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Construction Abounds in Varied Projects

The growth of the campus is readily apparent this summer in the $3.5 million of major and minor construction projects, upgrading and maintenance work underway in preparation for the opening of the university's 23rd year in September.

The Faculty Office Building, which will accommodate 81 faculty plus the Schools of Education and Social and Behavioral Sciences, is 90 percent complete. The interior work—including installation of heating and cooling units, floor tiles, fixtures and blinds—and the landscaping is to be finished by mid-August. Moving of faculty and department offices is to begin Aug. 17.

The contract for the moving of 181 offices (including the shifting of people to occupy the spaces formerly assigned to Education and Social and Behavioral Sciences) will be opened Aug. 3. Campus crews will endeavor to paint and clean many of the vacated offices before the new occupants arrive. Some renovation will be completed by university craftsmen to accommodate the changes.

Projects underway this summer, as compiled from Physical Plant and Facilities Planning, include:

1. Bookstore addition: 45 percent complete; upper floor to be closed in by first week of September; completion scheduled for Nov. 22. Carpets and fixtures will be installed in December so the facility will be ready for use with the beginning of the winter quarter. The second floor will be Bookstore and the half-basement level will be classrooms for Extended Education.

2. Serrano Village Multipurpose Room: construction was started June 30 and is anticipated to take four months; occupancy slated for Oct. 31.

3. Parking lot addition: work on the 400-space lot south of the Commons and adjacent to Serrano Village is 2½ weeks ahead of schedule. With the project 45 percent complete, the lot should be available for parking about the second week in September.

4. Renovation of the Student Union: the contract was awarded last week and work is in progress to increase the dining area by removing walls between the snack bar and pub. New lighting fixtures are included in the project, set for completion by Sept. 18.

5. Public Safety Office: a control center, a conference room and five offices for the campus police officers are being built in the main building at the Physical Plant. The 1200 square feet will give the department more space than it currently has in the Heating and Airconditioning Building. University craftsmen did the work, which is to be completed in August.

6. Modular classrooms: four temporary classroom buildings will be installed east of the Biology and Physical Sciences Buildings to meet the need for classrooms on an emergency basis. The pads are being completed; the structures are due in mid-August and walkways and ramps will be installed. The electrical work will be contracted. The buildings will have a wooden exterior, tan with brown trim. They will provide four new classrooms.

7. Coachella Valley Center Modular Building: the more permanent, but still temporary, classroom-office buildings for the center are expected to arrive early in October.

8. Recital Hall: the project of replacing the hardwood floor on the stage in the Recital Hall will go to bid soon.

9. Repainting exterior trim on the Administration, Student Services, Visual Arts and Creative Arts Building; project to be rebid.

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Smoking Now Banned
In Hallways, Stairs

Smoking is now prohibited in the hallways and stairs of all public buildings on campus, according to a major revision in the campus smoking policy approved by the Administrative Council this month.

Cigarettes, pipes and cigars previously had been banned in all classrooms, lecture halls and elevators plus all public areas of the Pfau Library.

Smoking is allowed in private offices, group offices with the consent of all occupants, and designated dining and break areas unless otherwise posted.

A petition bearing 1700 signatures was presented to the university's Risk Management Committee in June to request the smoking ban be extended to corridors and stairs. The revision, prompted by the growing concern about the hazards of secondary smoke exposure, was supported by the committee.

Concerts Continue
With Folk, Blue Grass

The folk music of Woody Guthrie, Leadbelly and Pete Seeger will be revived in a free outdoor concert Wednesday, July 29 by Ross Altman, folksinger-guitarist. The free concert, part of the summer series, begins at 7 p.m. in the Commons Plaza.

Altman, once an English teacher, turns his stage into a classroom as he interprets the American folk tradition through songs and stories. His latest record and tape is "Walking by Woody's Side," which is his own composition.

A "blue grass blowout" is the theme for the Aug. 5 concert, with the return of the Phil Salazar Band. The program will be supplemented by fiddle champion Charl Ann Gastineau and the Cole Miners Clogging Club from San Bernardino.

Concerts are scheduled for each Wednesday evening through Aug. 26.

Uni Phi Honors
Botting, Peterson

Before concluding its year, the Uni Phi Club honored faculty and students for their support of students with disabilities. Dr. Richard Botting (Computer Science) received the Dr. Fred Kellers Award, which is designated for a faculty member who has been sensitive to the needs of students with disabilities and has appropriately adapted teaching techniques and materials in the classroom to equalize educational opportunities.

The Frank Lootens Award, which recognizes outstanding and consistent work behind the scenes as well as technical and attitudinal support, was presented to Walter Peterson, a student assistant in the Services to Students with Disabilities Office last year and this summer.

The Anita Hallberg and Barbara Sovereign Awards, for students who have achieved and have demonstrated leadership, went to John Jamerson and William J. Gropp, Jr. Dr. Kellers is a professor of physics and Lootens and Mrs. Sovereign are staff members who have been honored in the naming of the awards.

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10. Removal of indigenous area: the native brush north of the Student Services Building has been removed. After the irrigation system is installed, the area will be hydroseeded.

11. Automatic entry doors: the contract has been awarded for installation of automatic doors at the Physical Education Building.

12. Library carpet and tile replacements: portions of the third and fourth floors of the Library are being recarpeted. The stacks, which are bolted to the floors for earthquake safety, are not being moved and the carpet is being replaced in the aisles and walkways. A contractor will begin work early in August to replace the carpet in the basement-to-second-floor stairwells with tile.

13. Student Services remodeling: campus personnel are remodeling the conference room into an office for Facilities Planning; the vacated offices will be taken over by Financial Aid.

14. Laboratory remodeling in Pfau Library: work has been completed on remodeling the computer lab in PL 247 and the language lab in PL 266-266A.

15. Exterior lighting: existing lighting fixtures on the campus are being modified to provide greater illumination; the project is on-going.

16. Swimming pool heater: a new energy-efficient pool heater will be installed in early August to provide for extended use of the pool by the swim teams.

17. Elevator repair work: a year-long project will be to re-work elevators in the Pfau Library, the Biology Building and the Physical Sciences Building.

18. Biology parking lot expansion: bids and funding are being sought to add approximately 50 spaces to the temporary lot on the north side of the campus.

19. Commons projects: work to be completed in August includes installation of security grates for the kitchen, a stainless splash in the kitchen, paint and tile repair, installation of track lighting and repair of the block wall around the service area. Part of the tasks will be let to bid and others will be done in-house.

20. Foundation Office remodeling: after social sciences faculty have left the Student Services Building, offices on the far side will be remodeled to provide quarters for the Foundation Office.

Open Forums Set For President’s Assistant

Five finalists will be brought to campus in the next 10 days for interviews for the position of assistant to the president, said Dr. David Porter, chair of the search committee.

Open forums are set from 3 to 4 p.m. in PL 241 for the campus community to meet the candidates. The individuals, and the dates they will be on campus, are: Dr. Juan Gonzalez, from the Higher Education Institute at UCLA, today, July 24; Dr. Winslow Rogers, associate dean, Claremont Graduate School, Tuesday, July 28; Dr. Robert Crigler, special consultant in the Chancellor’s Office, Wednesday, July 29; and Dr. Susan Ashraf, summer session director at CSU, Long Beach, Wednesday, Aug. 5. One finalist, Dr. Adrienne Sims, assistant dean of admissions at the University of Redlands, was here yesterday.

Approximately 150 applicants were reviewed by the selection committee, which included Hugo Bustamante, student representative; Dr. Stella Clark, Foreign Languages; Jan Jackson, Extended Education; Dr. Adria Klein (Education); Dr. Junryo Miyashita (Computer Science), Pola Patterson (Library) and Cynthia Pringle (Media Relations).
Community Service

Dr. Derk Bruins (National Security Studies) addressed the San Bernardino Host Lions Club July 9 on "U.S. Foreign Relations in the 1990s."

Dr. David Porter (Business and Public Administration) spoke to the County of Riverside Economic Development Council July 9 regarding "Tourism as an Arrow in the Economic Development Quiver."

Dr. Gilbert Sanchez (Pre-College Outreach Programs) has been appointed to serve on the Board of Directors of the Special Service for Groups, Inc., an umbrella organization for 15 human services agencies in Los Angeles County. The board oversees a $10 million annual budget. He also is a member of the Corporate Board of Directors of the United Way of Los Angeles County and was one of the Hispanic and Asian volunteers for the United Way recognized by the Los Angeles City Council July 17. Dr. Sanchez represents the university on the advisory committees for the East Los Angeles College Career Center and the Association of Hispanic Professionals for Education.

Dr. Alexander Sokoloff (Biology) spoke to about 140 children at the Yucaipa Branch Library July 1 on the subject "Why Not Eat Insects." His presentation was featured in an article in the San Bernardino Sun.

Dr. Amer El-Ahraf (Academic Resources, Health Science and Human Ecology) received a certificate of appreciation from the National Environmental Health Association for his contributions to the 1987 "golden anniversary" conference June 13-18 in San Diego.

Dr. Stuart Ellins (Psychology) presented a paper, "Do Coyotes Communicate Conditioned Aversions to Conspecifics?" June 23 at the annual meeting of the Animal Behavior Society at Williams College in Williamstown, MA.

Dr. Tom Pierce (Social and Behavioral Sciences, Economics) participated in a panel discussing "The Economic Consequences of the Tax Reform Act of 1986" at the annual meeting of the Western Economic Association July 8-10 in Vancouver.

Dr. Elisabeth Ryland (Management) has a paper, "Increasing the Attractiveness of Job Offers with Flexible Options," accepted for the annual meeting of the Decision Sciences Institute in November in Boston. The paper is co-authored with Benson Rosen of the University of North Carolina.

Professional Activities

The last two of this year's five summer sessions will begin Wednesday, Aug. 5. In Session II, which ends Aug. 26, students may earn five units of credit in courses in art, communication, education, psychology or social sciences. Classes meet five days a week for 2 1/2 hours each period.

Students may earn up to 10 units of credit in Session III, which concludes Sept. 10. Courses are offered in accounting, biology, communication, English, humanities, management, management science, music, natural science, philosophy, psychology, social sciences or sociology. Most classes will meet 2 1/2 hours, twice a week.

Registrations for these sessions will be accepted next week, July 27-31, at the Admissions Office. Only two of the classes are closed at this time. Further information is available from the Office of Extended Education, Ext. 7527.
Congratulations to Lynn Shepard (Academic Services, Advising Center) and Randy Sexton on their marriage July 11 in Redlands. They will make their home in San Bernardino. Sexton is a graduate student in biology here.

Personnel

REAPPOINTED

Full-time, permanent

Paula Ammerman
Intermediate Account Clerk
Accounting
Ext. 7501, AD 115

Shannon Kelley
Intermediate Account Clerk
Accounting
Ext. 7501, AD 115

Full-time, temporary to May 31, 1988

Christine Castro
Clerical Assistant IIA
Extended Education
Ext. 7527, PL 501A

Carol Damgen
Clerical Assistant IA
Enrollment Services
Ext. 7897, SS 144

Part-time, temporary to May 31, 1988

Laurie Pope
Clerical Assistant IIA
Records
Ext. 7317, SS 107
Employment Opportunities

Applications will be accepted from 2 p.m. today, for new positions, until 2 p.m. on the dates listed. Current information on employment opportunities is available through a 24-hour-hot-line at Ext. 7762 which is updated at 2 p.m. Friday.


RELATIONS WITH HIGH SCHOOLS: Student Services Professional II--$2176-$2617/mo.; full-time, permanent. Closes Aug. 14

LATE POSTINGS: All positions below close Aug. 7 unless otherwise noted.


COACHELLA VALLEY CENTER: Student Services Professional IB--$1919-$2301/mo.; full-time, permanent.

COMPUTER CENTER: Clerical Assistant IIA--$1332-$1571/mo.; full-time, permanent.


FINANCIAL AID: Data Entry Operator A--$1349-$1591/mo.; full-time, permanent.


SCHOOL OF EDUCATION: Department Secretary I (Stenographer)--$1464-$1730/mo.; full-time, permanent.


SWEEP: Remedial Teacher Specialist--$10/hr.; full-time, temporary to Aug. 28, 1987. Open until filled. (Repost)