

Campus Briefs

Rehabilitation Fete Tickets on Sale

Tickets are on sale for the first annual banquet of the Brazos Valley Rehabilitation Center Scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Jan. 29 at the Ramada Inn.

Mrs. Ford Albritton Jr. announced that the dinner is to review the center's growth and progress and "to recognize those citizens of our community who have played leadership roles in the past."

Tickets may be purchased for \$3.50 per person at the Brazos Valley Rehabilitation Center, 3300 E. 29th St., Bryan.

APO Chapter Rated Sixth in Nation

Xi Delta Chapter of Alpha Phi Omega, A&M service fraternity, was awarded the "Top 13 Citation" last week, according to Joseph Scanlon, national executive director of APO.

Xi Delta was rated sixth in the nation, picked out of about 150 schools having enrollment of more than 10,000 students. The citation was awarded for outstanding achievement in 1968-69 for membership increases and devotion to the ideals of the fraternity.

Library Announces Hours for Next Week

The University Library users will have fewer hours to research and check materials during the period between fall and spring semesters.

Library hours will be curtailed Jan. 25-31, when most A&M students will be off campus, announced John B. Smith, acting director.

The library will be closed Sunday. Regular services will be available from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Jan. 26-30 and 8 a.m. to 12 noon on Saturday Jan. 31.

The regular time schedule will be resumed Feb. 1.

Room Clearance Deadline Saturday

Civilian students who do not plan to register for the spring semester must vacate rooms and turn in a room clearance form at the Housing Office before 6 p.m. Saturday.

Housing director Allan Madeley noted proper clearance is required in order for students to get refunds on property and room deposits and to avoid a \$5 penalty for failure to check out properly.

"All required signatures should be obtained before the clearance form is turned in," Madeley said.

Resident advisers will check rooms to be vacated. The housing manager noted that long distance service agreements with the telephone company are the students' responsibility.

Changes affecting the student number should be reported to General Telephone so calls placed from the number after a student departs are not billed to him.

Freshmen Make Plans For Fish Ball

The Freshman Class Council set Feb. 28 as the date for the Fish Ball and established Feb. 13 as the deadline for turning in entries for the freshman sweetheart.

A freshman wishing to nominate his date for the sweetheart, to be chosen at the ball must turn in a picture and an application to the Student Program Office in the Memorial Student Center.

Applications may be obtained from the Student Program Office.

Dress for the ball, the freshman council decided, will be formal, although a suit and tie is acceptable.

The council organized five committees for the dance and urged freshmen to volunteer to serve on them. Committee chairmen are Ron Clark, refreshments (5-3157); Bill Hartsfield, tickets

(5-4298); Mark Jarvis, publicity (5-1900); Paul Puryear, decorations (5-4157), and Winfield Scott, activities (5-3594).

Dr. Sweet Cited For Excellence

Dr. Harry J. Sweet of the Mechanical Engineering Department was cited in Houston by the South Texas Section of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers for excellence in photoelastic studies.

The associate professor received praise from the Machine Design Study Group for his recent contribution to current industrial studies in connection with high load structures.

A&M Consol Choirs Sponsoring Supper

Members of both A&M Consolidated High School Choirs will sponsor a Spaghetti Supper Saturday at the Saber Inn in College Station.

The supper will be served from 4 to 11 p.m. by members of the choir. All proceeds from the dinner will go to aid choir activities.

Tickets at \$2 for adults and \$1 for children age 10 and under are being sold by the choir students. They will also be available at the Saber Inn during serving hours.

2 Engineering Profs Elected to Council

Two faculty members have been elected to the Engineering Faculty Advisory Council, announced acting chairman Stanley H. Lowy.

Dr. Leslie M. Bagnall of mechanical engineering and Dr. Richard H. Gunderson of civil engineering were elected by the College of Engineering faculty to three-year terms replacing Dr. Robert M. Olson of civil engineering and Prof. James H. Caddess of mechanical engineering.

Dr. Olso had served as council chairman and Prof. Caddess had been the council secretary.

Other council members are Dr.

Aggie Sweetheart To Speak on TWU

Claudia Gordy, 1969-70 Aggie Sweetheart, will speak to the Brazos County Chapter, TWU Alumnae Association at 7:45 p.m. Thursday in the Texas Room of the Bryan Building and Loan Association building.

Miss Gordy will show slides and describe recent changes on the campus of Texas Woman's University, where she is a junior medical technology major.

Mrs. Nancy Newton, of the TWU Dean of Women's office, will accompany Miss Gordy to College Station and Bryan.

A brief business meeting, conducted by Mrs. Carson Wages, chapter president, will follow the program. High school girls and their parents in the area are invited to attend the meeting.

P. D. Weiner of mechanical engineering, Dr. A. R. Burgess and Prof. Jack P. Covan, both of industrial engineering, and Prof. Lowy of aerospace engineering.

The council meets monthly from September through May. Its purpose is to generate and develop broad ideas for the improvement and ultimate development of the college, Lowy explained.

Brazos A&M Club To Hear of Cyclotron

The Cyclotron Institute, home

of the university's 88-inch variable energy "atom smasher," will be described tonight at the regular Brazos County A&M Club meeting.

Club president Jim Forehand, who will turn the gavel over to John B. Vittrup, said the 6:30 p.m. meeting will be at the Chicken Shack.

Whitney A. McFarlin, associate director of the A&M institute, will conduct the program and install 1970 officers. McFarlin will present a slide show on institute facilities, equipment and experiments.

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Editor:

I was disappointed by the Aggies who traveled to Austin for the T-Sip basketball game the 13th. When I was a student at A&M I showed better sportsmanship than was exhibited Tuesday night. There was widespread singing of "I've Been Working On The Railroad" during t.u.'s alma mater and some "Poor T-Sips" toward the end of the Fish game. This was not just Fish and civilians who might not know any better. There were seniors and juniors in uniform providing a bad example of sportsmanship as well. These people should know better than that.

I'm not saying that the Sips were any better because they weren't and should we have been outscored we most certainly would have been serenaded by "Poor

Aggies." I hate t.u. as much as any of us—perhaps more since I live here in the middle of T-Sip country—but does our poor sportsmanship make us better than them, or does it pull us down to their level?

Michael A. Calloway '67
Austin

Editor:

Dear Mr. Schwei:

I did not "condemn" the Rugby Club, nor can I understand how you got the idea that such was even my intention.

All I want is for you to remove your practice sessions from the drill field when it is wet. Preferably, you will move them to the "grassy" area by Davis-Gary or some other appropriate area.

By the way, I enjoyed the game with Dallas—your guys really "beat hell out of them!"

Tom Weaver

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