

## Texas A&M prof first in Southwest to receive medal

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The prestigious Anthony F. Lucas Gold Medal from the American Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum Engineering will be awarded to a Texas A&M professor tonight in Dallas.

The Lucas Medal recognizes Dr. Paul Crawford, assistant director of the Texas Petroleum Research Committee, for distinguished achievement in improving techniques for finding, producing and recovering petroleum.

Crawford will receive the award during the annual meeting of the AIME at 7 p.m. in the Fairmont Hotel.

The AIME presentation is the third major award for Crawford in less than five years. In May 1977, he received the Italian Interpetroleum World Award for American Science. The Texas Senate passed a special resolution recognizing Crawford's achievements later that year.

Crawford said his research focuses on petroleum recovery techniques. One method that industry has found particularly useful, he said, is injecting nitrogen into wells to

increase oil and natural gas recovery. About 10 companies have employed this technique, he said.

Crawford is one of a few university faculty members in the nation to receive the Lucas Medal and is the first university researcher recipient in the Southwest. He has had more than 150 articles published in technical journals around the world and has given more than 200 industrial presentations in the last 30 years.

"There are a few thousand AIME members more deserving of this honor, but none who appreciate it more," Crawford said.

Crawford, who has been at the University since 1952, was chairman of the long-range planning commission for Sul Ross Elementary School in Bryan and served on the Bryan Library Board of Trustees for 10 years. In 1973, Crawford was chosen as Library Trustee of the Year for the state of Texas.

In 1971, Crawford was selected as one of the Community Leaders of America in recognition of his 14 years of volunteer work in the Bryan-College Station area.

## Judo to join spring line-up

# Free U adds new courses

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An introductory course in "Dungeons and Dragons," a judo course and three personal improvement courses are new additions to the MSC Free University Committee line-up this semester.

Registration for Free U semester-long courses began at 11 a.m. today in 224 Memorial Student Center and will end at 6 p.m.

Free U also will have two free seminars. One, which will run

for five weeks, is designed to offer students a new perspective on life in Israel. The other is a series of four seminars on different aspects of nutrition.

Except for the two seminars, all courses will require a fee.

Free U also will offer beginning and advanced country and western dancing.

The following courses are offered by Free U:

- Amateur Radio General Class Licensing — Morse code practice for 13 word-per-minute exam and electronic theory

necessary to obtain the general class license. Students must have a novice class license.

- Basic Financial Planning — covers IRAs, mutual funds, bonds, stocks and life insurance options.
- Basic German — fundamentals of German, sentence formation and conversation.
- Basic Mechanics — how to perform minor car repairs and take care of a car's maintenance needs.
- Beginning Guitar — basic and involved chords, strum-

ming and finger picking techniques.

- Clogging — American folk-dances that originated around the Appalachians.
- Dancercise I — mixture of ballet, jazz and floor exercises. Four sections will be offered.
- Dancercise II — stretch, exercise, aerobic and cooldown segments in which exercise is performed to music.
- Defensive Driving — Completion of this course entitles a student to a possible 10 percent reduction in insurance pay-

ments.

- Genesis — An Account of Beginnings — examines the intent and meaning of the first book of the Bible.
- Human Sexuality — designed to develop better understanding of self as sexual being.
- Intermediate Guitar — classical guitar pieces.
- Novice Amateur Radio — covers Morse Code, rules and regulations, and basic electronic theory necessary to obtain a novice class radio license.

## Cable video firm wants stolen boxes

by Randy Lemmon  
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Cable television thieves — beware.

Midwest Video Corp. in Bryan wants to retrieve the cable channel boxes that are allowing some people to receive cable at no charge.

Midwest is losing money because of stolen channel boxes that pick up such cable TV extras as The Movie Channel, Home Box Office, Cinemax, Showtime and Music Television, Midwest General Manager Jerry Jakubik said.

Jakubik said Midwest has lost about 800 boxes, which adds up to \$80,000.

The cable TV boxes that Midwest rents are brown with a 30-channel capacity. The boxes also can be programmed.

Midwest's troubles lie with people who rent cable TV, then move without returning the cable box or renewing their cable subscription.

"Now the person has a free

box to pick up our special scrambled transmission," Jakubik said.

If the customer's new address is known, the company sends a letter to him, requesting the return of the cable box. If the new address is not known, Midwest will try to find the person and bring charges against him, Jakubik said.

"We're following ... our information sheets that these old customers filled out, but I don't think we can get all of them — especially those who have moved out of state," Jakubik said.

If the boxes are brought in voluntarily, Jakubik said no charges will be filed.

"We're losing too much money right now, and if we don't start getting some of our boxes back somehow then we will have to raise our prices on our loyal customers, which I don't want to see happen," Jakubik said.

# GRAND OPENING FEB. 17

# DAILY RECORD

VINYL EDITION      RECORD BAR GRAND OPENING SALE FEB. 17-MAR. 3      POST OAK MALL



## Manager earns MA. of Recordology

Donna Armentero, the Record Bar's manager, stunned the Record Bar review board during her oral finals. Decision of the board was unanimous when, given the information, "I heard it on the radio" and the help of the board humming the tune, Donna correctly identified the record.

## Record Bar wages war on grime

Record Bar declared war on "the high cost of grime" today.

"Dirt, dust and grime can criminally abuse your record and tape collection," said a Record Bar source, "so we carry accessories that'll clean up the nation's music."

Consumers are urged to join the fight against grime with record and tape care accessories from the new Record Bar in Post Oak Mall.

In a related incident, the Record Bar also took the bugs out of pre-recorded tapes with a no-hassle, one-year guarantee on all tapes.

The guarantee covers all eight-track and cassette tapes, and is honored at any Record Bar in the country.

## Predicted for Feb. 17 Grand Opening STARS, SALES ROCK COLLEGE STATION

Leading star watchers predict a major music quake will strike Post Oak Mall when Record Bar, College Station's new full-line record and tape store, celebrates its Grand Opening February 17.

Among the thousands of stars featured in Record Bar's vast selection are Journey, Kenny Rogers, the Rolling Stones, Alabama, and the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra.

"Things around here will never be the same," said one College Station music lover.

Following the philosophy that "you can please all of the people all of the time," the Record Bar will unveil what many believe is an unprecedented range of artists and titles on record and tape.

It is also believed that sale prices, previously thought to be an endangered species, will find a permanent home in the new Record Bar.

"The Record Bar will have daily sale prices on the top hits," said a well-placed source, as well as special Grand Opening prices (\$6.49 for the record and \$6.99 for the tape): J. Geils Band, "Freeze Frame," Delbert McClinton, "Plain from the Heart," Journey, "Escape," Razy Bailey, "Feelin'

We're opening the store with a special sale, and prizes and giveaways like windbreakers, Texas t-shirts, Texas keychains, and a whole lot more, and you don't need to buy anything to win something.

Right," ABBA, "The Visitor," Merle Haggard, "Big City," Oak Ridge Boys, "Bobbie Sue," Loretta Lynn, "I Lie," Jimmy Buffett, "Somewhere over China," the Police, "Ghost in the Machine," and the GoGo's, "Beauty and the Beat."

These are just a few of the Grand Opening specials," said Donna Armentero, Record Bar manager. "We will continue to bring the best new releases to College Station music lovers."

(See related story on new Record Bar manager.)

## THE INSIDE TRACK

Classical music lovers, a small but select group of connoisseurs, reap the benefits of Record Bar's Classical Connoisseur Club.

In a special study performed by the Record Bar Laboratories, two guinea pigs were subjected to recorded music in order to monitor their responses.

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