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Students Blast Audience Selection Procedure

by Brad Johnson and Paul Woodruff

He was paid $2000 plus expenses, he traveled all the way from Connecticut, and he was by far the most famous speaker to appear at Cal State this year. And only 69 students were allowed to hear him speak.

When Andy Rooney, 60 Minutes’ award-winning essayist, was hired by the college president’s Committee for Special College Events to speak here, Invitations went out to a number of individuals who have given their support to the college over the last year. After all of those individuals had been invited to hear Rooney’s speech, Invitations were then sent out to CSCSB faculty and staff; a total of 130 invitations were mailed to those in the community; 129 to the faculty members. Each invitation allowed its holder to purchase two tickets if he or she so desired.

Only if there were any unpurchased tickets would the students have a chance to see Rooney.

Those 259 invitations would amount to 518 invites—well over the normal capacity of the Recital Hall, where the event was held, which normally seats 275. We just didn’t expect it to go over as well as it did,” commented Jeanne Hognson, CSCSB Director of Activities. The administration assumed that most of the invitations would be returned, and the remainder of the tickets would go on sale to the students. As it turned out, however, there simply were not many tickets left to be sold.

“Leftovers, that’s what we got,” turned Paul Woodruff, A.S. Activities Director. “The students were the absolute last priority.”

Woodruff, along with many other students, was angered by the lack of communication between the administration and the students on campus. “I can certainly understand the need to reach out to members of the community. However, the people on this campus have a right to know why they were only the second or third consideration in this case. It’s understandable that they feel slighted.”

One apparent reason for the communication gap stems from the fact that the Committee for Special College Events, which sponsored the lecture, is comprised solely of faculty and administrative members; no students are consulted by the committee, and the students have no representation in the group. Hognson, one of six members of the committee, later agreed that there should be student involvement in the panel’s future decisions: “It was just an unfortunate case of poor planning and lack of communication,” concluded Woodruff. “I mean, if the A.S. Activities Director doesn’t know, and the A.S. President doesn’t know, how are the students supposed to know? I want to make sure this sort of thing never happens again.”

Hot Air Balloon Finds Itself in Hot Water

An enormous, multicolored, passenger model hot air balloon almost provided the main event at Cal State’s Springfest last Wednesday, May 13. Instead, the gigantic balloon was ordered down and deflated after giving only one free ride to P.E. Instructor Debbie Nelson. It wasn’t bad weather or flight problems which brought the balloon down, however—it was a tangle of bureaucratic red tape.

The Chancellor’s Office vetoed use of the balloon just in time to bring it down Wednesday after four hours of set-up time in front of the Library. Official word was that state liability for any mishaps connected with the balloon had not been covered, since the event had not been introduced through the customary two-month approval process (although the balloon’s operator had provided standard insurance papers at his arrival on campus).

Free use of the balloon—which normally costs $500—had been offered three days prior to the Springfest, and the proposed activity began to go through channels. Nelson, who made the initial arrangements for the balloon event, stated inquiries which proceeded through students and staff to administrators, in an attempt to obtain official sanction for the balloon’s presence.

Unfortunately, the process involved so many people that by the time notification of the event reached the top—the Chancellor’s

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Letter to the Editor

Editor, PawPrint:

Our academic year is coming to a close and this will of course have different amounts of significance for all students currently enrolled at this college. Hopefully it will result in the end of examinations and graduations, hidden and manifest and allow all of those who choose to participate in the events of this college year to part as people who have taken an active common experience and are grateful for it. For my part, I want to utilize the medium of the PawPrint to express my personal appreciation to all who participated and supported the one-time work of the HoofPrint, Cal State's first (to my knowledge) underground newspaper.

Disgruntled by the facetiousness that occurred at the PawPrint at the begging of the second quarter a number of students individually and collectively decided to publish a newspaper that the students on the campus would like to read. Judging by the remarks in the hundred or so lines (5200) papers distributed in less than two (2) days, I say that the HoofPrint was the best received publication on this campus for the remainder of the year personally. I attribute this to a desire to please the former editor of the PawPrint, Mark "Wally" Kernenovich. Under his leadership the responses of interested individuals we published the PawPrint a total of one hundred and fifty dollars. No one, was paid, so? Thank you.

In Reply...

I am writing in response to the letter to the Editor in the May 13th edition of the PawPrint. I don't understand why CO should be "sacred", just by the appearance of the ROTC program on campus. The ROTC program on just another of the many opportunities that are available on campus for the students. CO says "supposedly", rather than taking the four years normally required to finish a degree, participants are entitled to four more years of service with the U.S. Army or reserve components. This sounds to me as if CO is saying that students in the ROTC program will have to go 4 extra years to get a degree which is obviously not true.

It is not an accurate statement, because in the first place the student who signs up for a ROTC program, knows before he signs his contract how long he will have to serve. In the second place during the last three or four years, you are working in your field as an officer. You graduate in the same amount of time as you would have, had you not been in the program.

In short, I am not appealing to CO to have paid army recruiters here. They are only recruiting students who are interested in the program and in serving their country. It is not a forced program and they will not pressure someone who is not interested. The ROTC program is just another of the college's individual callings which CO seems so concerned to preserve.

Sincerely,
Robyn Perry

Meet Your New A.O.C. Officers

If you have grievances about the way things are suggested for improvement, or want to meet the new officers, drop by the Senate Chambers office, S.U. on the following days.

Tues. 20th 11-12 Thurs. 26th 5-6 Wed. 27th 2-3 Bring your lunch, coffee and donuts served.

AN OPEN LETTER TO ALL FACULTY FROM THE CENTER FOR GENERAL EDUCATION

Last term most of you received a rather vague request from Mayor John D. Hoge, a person I think is an important member of the Faculty Senate. I think John D. Hoge expression of the sentiments of those who have received public notice on this campus next year as a graduate student in a Special Masters Program.

Sincerely,

John R. Hoge

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE STUDENTS OF CAL STATE, SAN BERNARDINO

May 4th and 5th the Summer Youth Program staff of the San Bernardino Employment and Training Administration has the opportunity to interview students on campus for the Summer Youth Program. Interviewing the students was a privilege and a pleasure. If this is a representative sample of students at Cal State, San Bernardino, you are most impressive.

The students interviewed were found to be highly motivated, verbal, and intelligent. They were on an asset to any organization with whom they could be employed. The Summer Youth Staff looks forward to working with the students selected and are glad to talk the time to apply and interview.

Keep Climbin'

by Rick Ergang
**Balloon Saga...**

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The balloon was on campus and several students had spent hours setting it up. It would have had to be manned space flight for attinutes of up to 100 feet.

Word of the balloon came down the hierarchical ladder much faster than it went up. The message from the Chancellor's office was definitive and immediate: permission to use the balloon was denied and its removal was ordered.

An unidentified agent of the bureaucratic process arrived at the flight site, passing the order to bring the balloon down and take it away. Much to the amusement of disappointed onlookers, including those who'd spent hours helping prepare for the event.

One of those who helped set up, Sophomore Kevin Laughlin, ripped up the time sheet which would have paid him for the effort, and voiced his disgust with the outcome. The importance of the balloon is that it would have attracted many more people to the fair and generated a lot more money for the activities. The balloon was the key to the visibility of the fair. If they (Piccolo Balloon Co.) donated a $500 service for nothing, 'I don't want to be paid either.' More important, he continued, is the fact that many people lost the opportunity to see something as spectacular as this, and will probably never have the opportunity to even ride in a balloon..."
"81" Spring

Amethyst, jamming for the crowd at the festival.

Russ Castle with his award-winning pet Clyde, who garnered top prize in the Ugliest Pet category.

Dell Young, Master of Ceremonies for the Pet Show.
Maryann Millard's Teddy, sitting on her head, was judged the festival's Most Unique pet.

Emmett Chapman and his patented Stick.

Festival

Part of the huge, monstrous, overwhelmingly large crowd at the Spring Festival.
Students Needed to Serve on Senate Committees

Students who wish to be directly involved in the governance of the institution have an opportunity to do so at this time, according to Doyle Starzec, Associate Dean of Students.

Applications are available for students to serve on the standing committees of the CSCSB Faculty Senate during the 1981-82 year. Deadline for applications is June 1, 1981. Application forms are available in the Faculty Senate Office, the A.S. Office, the Dean Of Students Office and in the School Deans' Offices. Eligibility requirements are the same as for A.S. office holders.

Following are the committees with the number of student members shown:
- Admissions and Academic Standards (1), AV and TV (1), Center for General Education (2), Computer Affair (1)
- College-wide Committee on Writing Proficiency (1), Continuing Education (1), Curriculum and Instruction (1), Graduate Education (1), Improvement of and Innovation in Education (4), Library (1), Student Affairs (4), Teacher Preparation (1)

Students may list a committee preference or ask for assignment to any opening. The Student Affairs Committee reviews all applications and makes appointments in early June.

Castle, Kiefer Cop Coyote

"The only reason I entered the race was to have enough intramural participations for a T-shirt," said Russ Castle after he and Shari Kiefer won the 1981 Coyote 500 Road Rally. This was Castle and Kiefer's first year in the rally and they took the first place honors by finishing the contest within 21 seconds of their designated finishing time.

The Coyote 500 was "very scenic" according to Castle as the 24 mile route took all 20 participants up into the San Bernardino mountains.

Joe Long, CSCSB Intramural Director, was pleased with the turnout for the 1981 road rally as the number of teams doubled from last year's figures and there were three times more women participating.

Also interesting to Long was the fact that last year's winners Koshi Luster and Debbie Morales came in last in 1981, and Tom Elbert, the driver of the winning 1979 team came in seventh. "It just goes to show," Long said, "that anyone can win!"

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Students receiving Veteran Administration Education Benefits should be advised no five (5) units constitute full enrollment status for both summer sessions. Any question should be directed to the Veterans Affairs Office, room 181. Telephone (714) 867-7392.

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THE UNTOLD STORY OF THE MAN BEHIND THE MASK AND THE LEGEND BEHIND THE MAN.

The loyal friend he trusted. The woman fate denied him. The great silver stallion he rode. And his consuming love of justice.

LORD GRADE and JACK WRATHER Present A MARTIN STARGER Production "THE LEGEND OF THE LONE RANGER" Starring KLINTON SPILSBURY, MICHAEL HORSE, CHRISTOPHER LLOYD and JASON ROBARDS as PRESIDENT ULYSSES S. GRANT Executive Producer MARTIN STARGER. Screenplay by IVAN GOFF & BEN ROBERTS and MICHAEL KANE. Music by JOHN BARRY, Director of Photography LASZLO KOVACS. Produced by WALTER COLENZ. Directed by WILLIAM A. FRAKER. Produced in association with HAGGARD Productions, 1981. Original Soundtrack Available on MCA Records, MISC.

STUDENT wants to rent room in house with family. Interested families with rooms to rent please call 683-5754. TYPING: Need typing done for evening classes. Office 853-5754 or evenings. Required to be delivered 858-5754.

Employment Opportunities

COOK: Someone who loves to cook is needed to work in a restaurant with the days and hours to be arranged. Position pays $4.00/hour. Minimum. No. 859.

FIFTH GRADE MATH AND ENGLISH TUTOR: A student who is good at teaching and who has excellent English skills is needed to work with a fifth grader in Math and English. Position pays $5.00/hour. No. 850.

SALESPERSON: A service station owner is looking for a student to pump gas, help customers, sell accessories and do light lubrication jobs. Must live in the Highland area. No own transportation. The position pays $4.00/hour plus commission and you would work late afternoons and evenings. No. 856.

COUNSELOR: Student is needed to counsel women considering pregnancy termination two days a week (10hrs/week). The position pays $4.35/hr. No special counseling classes required as student would be giving our education and information. No. 859.

Musical Chairs Game to Set World Record

By Sandy Del George

The biggest game of musical chairs in history will be held on May 22 at the Ohio State Campus. The game, which will be featured in the Guinness Book of World Records, will be held on Wednesday, May 20, 1981, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Ohio State University. The game will begin when all are signed in. Admission charge for the event is 50¢. A local disc jockey will provide music. The first round will have 100 chairs, which will be pulled out every 30 minutes until one chair remains. The final suspenseful round will see only one chair remain. The winner will be chosen by the judges. Prizes other than being immortalized in the Guinness Book of World Records will be awarded. As a trophy going to the school from whose ranks come the greatest number of brave participants.