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## **FEBRUARY FOCUSES ON BLACK HISTORY**

A number of activities are on tap in celebration of Black History Month during February. The Progressive Student Association, Campus Activities and Program Board have listed a series of events taking place on campus. Instructors are urged to encourage students to attend the events.

An essay contest began on Friday, Feb. 3, adhering to the theme for the month: "Higher Education: En Route to Freedom Trail." The contest will continue through Monday, Feb. 20. Winners will be announced during a dinner on Monday, Feb. 27.

Throughout the month, an exhibit focusing on South Africa and Apartheid will be on display on the first floor of the Zahnow Library. Books and materials related to South Africa and Apartheid will be on display.

The Progressive Student Association will sponsor a dance in Lower Level Doan from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 10.

On Tuesday, Feb. 14, Program Board will present two showings of "Cry Freedom" in the Theatre. Show times are

1 and 10 p.m. "Cry Freedom" is an explosive, emotional film set in contemporary South Africa. It personifies the ongoing struggle between black activist Stephen Biko (Denzel Washington) and liberal white newspaper editor Donald Woods (Kevin Kline).

Also on Feb. 14 and 15, the Progressive Student Association will sponsor a carnation sale to benefit the organization. Carnations will be sold for \$1.50 in the Doan Center Concourse on Feb. 14 and in the Brown Concourse on Feb. 15.

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### **Higher Education: En Route to Freedom Trail**

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A panel discussion of South Africa highlights activities on Wednesday, Feb. 15 from noon to 1 p.m. in Lower Level Doan.

Scheduled panelists are Dr. Thomas Hearron, professor of English; Simphiwe Hlatshway, adjunct professor of history; and Dr. Joseph Ofori-Dankwa, assistant professor of management. The panel discussion is sponsored by Campus Activities.

From 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. on Feb. 15, the film documentary "Winnie and Nelson

Mandela" will be shown. The Mandelas were leaders of the black struggle for freedom and dignity in South Africa. The film presents the tale through Winnie's eyes, beginning in 1959 when she became one of the first black social workers and married lawyer and African National Congress leader Nelson Mandela. The documentary is sponsored by Campus Activities.

A gospel concert will take place beginning at 8 p.m., Feb. 17 in the Theatre. The concert is sponsored by the Progressive Student Association.

The association also will sponsor an open meeting and film about minority life on a college campus at 4 p.m. on Feb. 23 in Room 158 of Pioneer Hall. A discussion will follow the film.

Events will conclude with a dinner on Monday, Feb. 27. The dinner will begin at 5 p.m. in Lower Level Doan. Students may attend free of charge. A guest speaker is scheduled and essay winners will be announced, with prizes awarded to the first three places. In addition, the essay winners will read their winning prose. The dinner is sponsored by the Progressive Student Association. Essay prizes include gift certificates from the SVSU Bookstore.

## **BILINGUAL EDUCATION NOMINATES 12 FOR AWARDS**

The Hispanic Education Awards Committee has accepted the nominations of 12 SVSU students for the Outstanding Hispanic College Graduate Award. Eleven students will compete at the bachelor's degree level and one will vie at the graduate degree level.

In addition, two Bay City Public Schools' officials were nominated for their contributions toward the advancement of educational and employment opportunities for Hispanics. Dr. Dale Martin, superintendent, was nominated for the Non-Hispanic Educator of the Year Award and Deputy Superintendent Joe E. Gonzales was recommended for the Hispanic Educator of the Year Award.

The statewide recognition will take place during the 1989 Hispanic Education Conference in Lansing, April 14 and 15.

Nominated at the bachelor's degree level were Camille Brian, Susana Córdova, Priscilla Arocha, Diana Larue, Juanita Guerrero, Louis Mercado, Jesse Montez, Christine Montoya-Pease, David Allan Perez, Hilda Shay and Jane Treviño.

Recommended at the master's degree level was Guillermo Castañón.

Anyone who wishes to write letters in support of any nominees should do so prior to Feb. 24. The letters will be collected by the Bilingual/Bicultural Education Center and packaged into individual portfolios before sending them to the Office

of Hispanic Education in Lansing for the final award selection. The finalists will be announced at the end of March.

## **VISITING PROFESSOR ARRIVES FROM SHIKOKU**

Dr. Katsushi Sakai recently arrived from Shikoku Women's University in Tokushima, Japan, as a visiting professor of biology. Sakai will be with SVSU through the winter 1989 semester, during which time he will teach a senior-level biology course, "Biology of Crustacea" and "Japanese Language and Culture."

Dr. Thomas Kullgren, dean of the College of Science, Engineering and Technology, encourages the SVSU community to visit with Sakai.

"I hope you will remember to invite Dr. Sakai to those events which will make his first visit to the U.S.A. an enjoyable and memorable one," Kullgren said.

Sakai's office is located in Room 159 of the Science Building. His extension is 5649. Sakai is residing in Pine Grove Apartment 8, 7570; 799-6327.

## **COMMENCEMENT REGALIA RESERVATIONS DUE FEB. 24**

SVSU personnel planning to march in the 24th annual Commencement ceremonies on May 6 should contact the Bookstore by Feb. 24 to receive academic regalia. The regalia is free to faculty and staff and will be available for the Honors Convocation on April 13.

This year's Commencement is both an historical and futuristic occasion: it

marks the culmination of SVSU's 25th anniversary year and will be the first graduation in the new Health and Physical Education Center.

In addition, it will be the first time in five years that the entire University will be together in a single ceremony. It also will most likely be the last ceremonial function of President Jack Ryder.

To receive regalia, contact the Bookstore, ext. 4262.

## **DRESS FOR SUCCESS FASHION SHOW SLATED**

SVSU students will model several professional outfits during a "Dress for Success" program from 7 to 8:30 p.m., Monday, Feb. 20 in Lower Level Doan. Area employers will evaluate and comment on the outfits.

Discussions will center around the appropriate attire to wear to an interview and how to build a career wardrobe.

There is no admission charge. The event is sponsored by the offices of Career Counseling and Residential Life.

## **SVSU SCIENCE CLUB TO FEATURE DISCUSSION OF ASBESTOS**

The SVSU Science Club will discuss a number of the issues surrounding asbestos on Wednesday, Feb. 15. Tim Smock, an SVSU graduate and project manager with Industrial Environmental Consultants of East Lansing, will be the guest speaker.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. in Room 108 of the Science Building.

## **FACULTY ASSOCIATION** **SCHOLARSHIP NOMINATIONS DUE**

The selection committee for the Faculty Endowed Scholarship Fund reminds members of the campus community that the deadline for applications is Feb. 10.

"The mentor relationship between the faculty and the student, which is the central part of this program, has proven to be a valuable experience for participants in the past," said Dr. G. Alexander Ross, chairman of the committee.

For additional information, contact Ross at ext. 4149.

## **MINI-MASTERCLASS CANCELED**

The scheduled Feb. 17 and 18 piano masterclass with Dr. Irene Rosenberg Grau has been canceled. Another date may be set later, according to the music department, sponsor of the event.

## **SVSU TO HOST AMERICAN** **GUILD OF ORGANISTS**

SVSU's music department will combine forces with the Saginaw Valley Chapter of the American Guild of Organists to co-sponsor "An Afternoon of Workshops for the Church Musician." The workshop will take place from 12:30 to 5 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 18 in the Arbury Fine Arts Center.

The event is open to all choral directors, organists, singers, instrumentalists and music students.

The seven workshop presenters are among the tri-city area's most creative and innovative choral and instrumental musicians, said Dr. Edward Soehnlen, adjunct

professor of music and program chairman for the Saginaw Valley Chapter of AGO.

Admission to the event is \$20 at the door (\$15 if pre-registered). Students and AGO members may attend at no charge.

For more information, call the music department at extension 4159.

## **BRIEFLY SPEAKING**

-- Two stand-up comics will entertain for **Comedy Night** at 10 p.m., Feb. 7 in Lower Level Doan. Refreshments will be served.

-- The **Saginaw Valley Entrepreneurs Club** will discuss what it takes to become a fast-growing company on Feb. 8. The evening will begin at 6 p.m. in Lower Level Doan. For reservations, call extension 4048.

-- A workshop for Secretarial/Clerical personnel will take place Feb. 9 in Lower Level Doan. Two sessions of **"You Are What You Say You Are"** will be offered: 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m. The guest speaker will be Laura Foy, Health Connection coordinator at St. Mary's Medical Center.

-- In conjunction with National Collegiate Drug Awareness Week, SafeHaven will sponsor a **"Hollywood Squares"** resident hall competition at 10 p.m., Feb. 9 in Lower Level Doan. Faculty, staff and students, will participate as "SVSU Stars" to answer drug- and alcohol-related questions.

-- The **Lunchbreak Concert** on Feb. 14 will feature Charlie

Brown's Jazz Group from noon to 1 p.m. in Lower Level Doan. Spectators may bring their own lunch or purchase one for \$1.45.

-- The **Industrial Relations and Research Association** will meet beginning at 6 p.m., Feb. 16 in Lower Level Doan. To register, call extension 4064.

-- The Valley Film Society will show **"The Landlord"** at 7:45 p.m., Feb 17 in the Theatre. For ticket information, call extension 4332.

## **TRANSITIONS**

The following personnel changes occurred during January. Please make the necessary alterations to your Faculty/Staff Directory.

## **New staff**

-- **Ms. Shelly Blue** (ext. 4088), hired as senior transcript clerk, Registrar's Office.

## **Promotions/Transfers**

-- **Ms. Deborah Albrough**, transferred to senior faculty secretary, second floor Wickes, nursing; from senior secretary, College of Business and Management.

-- **Mr. Michael Andrezewski** (ext. 4274), transferred to energy management specialist from HVAC assistant.

## **Departing staff**

-- **Mr. Ed Nixon**, formerly energy management specialist.

-- **Mr. Ron Stanley**, formerly coordinator of the Martin Luther King Jr./Cesar Chavez/Rosa Parks Program.

### STATE OF THE UNIVERSITY ADDRESS: FEBRUARY 17

President Jack Ryder's annual "State of the University" address will be at 12:30 p.m., Friday, Feb. 17, in Lower Level Doan.

### DIRECTORY ALTERATIONS

Please make the following alterations to your Faculty/Staff Directory:

### New telephone numbers

-- Mr. Ronald Fitzmaurice, grounds/maintenance, Physical Plant, ext. 4316.

-- Mr. Andrew Mattfeld, maintenance, Physical Plant, ext. 4274.

-- Mr. Alan Reisinger, maintenance, Physical Plant, ext. 4274.

### POSITIONS AVAILABLE AT JAPAN CENTER

Several positions are available at the Japan Center for Michigan Universities in Shiga Prefecture, Japan. The program is organized by a consortium of Michigan's 15 public universities and administered by Michigan State University.

Three positions are available to staff the center: **program director** to be the principal administrator of the center and to teach one course; **associate program director and Japanese language instructor** to direct and teach the Japanese language courses and provide assistance to the program director; and **visiting scholar and student**

**advisor**, to teach one basic course and assist in advising and counseling students. The latter two positions require Japanese language proficiency. The director needs to be familiar with the Japanese language and culture.

The Japan Center will provide academic courses and programs for university credit in Japanese language and culture for Michigan students in the 15 public universities. The center also will be a site from which faculty and graduate students can perform research.

All interested applicants should submit a letter of interest, a curriculum vitae and three references to Joe Vogl, director of continuing education and international programs.

### HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION CENTER TOPIC OF DISCUSSION

Just what will the Health and Physical Education Center mean to the members of campus community? Any number of things, many of which will be discussed on Thursday, Feb. 9.

From 4 to 5:30 p.m. in Room 109 of Brown Hall, four representatives of the campus community will show slides of and discuss the campus community's role in the new complex.

Scheduled to address the issues are Dr. Douglas Hansen, chairman of the department of physical and health education; Bob Becker, athletic director; Bob Hanes, director of Engineering Services; and Lisa Tucker, president of Student Government.

### HIGH FIVE

-- Dave Sturm joined the list of NAIA national indoor track qualifiers when he cleared 15 feet to win the pole vault in a dual meet at Ferris State on Friday. He also finished first in the 60 high hurdles. The Cardinal men's and women's **indoor track** teams will compete in the NAIA District 23 Indoor Championships Saturday at Siena Heights.

-- Four records fell and another was tied as the **men's basketball** team Saturday defeated Lake Superior 90-78. Three SVSU free-throw records were set, another was tied and one GLIAC mark was surpassed. The Cardinals made 35 of 46 free throws, tying their record for most attempts, set against Northwood Institute in 1977. The men lost earlier in the week -- Thursday -- to Oakland University, 81-70. SVSU is third in the GLIAC with a 6-4 mark and is 11-10 overall.

-- Brenda Eiseler became the 10th Lady Cardinal to reach the 1,000th-point plateau during a 16-point effort in a 69-55 win Saturday over Lake Superior. Eiseler is ninth on that list with 1,010 points. The **women's basketball** squad lost a Thursday contest against Oakland University, 83-59. The Lady Cards are 11-11 overall and 4-6 in the GLIAC.

### EVENT WATCH

Feb. 7...Comedy Night  
Feb. 8...Entrepreneurs  
Feb. 11...BB vs. WSU  
Feb. 14...Lunchbreak  
Feb. 14..."Cry Freedom"  
Feb. 15...Panel Discussion