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Faculty Building Bids Come in Over Budget

Construction bids received Tuesday, March 4 for the $1.8 million faculty office building were at least 37 percent over budget, reports James Urata, director of administrative affairs and plant operations. The low bid of $2.4 million was from Baldi Brothers Construction of Beaumont, while the high bid of $2.8 million was submitted by Berry Construction of Upland. Out of the 10 contractors expected to bid, six participated.

"We met with the Chancellor's Office staff and instructed the architect and consulting engineer to review the plans and determine what modifications can be made to the building to bring it more in line with the budget without impairing the function of the facility," Urata explained. "They have two weeks to comply. We will probably open the bids again in three months. If all goes well, construction should get underway this summer and the building be completed before fall 1987."

Deans Candidates Visit Campus

Dr. Stella Clark and three other candidates for the dean of the School of Humanities will be available to meet with faculty, staff, students and administrators next week. The fifth candidate, Dr. Emanuel Rubin, was on campus yesterday for a full day of meetings. He currently is director of the School of Music at Ball State University.

Dr. Clark currently is interim dean of humanities and served as acting dean during the previous academic year. In addition, she has served as associate dean for undergraduate programs. She holds a Ph.D. in Spanish from the University of Kansas. She is a specialist in Latin American literature. Her professional work includes numerous articles, book reviews and national conference presentations on the subject. Dr. Clark also is associate editor of Hispania, a journal of the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese. She will talk about future directions for the School of Humanities in an open forum from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Monday, in the Eucalyptus Room of the Lower Commons.

Dr. Beverly Hendricks of Cal State, Northridge will be available at an open forum from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Tuesday, in Student Union Rooms A and B. She is currently acting associate vice president for graduate studies, research and international programs at Northridge. She has been acting associate dean for graduate programs and acting dean of arts and letters at Cal State, Los Angeles, where she was responsible for organizing the new School of Arts and Letters. Dr. Hendricks holds a Ph.D. in speech communication from Northwestern. She has published extensively in language arts education and has been an advisory editor for Communication Education and Western Journal of Speech Communication.

Dr. William Cook, dean of academic affairs at Johnson State College in Vermont, will meet in an open forum from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, in Student Union Rooms A and B. He holds a Ph.D. in English from Lehigh University and has taught English at Boston University and Bradford College. Between 1974-80, Dr. Cook was chief academic officer of the University of New Hampshire at Manchester, which he developed from a branch campus to an independent campus unit of the UNH system. He established a four-year humanities B.A. degree, conceived the general education program and secured over $400,000 in grants from the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Dr. Gerard Knieter of the University of Akron will appear in an open forum from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Thursday, in Student Union Rooms A and B. He is currently dean of the College of Fine and Applied Arts. He holds an Ed.D. in developmental psychology and music education from Columbia. He has combined these interests in teaching a course, "Psychology of the Arts," for sixth-year medical students at the University of Akron. His work includes establishing programs in social work, modern dance, interior design, arts management and music therapy. His prior teaching experience includes Cal State, San Jose, 1962-65, as well as Duquesne and Temple Universities.
Few Tickets Left For Renaissance Dinner

A few tickets are available for the Thursday, March 13 presentation of the popular Renaissance Festival dinner theatre, which will center on the life and times of Michelangelo. A multicourse Italian gourmet feast will be accompanied by music from the late 15th and early 16th centuries, presented by the university's Chamber Singers and the Music Department. Tickets are $25 per person for the event, which begins at 7:30 p.m. each evening in the Commons. More information is available through the Music Department at Ext. 7454.

Senior Art Show Opens Wednesday

Photography and etchings will be the focus of an art show, assembled by Tami Mecham, Michael Burke and Sharon Zorn, on display March 12-27. The exhibit will open with a public reception from 6 to 8 p.m., Wednesday, March 12 in the Art Gallery.

Theatre Arts Hosts L.A. Talent Agent

Claire Hiam, a Hollywood talent agent whose clients range from Kleenex, Burger King, Seven-Up, Coca Cola and McDonalds will provide an inside look at casting for commercials at 4 p.m., Monday, March 10 in CA 143. She will address theatre arts majors, students from community colleges and interested people from the campus and community. Her appearance is sponsored by the Intellectual Life Committee.

Blood Drive Unsuccessful

The Health Center's annual Blood Drive, which was conducted last Thursday, netted only 49 pints of blood compared with an average of 90-100 pints in previous years, reports Dr. James Savage. Sixty-two people attempted to donate, but 13 were deferred due to a variety of medical reasons.

The university Blood Reserve Fund needs many more contributions in order to keep it adequately supplied and active, he said. Donations made at the local Blood Bank can be credited to the university's Reserve Fund.

The Health Center appreciates the efforts of those who turned out to donate as well as the contribution of soft drink coupons by PFM for all donors. The t-shirt and hat contributed by Recreational Sports as incentives were awarded to students Melinda Conley and Felicia Reyes.

Campus Night At Disneyland

Faculty, staff, students and their families and friends are invited to a "private party" for all employees of southern California colleges at Disneyland from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m., Friday, March 14. The special evening, which is not open to the general public, offers discounted admission rates. General admission, which is normally $16.50 for adults, will be $11.50 for adults and $9.50 for children ages 3-12. The exclusive evening also includes free parking and gifts at the door. Tickets must be purchased in advance through the Special Events Office in the Student Union at Ext. 7943.

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Free Physicals at Health Center

Free physical examinations will be given by nurses in the Nursing Department for faculty, staff and students Monday, March 10; Wednesday, March 12 and Monday, March 17. The exams will be given in the Health Center and take about an hour. To arrange an appointment, call the Nursing Department at Ext. 7346 or the Health Center at Ext. 7641.

Discount Lakers Tickets Available

Several tickets are available at a discount rate for the Lakers vs the Clippers, Wednesday, March 19 through the American Culture and Language Program (ACLP). The tickets were purchased at the group rate of $11 for seats which would normally cost $15. Several ACLP students and employees of Extended Education will be attending the game. Others interested in traveling to the Sports Arena will have to provide their own transportation. Contact Jean Delgado at Ext. 7666.

Solo/Ensemble Festival Here

Eighty junior high and high school students are expected to participate in the annual Solo Ensemble Festival, which will spotlight individual vocalists and instrumentalists during the day-long competition. Sponsored by the Southern California School Band and Orchestra Association, the festival was organized by Dr. Carolyn Neff (Music) and alumnus Dan Reed of Cajon High School.

Professional Activities

Dr. Elliott Barkan (History) spoke on "Photography of Ethnic Communities in Los Angeles" Feb. 11 to the Los Angeles Project at USC.

Dr. Ernest Bernal (Education) addressed the Title VII conference on bilingual special education regarding "The Bilingual Gifted Child: Identification and Education," at Cal State, Northridge Feb. 20. In addition, he was one of five presenters at a workshop designed to increase the representation of minority children in gifted programs, which was sponsored by the Kansas State Department of Education in Wichita, Kan., Feb. 21-22.

Dr. Vivian Burton (Education) delivered the keynote speech, "Excellence through Opportunities - New Visions, New Insights, New Directions," at the 17th Annual Conference of the National Association of University Women, Feb. 15.

Community Service

Dr. Robert Blackey (History) and Dr. Diane Halpern (Psychology) are offering an all-day, inservice presentation on "Critical Thinking" to the entire faculty of Cajon High School today.

Dr. Robert Detweiler (Academic Affairs) has been elected to the Board of Trustees of the San Bernardino Community Hospital Foundation.

A three-hour workshop on Readers Theatre was presented by Dr. Adria Klein (Education) to the teachers at Deer Canyon Elementary in Alta Loma, Monday, Feb. 14.

Dr. Peter W. Schramm (Political Science) spoke to the Claremont Kiwanis Feb. 27 on "The Future of Democracy in the Philippines."
Faculty/Staff Social
On St. Patrick’s Day

An end-of-the-quarter faculty/staff social will be held from 4:30 to 7 p.m., Monday, March 17 in the Lower Commons. Everyone is invited and asked to help defray expenses by contributing $1 to the nearest school office or at the gathering.

Congratulations

The university community extends congratulations to Dr. C.E. Tapie Rohm, Jr. (Marketing, Management Science and Information Management) and his wife, Karen, on the birth of a son, Taylor Cody, Feb. 10. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

Sympathy

The university community extends sympathy to Pam Dortch (Children's Center) on the death of her grandfather, Dilford Reese, Tuesday in Los Angeles. Services are today.

Personnel

NEW TO THE UNIVERSITY

Full-time, probationary

Penny Chasmer
Clerical Assistant IIIA
School of Social and Behavioral Sciences
BI 29, Ext. 7632

R. Jeannine Dickey
Clerical Assistant IIA
Academic Programs
AD 194, Ext. 7203

Full-time, temporary to June 30, 1986

Linda Hendricks
Clerical Assistant IIA
Admissions Office
SS 106, Ext. 7311

Ross Miyashiro
Clerical Assistant IA
Relations with High Schools
Trailer 9A, Ext. 7610

Employment Opportunities

(Applications will be accepted from 2 p.m., today, until 2 p.m., March 21.)

LEARNING CENTER
Clerical Assistant IIA--$1,269-$1,496/mo.; full-time, permanent.