

# Candidates for City Council must file with city secretary

Persons wishing to file for a position on the College Station City Council have until Wednesday, March 2, to be eligible, a person must have lived in College Station at least one year according to article 3, section 19 of the city charter. Candidates must live in the district of their candidacy. A candidate cannot be behind in paying city taxes or other liabilities for the city for a period of 90 days. A candidate's quest for a seat on City Council begins with a visit to Florence Neeley, College Station city secretary. Neeley said Monday that a list of persons has been provided for persons filling out the necessary forms. The first form a candidate fills out is a loyalty affidavit to be signed in the presence of a notary public. The loyalty affidavit states that the candidate believes in and approves of the

present representative form of (city) government. It states further that the signer will support and defend the government and resist any effort or movement from any source that would destroy it. A petition to be signed by at least 25 qualified voters of College Station is the next form to be completed. This petition can be circulated by either the candidate himself or someone else. More than one petition can be circulated for the same person at the same time. Every qualified voter signing this petition must sign in the presence of the circulator. At the top of the petition is a statement the candidate must sign certifying that he is a qualified voter in Texas and is eligible for the office of city councilman. On the last form the circulator must sign a statement certifying that all signatures were made in his (the

circulator's) presence. Each circulator must sign a form for each petition submitted, if more than one person is circulating a petition for the same candidate. Neeley has 10 days after the filing of the petition to approve it. If for some reason Neeley does not approve the petition(s) she lets the petitioner know what is wrong and what has to be done to correct it. "If we have one or more candidates for one position there will be a drawing for positions to determine how the names will be listed on the ballot," Neeley said. Representatives for districts 1, 3 and 5 will be elected in the April 2 election. Larry J. Ringer, 702 Thomas St., and Gary M. Halter, 1204 Ashburn Ave. E., are the only candidates who have filed so far. Halter filed for place 1 and Ringer for place 3.

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## Campus

**STUDENTS** with a junior class standing and CPR of 3.5 or better are eligible for the University Undergraduate Fellows Program. The program offers the opportunity to substitute six credit hours of required courses in their curriculum for research study under the direction of a faculty advisor. Information is available from departmental heads or M. Friedman, 845-3251.

## Texas

**GRADUATION** for 14 students of law enforcement officer training is scheduled for Friday. The students will have completed 240 hours of study in the Law Enforcement and Security Training Division of the Texas Engineering Extension Service. Certification involves training in patrol procedures, liquor law violations, first aid, the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, Texas Family Code and Texas Penal Code.

## National

**STRONG** opposition from the petroleum industry is expected as a result of a plan endorsed by Lt. Gov. William Hobby to impose a five per cent tax on petroleum products refined in Texas. Lawmakers who are sponsoring the refinery tax want it to replace property taxes as a method of financing public schools. Petroleum officials say the impact could devastate the state's petrochemical industry. If approved, the plan would require a constitutional amendment abolishing the property tax for local school maintenance and operation purposes be submitted to voters in the November, 1978, election.

office, is scheduled for 2:30 p.m. EST and will be nationally televised. At the President's first news conference earlier this month, Carter made no opening statement, but answered a series of questions, primarily on foreign affairs. A PRIVATE airplane with five Fort Worth residents aboard apparently exploded and fell wingless into a field inside the Springdale, Ark., city limits yesterday, scattering debris for miles. There were no survivors. The victims were identified as the pilot, Nancy Barrett, and passengers James L. Ward, Jimmy Fulkerson, Reed Yowell and Fabe Ingram. Their ages and occupations were not available.

A PROJECT VIKING biologist, one of three conducting the search for life on Mars has concluded after months of research the red planet is unable to support life. Dr. Vance Oyama bases his theory on just-completed laboratory experiments he said indicate a peculiar, oxygen-based chemistry preventing formation of organic life-precursor compounds on Mars. He reported his findings yesterday at a special two-day symposium on the Viking expedition in Denver.

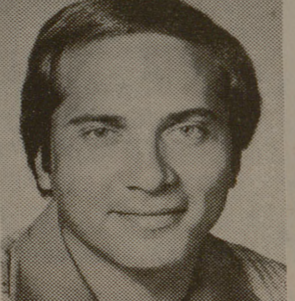
## campus activities

**WEDNESDAY**  
Student Engineers Council will sponsor a road drive for the Red Cross today from 12 noon to 6 p.m. at St. Mary's Student Center, 1500 Gunsmith St.  
High Annual Texas Public Works Short School, College of Engineering, Texas Transportation Institute, Texas Engineering Extension Service and the Civil Engineering Department, in cooperation with the Texas Section, American Public Works Association, Rudder Tower.  
African Students' Association, African Students' Association, MSC Hallway, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
Basic Course in Marina Management, Rudder Tower.  
Free Blood Pressure Screening Clinic, MSC and ten stations near the Post Office.  
Social Dance Club, MSC 201, 7:30 p.m.  
Dance Arts Society, Modern, G. Rollie Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Philosophy Club, "The Nature and Value of Philosophy," 1500 Gunsmith St., College Station, 7:30 p.m.  
Veterinary Students, Dr. Barbara S. Whitcomb, veterinarian for Houston Zoological Gardens, "Veterinary Medicine at the Houston Zoo: The Relationship between an Artificial Environment and Health Problems," Veterinary Medical Sciences 330, 12 noon.  
Physics Colloquium, Dr. Fred H. Pollak, Iowa University, "Piezo-Spectroscopic Studies of Bands and Bonds in Solids," Physics 414 p.m.  
Men's Volleyball Team, vs. Ambassador College, Deware Field House, 7 p.m. (no charge).  
The Bridge Committee, MSC 212, 7 p.m.  
OPAS, The Acting Company: "Love's Labor Lost," Rudder Auditorium, 8 p.m.

**THURSDAY**  
OPAS, The Acting Company: "The Way of the World," Rudder Auditorium, 8 p.m.  
Free Blood Pressure Screening Clinic, MSC and ten stations near the Post Office.  
Electrical Engineering Wives' Club, Real Estate, Zachry 102, 7:30 p.m.  
Nursing Society, MSC 145, 7 p.m.  
University Lecture Series, Dr. Milton Blander, Argonne National Laboratory, "On the Origin of Meteorites as Condensates from a Solar Nebula," Rudder 701, 8 p.m.  
Brazos County A&M Club, Barbecue Dinner and Talk by Coach Tom Chandler, old Knights of Columbus Hall at Palasota Dr. and Groesbeck St. in Bryan, Dinner 7:30 p.m. Social hour starting at 6:30 will feature 10-cent beer. Reservations should be made by calling 845-7514 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays.  
StageCenter, Agatha Christie's murder mystery-comedy, "Ten Little Indians," Tickets are \$2.50 for adults, \$1.50 for students, \$1 for children, So. College and Villa Maria, Bryan.  
Annual Industrial Arts Teacher Conference and Texas Industrial Arts Association, Dr. Walter C. Brown, Associate Director of Arizona State University's technology division, "The Pursuit of Excellence in Industrial Arts: Teaching Technology for the Future," Rudder Theater, 7 p.m.  
University Lecture Series, Dr. Milton Blander of Argonne National Laboratory, "Applications of Fundamental Thermodynamics of High-Temperature Materials to Energy Technologies," Zachry 342, 3 p.m.  
African Students Association, Soccer Match, TAMU Soccer Field, 4:30 p.m.; Cultural Show, MSC 206, 8 p.m.  
Physics Colloquium, Dr. Neil Ashcroft, Cornell University, "The Metallization of Hydrogen and the Structure of Its Metallic State," Physics 146, 3 p.m.  
SWC Baseball, A&M vs. Arkansas, Kyle Field, 3 p.m.  
Aggie Cinema, "Race With the Devil," Rudder Theatre, 12 midnight.  
Chemistry Seminar, Gerald Stock, "Uranium and Analytical Chemistry," Chemistry Annex, 1024, 11 a.m.

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Aggie Cinema, "The Hindenburg," Rudder Theatre, 8 and 10:30 p.m.  
**SATURDAY**  
Singing Cadets, scheduled for appearance on KPRC-TV "The Eyes of Texas." The NBC-affiliate is channel 2 in Houston. 6:30 p.m.  
SWC Baseball, A&M vs. Arkansas, Kyle Field, 1 p.m.  
Aggie Cinema, "The Hindenburg," Rudder Theatre, 8 and 10:30 p.m.  
**SUNDAY**  
Chess Committee, MSC 206, 6 p.m.

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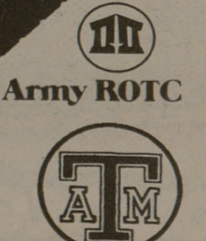
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7:00 822-3300 7:00  
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