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# THE BULLETIN

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**FOURTH OF JULY HOLIDAY COMING UP** The College will observe Independence Day with an academic/administrative holiday on Friday, July 4. The college will be closed that day, including the Cafeteria, Student Union and Library. The pool, however, will be open from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and the courts will be open from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4-9 p.m.

**NEW APPOINTMENTS FOR DEPARTMENT CHAIRS AND SCHOOL DEAN** President Pfau has announced new appointments and reappointments for the academic year effective Sept. 1, 1980.

Reappointed to three-year terms were: Dr. H. Arthur Hoverland, school of administration dean; Dr. Frances F. Berdan, department of anthropology chair; Dr. Kent M. Schofield, department of history chair; and Dr. Ruth Wilson, department of biology chair.

New appointments to three-year terms as department chair included: Dr. Sherrie R. Bartell, special programs, Dr. William D. Gean, philosophy; and Dr. Fook F. Liu, physics.

Dr. Dorothy Johnson has been appointed to a one-year term as chairman of the nursing department.

**STATE BUDGET COMMITTEE SETS EMPLOYEES' RAISES AT 10.5%** State employees are headed for a 10.5% pay raise package for the coming year, as the result of legislative conference committee action Wednesday. The recommendation of the joint committee from the Senate and Assembly must go back to each house for final approval and then to Governor Brown. The new fiscal year begins Tuesday, July 1.

According to media reports, Gov. Brown agreed upon the 10.5% figure Wednesday after a meeting with state workers unions. The governor originally proposed 9%. The Assembly had included 9.9% in its budget version and the Senate had voted for 11.7% originally.

The salary increase package includes a 9.8% pay raise, .5% in health benefit improvements and .2% in adjustments for lower-paid workers. The latter includes a \$100 minimum monthly raise for all workers making \$1030 or less.

PAY DAY IS MONDAY, JULY 30

TONY BRITTO RETIRES  
AFTER NEARLY 15 YEARS

For the past 14 years and seven months, Tony Britto has been Cal State's in-residence merchant. Virtually every supply or piece of equipment reaching the campus has gone through his hands. Effective today, Tony retires from his position as shipping and receiving assistant II, which translates to supervisor of campus stores, receiving and mail service.

When Britto joined the college as a stock clerk in 1966, his supply and mail room was located in the Administration Building. A few years later he moved to more spacious quarters in the rear of the Fine Arts Building. The fenced area behind the Fine Arts Building, now occupied by glassblowing, ceramics and woodworking, was his receiving dock. From this space, he also issued the state cars (all four of them). The next moves were to the Physical Plant Building and finally to their own building next door. The staff meanwhile grew to three assistants.

Britto has become well known throughout the campus and the state for his work within CSEA. He has served three terms (six years) as president of the Badger Hills Chapter on campus and for five years has been assistant regional director of Region 23. He was the first certified job steward for the campus and currently is the chief job steward. In order to become certified, he attended classes and handled three grievances with field representatives.

After retirement, Britto will go full-time into real estate, a field he has been involved in part-time for 10 years. Next November he and his wife, Kathryn, will move to Phoenix where he will take over his mother-in-law's real estate business. Mrs. Britto will operate an antique shop on the same site.

A native of Portchester, N.Y., Britto came to California on vacation in the winter and decided to stay. He worked in shipping and receiving for San Bernardino County for five years before coming to the new college.

The major heart surgery he underwent early this year has been a factor in Britto's opting to retire under the early retirement program.

"I have enjoyed working with the people here," he said, especially commenting on the assistance given by physical plant crews when his department was short-handed.

JULY HOURS FOR  
ART GALLERY

The art gallery will be open 9 a.m. to noon and 1-3 p.m. Monday-Friday through July 3. It will be closed July 4-6. From July 7 to Aug. 1 the hours will be 12:30-4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday. Regular summer hours will resume in August. On display throughout the summer will be the annual juried student show. More than 100 works in all media are being exhibited.

BOOKSTORE TO CLOSE  
FOR INVENTORY

The bookstore will be closed July 1 for its yearly inventory and July 4 for the holiday. Hours for the summer will be 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday.

PLUMBER, FRED CORDOVA,  
HAS BEEN MUCH MORE

Although classified a plumber, Fred Cordova has meant much more to Cal State than his title might suggest. After 15 years of service to the college, Fred will retire this month and who would deny the additional titles of all-around handyman, troubleshooter and advocate for employee rights, don't also fit him well?

He came to the college in August 1965 and worked out of the initial Administration Building located on Mountain View in San Bernardino. Hired on as the first groundsman, he became Cal State's first plumber in 1967.

He began working on the college site in September 1965 with a skeleton crew and remembers "back then the buildings didn't even have doors. Each evening we would secure plywood pieces to the openings and would come in every morning and remove them so the employees could come to work."

Considered the founder of Cal State's CSEA Chapter 184, Fred was also the organization's first president. He has also been a general council delegate, has held office in every statewide committee and has served as assistant regional director for CSEA.

Wherever there was an employee group Fred always appeared to be right in the middle. He helped to form the statewide occupational council for CSEA and served as its chairman from 1970-78. He was also instrumental in forming the Cal State Staff Council, which existed from 1968-1979 until collective bargaining laws came about.

In his years at Cal State there have been many experiences Fred will always remember. One of the most interesting, he recalls, was the Thanksgiving he was just about to sit down to dinner and was called out to the college because the wind had blown out a few windows of the college's newest building (at that time), the Commons.

"I am going to miss the campus and the people I have worked with very much," he smiled. "But I've got so doggone much work to do at home I think I'll keep busy." His immediate plans include a vacation to Las Vegas with his wife Angelina and then a trip to Spain, in the fall, to do a little Cordova "root tracing."

Fred has been chairman of the Central Valley Mental Health Project for two years and plans to continue for another year. That, added to his hobbies of lapidary and old-home buying and remodeling, should keep him busy indeed.

COLLEGE RECEIVES 1980-81  
FINANCIAL AID ALLOCATIONS

Three allocations of student financial aid money, nearly equal to the initial grants last year, will be awarded to the college for the 1980-81 school year, according to word received by President Pfau from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. The allocations are: supplemental educational opportunity grants program, \$94,008; college work-study program, \$122,040; and national direct student loan program, \$103,210. The work-study money is a matching grant, with the college providing 20 percent for the federal government's 80 percent.

COLLEGE SAYS GOODBYE TO  
PE EQUIPMENT ATTENDANT

When Betty Gregory came to Cal State in April 1967 as an equipment attendant for Physical Education, the college was so new it didn't have the large gym/PE facility that is now in use. In fact, her first office was a shed located on the playing fields that was shared with the groundspeople.

There were no bathrooms out there and she remembers having to brush her teeth out of a drinking fountain. "From my desk in the shed, I could sit and watch the deer come down from the mountain to eat the grapes off the vines that used to line the playing field," she recollected.

She will retire at the end of this month after 13 years of service to the college. Before coming here, she worked as PE equipment attendant at Cal State, Long Beach for 8 years.

"I really love this type of work," she explained. "It's active and you don't always have to sit at a desk. I have especially enjoyed working with the students."

Her immediate retirement plans include sewing classes and travel to Oregon, Ohio and Florida, where "if I like it, I may decide to live there with my sisters."

LIBRARY ANNOUNCES BOOK  
COLLECTION WINNERS

Bruce Burton, a senior from Riverside, has won the 11th annual Cal State Library book collection contest with his collection titled "Magic Mirrors-- Dreams of Fantasy and the Macabre." Second prize was awarded to Carolyn Preston, a graduate student from San Bernardino, for her collection, "Cookbook Nook." Susan Bishop, a junior from Hemet, received third prize for her collection, "Needlework and Crafts."

LIBRARY RECEIVES  
CERTIFICATE

The Library has received a certificate of appreciation from Patton State Hospital for having sent a number of duplicate books to the hospital earlier in the year. In addition to the certificate, an invitation was extended for a Library representative to attend the hospital's annual volunteer awards luncheon held in May. The luncheon was attended by Tony Vilches, stock clerk for the Library.

PERSONAL

Barbara Simmons, a custodian with Plant Operations, was married to Fred Brauner in Yucaipa Saturday, June 21. The couple plans to live in Redlands.

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## Speaking up

Herb Nickles (Computer Center) spoke to the Shipmates Club of the First Congregational Church in San Bernardino on "Your Friend the Computer" June 17.

Dr. Mireille Rydell (French) spoke to the Fontana Business and Professional Women's Club on "Women's Lib in Medieval France" June 18.

### PUBLICATIONS

Dr. Elliott Barkan (History) and Dr. Nikolai Khokhlov (Psychology) have an article "Socioeconomic Data as Indices of Naturalization Patterns in the United States: A Theory Revisited" in the June 1980 edition of Ethnicity.

### Professional Activities

Dr. Margaret Gibbs (Public Administration) served as a discussion leader at the 3rd National Conference on the Teaching of Public Administration at Evergreen College, Olympia, WA, May 30-31.

Edna Steinman (Public Affairs) and James Urata (Physical Plant) were elected to the corporate board of San Bernardino Community Hospital at its annual meeting June 17. Miss Steinman was re-elected and Urata was named to his first three-year term. President John M. Pfau is a member of the hospital's board of directors.

James Urata (Physical Plant) was honored as Volunteer of the Year by the San Bernardino YMCA at its recent annual meeting. Urata was chairman of the building committee during major expansion and was a team leader in the capital fund campaign.

### DIRECTORY CHANGES

#### Retiring:

Anthony Britto  
Shipping and Receiving

Fred Cordova  
Physical Plant

Anton Gorkowski  
Custodial Services

Betty J. Gregory  
Physical Education

#### Temporary to Permanent:

Patricia M. Rein  
Assistant Cashier Clerk  
Accounting, ext. 7501

#### Promotion:

Mike Arredondo  
Shipping and Receiving Assistant II  
Shipping and Receiving, ext. 7597

#### New to college:

Walter C. Erskine  
Painter I  
Housing, ext. 7405

Dewayne Hildreth  
Building Services Engineer  
Heating and Air-Conditioning, ext. 7436

#### Increase in time base:

Howard Dexter  
Piano Technician II A  
Humanities, ext. 7454

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

### ADMISSIONS

Admissions Counselor--  
salary: \$1250-1502/mo.;  
available 7/10/80-9/30/80;  
apply by 2 p.m., July 1.  
F/T. Temp.

Clerical Assistant IIA--  
salary: \$843-1007/mo.;  
available immediately to  
3/31/81; apply by 2 p.m.,  
July 7. F/T. Temp.

### BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

Department Secretary II--  
salary: stenography, \$1030-1234/mo.  
dictaphone, \$1007-1206/mo.;  
available immediately; apply  
by 2 p.m., July 1. F/T. Perm.

### FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Department Secretary IC--  
salary: \$392.50-469.50/mo.  
(20 hours/wk.); available  
9/1/80-6/30/81; apply by 2 p.m.,  
July 7. P/T. Temp.

### HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING

Building Services Engineer--salary:  
\$1448-1663/mo.; available immediately;  
F/T. Perm.

### SCHOOL OF ADMINISTRATION

Clerical Assistant IIB--  
salary \$450.50-538.50/mo. (20 hours/wk.);  
available immediately to 6/30/81; apply  
by 2 p.m., July 1. P/T. Temp.

### SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES

Department Secretary IA--salary:  
\$942-1127/mo.; available immediately;  
apply by 2 p.m., July 7. F/T. Perm.

Clerical Assistant IIA--salary:  
\$421.50-503.50/mo. (20 hours/wk.);  
available immediately to 6/30/81;  
apply by 2 p.m., July 7. P/T. Temp.