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'HOLLYWOOD' HENDERSON TO APPEAR AT SVSU

Thomas "Hollywood" Henderson, one of the most celebrated professional football players of the 1970s, will appear on campus to discuss his profession and the obstacles he faced en route to overcoming the addictions that cost him that career.

Henderson will speak at 8 p.m., Monday, Jan. 25, in the Theatre.

He was the No. 1 selection of the Dallas Cowboys in the 1975 National Football League draft. A two-time All-American football star from a small college in Oklahoma, Henderson soon became one of the most flamboyant football players of the '70s.

He appeared in three Super Bowls during his seven years as a linebacker with the NFL. However, his career was cut short by an addiction to alcohol and drugs.

During his travels from "Super Bowl to cellblock," Henderson learned valuable lessons that he has relayed to many audiences. He delivers his anti-alcohol and anti-drug message through a very sobering account of his obsession with alcohol and cocaine and his continuing efforts to "stay clean."

Henderson has conducted numerous seminars and lectures on drug abuse and counseled other addicts while in prison. He is the author of the soon-to-be released autobiography, "Out of Control."

Admission is $2 for the public and free to students with SVSU identification.

Etceteras ...

(The following letter recently was received in the President's Office from Dr. Duane R. Milano, a professor at East Texas State University and an SVC 1970 bachelor of arts degree recipient)

"Dear President Ryder:

You sure do know how to mess up an academic vita! And boy do I love it. Congratulations on the name change from Saginaw Valley State College to Saginaw Valley State University. As a 1970 graduate of Saginaw Valley College, I am proud to see the name of the institution reflect the current breadth of the curriculum offered.

You, the faculty and the staff, as well as all the past and present students, are to be commended. I know you will continue to do those things at Saginaw Valley State University that will enhance my degree. I thank you."

Sincerely,

Duane R. Milano, Ph.D., C.M.A., C.C.A.
NEW LOGO INTRODUCED

Incorporating its status change, Saginaw Valley State University recently introduced its new logo and typeface.

According to the logo's designer, Gayle Leece, publications designer in the Office of Information Services, the typeface was selected for legibility and readability, as well as clarity of design and projected image.

The typestyle, Optima, was designed by Herman Zapf of the International Typeface Corp.

The nesting of the "S"s with the "Y" and "U" represent the Saginaw Valley, in which the University resides, according to Leece.

The new logo and typeface will be introduced on a variety of University-produced and sponsored literature and materials.

FREE TICKETS AVAILABLE TO 'SOUTH PACIFIC'

Faculty and staff are reminded to tell students that the Campus Activities Office will have free tickets available to "South Pacific." Not the geographical location, of course; rather, the Midland Music Society's Feb. 19 performance.

In addition, students can obtain free tickets for the March 18 performance of "Bernstein on Broadway," also a Midland Music Society production.

For information, call ext. 4170. The tickets are sponsored by Program Board.

'LET'S HAVE LUNCH SOMETIME' AT FRANKENMUTH'S FISCHER HALL

It is not really a proposal, but the production of "Let's Have Lunch Sometime" is in need of cast and crew members. The play by former SVSC Assistant to the President Stuart Gross will be performed at Fischer Hall in Frankenmuth.

The play premiered at SVSC in 1983 after the retirement of its co-playwright in 1979. The play takes a look at the joys and pitfalls of retirement. Gross said the storyline evolved from his own retirement, but is not an autobiography.

Since the 1983 premiere, the play has been slightly rewritten, according to Jim Gaertner, general manager of Fischer Hall and an SVSC graduate.

Auditions for the Frankenmuth performance are tentatively scheduled for March 7 and 8. Roles call for three women and two men, ages 40 to mid-60. Performances will be May 6, 7 and 8 and May 13 and 14.

For information, contact Gaertner at 652-9701.

FOREIGN ADVISORY BOARD -- Alicia Wallace, Saginaw senior, and Dr. Eugene Hamilton, dean of International Programs, discuss life in a foreign country with Leigh Engelbrech, Gladwin junior, and Matt McPhillips, Midland junior, during a recent International Program gathering. Engelbrech and McPhillips are ready to embark on a semester in Austria. Wallace recently returned from study in Japan. (Photo by Mike Hollenbeck)
SECRETARIAL/CLERICAL WORKSHOP FOCUSES ON DECISION MAKING

Self-hypnosis is among the decision-making skills to be discussed during a secretarial/clerical workshop on Thursday, Feb. 4.

Dr. Robert Cheek, assistant professor of management, also will talk about values clarification (both personal and those of the organization), and reactions to others.

The workshop will take place in Lower Level Doan. A morning session is scheduled from 9 to 11 a.m. The afternoon session is from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Reservations are due Feb. 1 to the Personnel Office, extension 4112. The workshop is sponsored by the Professional Improvement Committee.

According to the committee, the program's goal is to teach participants the ways in which their values, reactions and mind control can affect everyday decisions, especially related to "hard-to-handle" people.

The committee hopes participants will walk away with the ability to apply independent decision-making skills; the ability to differentiate problem levels; and an understanding of how values influence decision making.

BIDI CONFERENCE ASSISTS POTENTIAL BUSINESS OWNERS

Thinking about starting your own business? Have no idea what is involved? If the answer to the latter question is "nay," maybe you should consider attending the BIDI-sponsored conference "Starting Your Own Business: A Path to a New Career." During that conference, area small business owners will provide entrepreneurs with tips and anecdotes on making it on your own.

The seminar will take place from 8:15 a.m. to 5 p.m., Jan. 28, in the Candelite Banquet Center in Bridgeport. The conference is co-sponsored by the Saginaw Area Growth Alliance.

Among those scheduled to address the attendees are Ann Cowles of Bay City, owner and operator of Floral Design Systems, and Patricia and Robert McIntyre, owners of the Schuch Hotel in Saginaw.

Cowles will discuss the new direction her business concept took after meeting with clients.

Mrs. McIntyre, an 11-year employee of the Schuch prior to becoming one of its owners, will talk about the changes in her life due to the purchase of the restaurant.

To register, contact the BIDI office by Jan. 25, at extension 4048.

SPACE AVAILABLE FOR TOUR OF SPAIN

Seats are still available for the department of modern foreign language's annual spring Tour of Spain, March 5 through 13 -- the University's spring break.

Cost is $1,095 and includes round trip air fare from Detroit, continental breakfast and lunch or dinner each day, transportation while in Spain, transfer, tour guides and other service charges.

For further information, contact Dr. Ricardo Pastor, professor of Spanish and tour organizer for eight years, extension 4486.

COMPUTER DISKETTE ORDERING UPDATE

Users of diskettes for Apple, stock No. 67 in the Central Stores office catalog, should now order stock No. 66 -- diskettes for IBM PC and PC/XT.

No. 66 is a double sided, double density, soft sector diskette that measures 5¼-inches. No. 67 is a 3½-inch diskette.

For further information, call Business Services at extension 4101.

BRIEFLY SPEAKING

-- The Valley Woodwind Quintet will perform as part of the Lunchbreak Concert from noon to 1 p.m., Jan. 20 in Lower Level Doan. Bring your own lunch or purchase one for $1.45.

-- The Valley Film Society will show "Flesh and the Devil," an Italian film with subtitles, at 7:45 p.m., Jan. 22, in the Theatre. For ticket information, call extension 4332.

-- Dr. Drew Hinderer, professor of philosophy/English, will discuss "The Impoverishment of Ethics" from noon to 1 p.m., Jan. 27, in Brown Hall, Room 128.

-- "AIDS: A Panel Discussion" features Gloria Hansen, R.N., coordinator of Health Services; Dr. Winifred A. Oyen, M.D., director of the Midland Health Department; and Gerald Maki, a volunteer representative for the Wellness Networks of Flint Inc. The discussion, sponsored by the Science Club, will take place at 7:30 p.m., Jan. 27 in Lower Level Doan.
PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

-- Dr. Mahendra Kanthi, associate professor of economics, and Dr. William Welch, assistant professor of economics, on Friday at the Center for the Arts and Sciences, addressed the third 1987-88 Saginaw Student National Issues Forum on the topic, "The Trade Gap: Regaining the Competitive Edge." The more than 400 forum participants represent 21 area junior and senior high schools. The student forums are a component of the Saginaw National Issues Forum.

-- Dr. Chung-Hei (Nan) Yun, associate professor of English, delivered a paper titled 'Reflections Through 'The Stained Glass': Images of the West in Selected Novels of Endo and Mishima" for the special session, "Images of the West in Asian Literature." The session was part of the 1987 Annual Modern Foreign Language Association Convention Dec. 27 through 30 in San Francisco, Calif.

PERSONNEL

The following position is open to all regular employees of the University:

GROUND/Maintenance, full-time, permanent (replacement). Salary: $6.60 per hour. Requires three to five years of small engine and turf equipment experience.

All internal applications must be received in the Personnel Office, extension 4112, no later than Jan. 20.

SVSU is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer.

HIGH FIVE

-- The women's basketball team last week won two and lost one to up their record to 9-4 overall, and drop to 2-2 in the GLIAC. The Lady Cards defeated Indianapolis 75-64 on Tuesday and beat Northwood 88-75 on Thursday, before losing at Oakland 73-60 on Saturday. The loss to Oakland marked the first time since the 1980-81 season that the women have lost back-to-back GLIAC games. The Lady Cards are ranked 16th in the NAIA.

-- The men's basketball squad continued a five-game losing streak, falling at Northwood 90-74 on Thursday, and then at Oakland, 91-80, on Saturday. The Cards are 4-10 overall and 0-4 in the GLIAC.

-- Senior Rich Canole became the first Cardinal to qualify for the NAIA National Indoor Track Meet when he finished second in the 35-pound weight division at the Eastern Michigan Open. His best toss was 50 feet, 6.5 inches.

-- Barb Bishop set an SVSU women's indoor track triple jump record with a 36-foot, 2½-inch leap at the Michigan Relays. Teammate Sue Breternitz qualified for the NAIA nationals in the shot-put with a 43-foot, 9½-inch toss.

MOVING TOWARD COMPLETION -- Construction continues on the $18.7 million health and physical education complex, which is on schedule, according to Bob Hanes, director of engineering services. Hanes said the construction crew is enclosing the arena area with a temporary weather shield around steel supports so interior work can progress. In addition, the crew is starting to lay face brick on the west wall and is excavating the pool area. All outside work has been halted due to inclement weather. (Photo by Mike Hollenbeck)