cardinal Gym. Women play at 6:00 p.m.; men at 8:00 p.m. Admission is \$3.00 general, \$2.00 students. Call Athletics at ext. 4114 for more information.
13	"The Workplace Hustle;" noon - 1:00 p.m., lower level Doan Center. Film and discussion on sexual harassment. Free admission. Call Diane Brimmer at ext. 4170 for more information.
14	Blood Drive; 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., Wickes 3rd floor concourse-north. Contact Gloria Hansen at ext. 4272 for more information.
15	"Don't Let The Dream Die;" noon to 1:30 p.m., lower level Doan Center. Panel discussion on Black American Day. Call Diane Brimmer at ext. 4170 for more information.
16	IRRA Dinner and Meeting; 6:00 - 10:00 p.m., lower level Doan Center. Call Dr. James Mitchell at ext. 4064 for more information.
16	Men's & Women's Basketball: SVSC vs. Hillsdale College; Cardinal Gym. Women play at 6:00 p.m.; men at 8:00 p.m. Admission is \$3.00 general, \$2.00 for students. Call Athletics at ext. 4114 for more information.
20	Jazz Artists Series; 7:30 p.m., Theatre. Live concert featuring area professionals. Admission is \$2.00 general, \$1.50 for students and senior citizens. Call ext. 4159 for details.
20	"Germany: Forty Years After the War;" 4 - 5 p.m., Wickes Hall Faculty Lounge. Lecture by Dr. Lynn Herkstroeter. Free admission. Call ext. 4069 for more information.

[illegible]