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CV Center
To be Dedicated
March 17

A dedication ceremony March 17 will celebrate the opening of the Coachella Valley Center’s new classroom facilities on the campus of the College of the Desert in Palm Desert.

Civic and business leaders, educators and Cal State alumni from the Coachella Valley and the Morongo Basin plus COD faculty and administrators are being invited to the 11 a.m. ceremony.

The Coachella Valley Center is a satellite campus of the university, offering upper-division and graduate level courses to accommodate residents of the area. The center opened in September 1986.

A brief program with comments by Cal State President Anthony Evans and COD President David George, light refreshments and a tour of the facilities are planned for the dedication.

Dr. Catherine Gannon is the director of the center, which this quarter is serving more than 400 Cal State students in 51 sections of classes. Three classes are being offered through an instructional television hook-up with the San Bernardino campus. Initially classes met in leased space in a neighboring high school. The three new modular buildings were installed this winter.

Humanities Sponsors
Career Day

Speakers from various professions, a special workshop and a Raku luncheon are among the highlights of the Humanities Career Day Thursday, March 10.

"The theme for the day, 'The Opening of the American Mind,' reminds us that the humanities open the mind to learning, including the exploration, selection and creation of careers," said Dr. Craig Henderson (School of Humanities). "However, the day’s activities will be open to all majors, the entire campus community," he said.

Twenty-four professionals in careers in the humanities will speak at workshops from 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Two alumni whose screenplays have been made into movies, Danny Bilson and Paul DeMeo, will discuss careers in filmmaking from 4:15 to 5:15 p.m. Three of their films, including one which they directed and produced, will be shown during the day. The pair, both theatre arts graduates in 1978, collaborated on a play which was produced on campus during their senior year.

Other graduates appearing will include Joanne Fluke, B.A. 1973, novelist; Pete Peterson, B.A. 1976, businessman; Mary Frances Gomez, B.A. 1978, attorney; Quentin Moses, B.A. 1979, music; and Jack Dexter, B.A. 1980, M.A. 1986, marketing a humanities major.

Career fields to be explored include public relations, radio, television, career management of artists, music, writing, acting, directing and Spanish.

Two poets from the English Department faculty, Dr. Pete Fairchild and Larry Kramer, will read from their work from 5 to 6:30 p.m. in the Oak Room of the Commons. Dr. Rodney Simard (English) will discuss the creative process.

Campus participants also include Ed Schneiderhan (Career Development Center), John Tibbals (Library) and Tom Henschel, guest lecturer and director in theatre arts during spring quarter.

The Career Development Center will sponsor a special workshop, "The Work Spirit Adventure: Secrets of Enjoying Your Work," from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. in the SUMP. The presenter will be Dr. Sherrie Connelly, of Los Angeles, a consultant in organizational development and management who specializes in team building, planning and working with people and groups to enhance the work spirit.

The evening workshop also is open to the entire campus community, said Lynn Moss (Career Development Center).

Raku Luncheon
Special Experience

If you want to enjoy the Chinese food served during Humanities Career Day Thursday,
March 10, you have to come early to decorate your bowl, advises Ken Reed (Art), coordinator of traditional Raku luncheon.

Members of the Clay and Glass Club, an organization of art students, will make 150 bowls in advance. Anyone wishing to participate in the luncheon should come to the Art Department studios between 8:30 and 11 a.m. that day to decorate a bowl. The bowls will be fired in the kiln and will be ready for the food when the diners return, Reed explained.

A three-course Oriental luncheon, including a beverage, will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The cost of $4 includes the bowl. The food will be prepared on site by Reed and his helpers.

The Art Department has sponsored a Raku luncheon several times in the past. The ceremony, closely tied to a Japanese tea ceremony, reflects Zen Buddhism philosophies about the value of things primitive.

Bill Shum Brings Special Skills to Job

It's a long way from Hong Kong to CSUSB, but for Bill Shum, director of facilities planning and policy coordinator, his latest journey has just begun.

Born and raised in Hong Kong, Shum graduated with a degree in architecture from the National Cheng-Kung University in Taiwan. He was later granted scholarships to attend Carnegie-Mellon University in Pennsylvania where he received his master's in architecture.

Nine years later and determined to move to California, Shum applied to CSUSB the day before he and his family left Pittsburgh. "I called the school from the Grand Canyon to see if I'd made it to the interview list," recalls Shum, "We didn't even know where San Bernardino was."

As director of facilities planning since 1986, Shum works with people in the academic areas to understand their various programs and needs for new facilities. Once funding has been approved, it is Shum's responsibility to work with the architects on design layouts; he also participates in the process of securing the various contractors. "Because of my background, I understand better what the architect is trying to propose," said Shum. "I'm able to see the end result from two-dimensional drawings. And in the construction field, I'm able to talk the language."

Shum wears another hat as the campus policy coordinator. His office functions as a depository of policy. "We do not generate policy. We are trying to set up a fine system to sort out policies and make sure there will be no conflicts between the different policies." This part of his job is completely different from a facilities planner.

As an architect, Shum perceives the needs of the campus differently. "It's really easy for someone to say, 'OK, we need a building of so many square feet,'" he explained. "But an architect is able to understand beyond the basic floor plan, like the lighting and the colors."

Shum also hopes to improve the working environment for people at Cal State. "A work station is more than just a desk, a table. There are psychological factors to be considered. I can convey those considerations to the architects," Shum explained.

A substantial number of projects at Cal State are upcoming. According to Shum, three major proposals include: a School of Business and Public Administration building, a major renovation and addition to the Physical Education building and a new Visual Arts structure.

For Shum, his upcoming challenges are clear. "With this master plan proposal we must think really hard who we are, what are our personalities. We must maintain those personalities that make us unique as a campus," he explained. Shum believes many students come to the campus for its park-like setting, small classes and the personal attention Cal State offers. "This is what makes us CSUSB and not Cal State, Los Angeles or Long Beach."

Shum is decidedly happy with his position here. "Not many architects my age have that kind of voice in how a campus should develop," said Shum.

When he was an architect, Shum was only involved in the technical side of design. Here at Cal State, he works more with people. "It's an exciting transformation--a real challenge," Shum commented. "And
the challenge will still be here because the campus keeps growing."

"One thing I have noticed about this campus is that we're a family," Shum observed. "The decision-making process is open and free. Decisions are made for the betterment of the university, not for political or personal gain. That's why this campus is so pleasant to work for." by Stacia Sandrowski, communication intern

Reading Conference To Draw 500

Nearly 500 teachers and educators are expected on campus tomorrow (March 5) for the 12th annual reading conference sponsored by Extended Education, the School of Education and the 1988 Reading Advisory Council. The theme for the day will be "The Power of Literature: In the Midst of a Revolution." Yetta Goodman, educator and author, will be the keynote speaker. Workshops will focus on ways to motivate students to read and write, storytelling, computer technology and poetry.

Dr. Katharine Mitchell Busch is coordinating the conference which is open to teachers, resource specialists and students in the reading specialist credential program.

Hosts Needed For Japanese Students

Host families are needed for five employees of Mitsubishi Electric America, Inc., who will be here April 18-May 27 for an intensive program in English and American business practices.

The American Culture and Language Program, part of Extended Education, is offering the program. Participants will be men, ages 27-31, explained Linda Chaffee. The men will come here from Japan and after the training will work in Mitsubishi's American office. Further information is available from the ACLP Office, Ext. 7666.

Brochure Available

A new, general information brochure is now available for use by departments and schools wishing to describe the university to community groups. The brochure is available at the Publications Office, AD 117.

Cap, Gown Sales

A representative of a firm which sells caps and gowns will be on campus Wednesday, March 9 to meet faculty who wish to purchase their own academic regalia, Carol Dunlap (Bookstore) announced.

The representative will be in the Bookstore from 8 a.m. to noon to take orders from faculty only. Cap and gown rentals for commencement will be later.

Student Pay Rates Increased

The hourly rate for students in their first year of employment at the university will be raised effective July 1. The new rate, to be used for budget calculations for the 1988-89 requests, will be $4.25. First-year employees currently are paid $4.05. The rates for students in their second and ensuing years of employment, or graduate-level assistants, will not be changed, reported Dr. Paul Esposito (Career Development Center) and Ted Krug (Financial Aid).

Community Service

Dr. Derek Bruins (National Security Studies) spoke to the Chino Rotary Club Feb. 24.

Dr. Robert Detweiler (Academic Affairs) has been named vice chairman of the 1988 Arrowhead United Way campaign. He also made presentations about the university for the Kiwanis Clubs in Redlands and East San Bernardino and made a presentation on "George Washington and the American Revolution" for the High Twelve Club of Hemet Feb. 22.

Dr. Lanny Fields (History) spoke to the Rialto Kiwanis Club March 1 on "Modern USSR."

Dr. Michael Grant (Education) served as a consultant, assisted teachers and worked with students at North Park Elementary School in San Bernardino in implementing their first annual Black History Program. He also wrote an article, "Dream of Equal Opportunity May be Dying on U.S. Campuses," which appeared in the Feb. 14 San Bernardino County Sun.

Dr. Mildred Henry (Education) was the keynote speaker for Education Sunday at Loveland Church in Fontana Jan. 9. She also presented a multicultural workshop Jan. 23 for participants in the Community Service Program on campus and did a program on "Community-Based Organizations and Effective Dropout Prevention Strategies" Feb. 17 for the San Bernardino Area Chamber of Commerce. Her float for the PAL Center, titled "Reaching Out Together," won a first place trophy in the Black History Parade Feb. 6.

Dr. Fred Jandt (Communication) discussed "Conflict Management--Negotiation" for the Inland Empire Chapter of the American Society for
Training and Development March 3 in San Bernardino.
Dr. John Kaufman (Communication) spoke to the San Bernardino County Chapter of California School Business Officials Feb. 10 in Redlands about the use of liabilities inventories in crisis management.
Carolyn Martin (Physical Education) spoke to 11th and 12th grade psychology students at Redlands High School March 3 on "the Psychological Aspects of Sports."
George A. Weiny (Physical Education) has been included in the 1987-88 International Directory of Distinguished Leadership, the 1988 International Leaders in Achievement and the 1988 Men of Achievement.

Sympathy

The university extends deepest sympathy to Dr. Tom Rivera (Educational Support Services) on the death of his father, Rupert M. Rivera, Feb. 28 in Colton. Services were March 3 at San Salvadore Catholic Church. Memorials may be made to the Hispanic Faculty and Staff Association Scholarship Fund.

Personnel

New to the University

Full-time, permanent

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Full-time, temporary to June 30, 1988

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Part-time, temporary to June 30, 1988

Judith L. Moore Strack
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Financial Aid
Ext. 7741, SS 143

Change in Position

Full-time, permanent

Sheila Torres
Evaluator Trainee I
Admissions Office
Ext. 7306, SS 106

Employment Opportunities

Applications will be accepted until 2 p.m. on the dates listed. Current information on employment opportunities is available through a 24-hour hotline at Ext. 7752, which is updated at 2 p.m., Fridays.


COUNSELING & TESTING: Student Services Professional IB (2 positions)--$11.07-$13.27/hr., on-call, temporary through June 12, 1988 (approximately 15 hrs./wk.). Apply by Mar. 11.


EXTENDED EDUCATION: Clerical Assistant IIA--$1607-$1902/mo., full-time, permanent. Apply by Mar. 11.


FOUNDATION: Secretary--$719.00-$847.50/mo., half-time, salaried. Open until filled. (not a state position)


March Events

4-5 Friday-Saturday
Renaissance Dinner. Presented by Concert Choir, directed by Dr. Loren Filbeck, professor of music. 7:30 p.m., Upper Commons. Cost $30 per person. For reservations call Ext. 7454.

4-5 Friday-Saturday; 9-12 Wednesday-Saturday
Theatre. "Come Back to the 5 and Dime, Jimmy Dean, Jimmy Dean," a comedy by Ed Graczyk, directed by Dr. Amanda Sue Rudisill, professor of theatre arts. 8:15 p.m., Theatre, Creative Arts Building. General admission $5, students with identification and senior citizens $2.50. For reservations call Ext. 7452.

6 Sunday
Concert. University and Community Chamber Orchestra, directed by Dr. Richard Saylor, professor of music. 3 p.m., Recital Hall, Creative Arts Building. Free.

7 Monday
Faculty Lecture. Dr. Sandy Cross, assistant professor of health science, "Women and Health." Noon, Rooms A and B, Student Union. Free.

8 Tuesday
Lecture. Gerhard Zecha, from University of Salzburg, Austria, currently at UCI, Department of Philosophy, "Value Neutrality and Responsibility in the Social Sciences." Noon, Sycamore Room. (Fulbright Scholar Lecture Series) Free. Call Ext. 7517.

8 Tuesday

9 Wednesday
Faculty Lecture. Dr. Gloria Cowan, professor of psychology, "Pornography: What's In It and What Do We Do About It?" Noon, Sycamore Room, Commons. Free.

9 Wednesday

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Lecture. Charles Shaughnessy, who appears as Shane Donovan in "Days of Our Lives," speaking on "From 'Soaps' to a World in Crisis: A Balance Between Illusion and Reality." 7:30 p.m., Sycamore Room, Commons. General admission $4; Cal State students, faculty and staff free.

12 Saturday
Concert. Intimate Performances Series. CMP Chamber Soloists, Richard Rintoul, conductor. 8:15 p.m., Recital Hall, Creative Arts Building. General admission $10, students with identification $7.

16 Wednesday
Lecture. Yoshitomo Takahashi, from Yamanashi Medical College in Japan, "Suicide and Amnesia in the Mt. Fuji Forest." 12:15 p.m., Eucalyptus Room, Commons. (Fulbright Scholar Lecture Series) Free.

16 Wednesday
Concert. Wind Ensemble, directed by Dr. Carolyn Neff, associate professor of music, and Jazz Ensemble, conducted by Dr. Raymond Torres Santos, assistant professor of music. 8:15 p.m., Recital Hall, Creative Arts Building. Free.

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