### Four MSC committees to ask for subsidies

by Johna Jo Maurer

Battalion Staff
The MSC Council will hear roposals from four commites requesting funding from MSC Development and the enrichment fund tonight at :30 in MSC 216.

Proposed requests for funds from the enrichment fund must be approved by the council. The enrichment fund was started by a group of former students interested in supplementing the MSC Council budget for programs and projects and to help start

new programs.
The Awards Banquet Committee is asking for an enrichment fund subsidy for awards, decorations, programs and brochures for the

April 3 banquet. This banquet is funded totally by ticket sales and donations, not student service fees, Council Presi-

dent Doug Dedeker said. MSC Basement is requesting funds to improve the quality

The MBA/Law Day Committee is requesting an enrichment fund subsidy to counter deficits experienced at this year's program.

Dedeker said this request may meet with opposition at tonight's meeting. He said the purpose of the enrichment fund is not to bail out a committee, but to aid in the development of new MSC prog-

rams and projects.

MSC Spring Leadership

Committee will ask the enrichment fund board of directors to underwrite a \$2,253 loss sustained this year. This program is funded through donations, but the committee has

not broken even yet, Dedeker

The committee will try to raise the money themselves by the fall semester. Enrichment fund subsidy — if the proposal is approved — will cover whatever is not raised by then, Dedeker said.

As part of the council's continuing appointment of new officers, nominations will be heard for unfilled positions of two directorate chairmen, two council officers and six pro-

#### Income tax deadline nears

# A to offer free aid

by Kellie Kurtin

Many students begin to feel panic-stricken as the deadline for income tax returns draws near - but help is on the way.

Students and people with lower incomes will be able to get assistance in completing their income tax returns from members of Beta Alpha Psi, the Texas A&M chapter of the National Accounting Honor Fraternity, at a booth in the Memorial Student Center. The service will be

free.
Volunteers in a group called VITA, or Volunteer Income Tax Assistants, will answer questions and discuss problems with people from April 5 to April 15. 'VITA is sponsored by the Internal Revenue Service and

administered by various groups

located around the country," Kyle C. Mann, Beta Alpha Psi president said. "And this is an annual event for us at A&M. ""Students can come with all of their different information and problems, and we'll correct them if it's necessary. Basically, this is

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# Ex-chemistry department head to return to A&M in summer

by Joe Sloan

&M Department of Chemisy, Dr. Choo-Seng Giam, will eave his post as dean of the Col-Texas A&M University this

nd am now returning," Giam

Giam is a leading researcher is many research projects as his eason for returning to Texas within the limits of this university to keep him," Bowen said.

Battalion Reporter Group with over \$1 million in grants, and there were some serious logistical problems in moving it to El Paso," Giam said

Giam left Texas A&M last ge of Science at the University year on a leave of absence to head UTEP's College of Science.

exas A&M University this Donald Bowen, UTEP assismmer. tant to the vice president of "Offically I just went on leave" academic affairs, said the university has adequate facilities for

Giam's projects. But Bowen said Giam had istry and cited problems with employees to move to El Paso.

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"I have a very large research "We are very upset about his group with over \$1 million in leaving because we have never here before."

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### Dallas County group endorses judicial candidates

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DALLAS — The chairman of organization of Dallas Counlawyers and businessmen said e believes the newly formed oup will be a significant tool in iding voters in selecting non-partisan judicial candidates.

Forrest Smith, head of the mmittee for a Qualified Judiary, said he believes the roup's endorsements ultimatewill be more significant than

the Dallas Bar poll, which judicial candidates traditionally have used in their campaign li-

The CQJ Friday announced its endorsements in contested judicial primary races.

However, Smith said the group did not back candidates in six of those races because a twothirds quorum of the 150member committee was needed.

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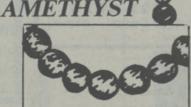
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