



Around town

Midnight yell to be at Summit Hotel

Midnight yell practice will be held at the Summit Hotel parking lot in Dallas tonight. The Summit Hotel is located at Loop 635 (LBJ Freeway) and Josey Lane.

United Way dance to be Monday

A dance contest, the final student fundraiser of the month-long United Way fund drive, will be held this Monday night at the Texas Hall of Fame. The Debonaires will supply the music for the contest and Master and Mistress of Ceremonies are Edwin H. Cooper, dean of admissions and records, and Miss Texas A&M Gina Gieger.

There will also be a "Mr. and Ms. Wrangler" contest. Two local businesses and Wrangler Western Wear are providing prizes for the contest. Prizes will be awarded for first, second and third place. The best dressed wrangler and wranglerette will each be given a \$75.00 Wrangler gift certificate redeemable at any Court's Western Wear, and a \$20.00 dinner at Bennigan's in College Station. Second and third place prizes are \$50.00 and \$25.00 gift certificates for Wrangler Western Wear.

Aggies who participate in the contest must wear Wrangler blue jeans.

The dance starts at 8 p.m. and ends at midnight. Admission is a \$3 donation to United Way.

CPR classes to be offered in Nov.

The Woman's Club is sponsoring two classes in cardiopulmonary resuscitation. The classes consist of two sessions of three hours each. They will be held on Nov. 15 & 17 and Nov. 16 & 18 at the Woman's Club building at 1200 Carter Creek Pkw.

The classes include films, demonstrations, and practice on special mannequins. The Heimlich maneuver for relief of choking is also included.

Upon completion of the course each participant will be certified by the American Red Cross and the American Heart Association. Certification is good for one year.

The courses are open to the community and are free, except for a 50 cent charge for the instruction book. To register, or for more information, call: the American Heart office at 693-6454 or Mrs. James Holster at 693-0427.

CBA faculty, staff receive awards

Eight members of the College of Business Administration faculty and staff were presented awards on Oct. 7 for their achievements in teaching, research and service.

Receiving the first annual College-level Teaching Awards, given by the Association of Former Students, were: Dr. George Fowler, assistant professor of business analysis and research; Dr. Gerald Keim, associate professor of management; and Dr. Stanley Kratchman, associate professor of accounting. The recipients were chosen from testimonies submitted by students and faculty and were selected by a student-faculty panel.

Winners of the Research Achievement Awards were Dr. Richard Daft, associate professor of management; Dr. Donald Fraser, professor of finance; and Dr. A. Parasuraman, associate professor of marketing. Nominations were evaluated by a student-faculty committee.

Presented Service Achievement Awards were Dr. Robert Albanese, professor of management, and Ms. Twyla Nevitt, assistant director of the Center for Executive Development. Nominations for these awards were also reviewed by a faculty-staff panel.

Black Awareness to sponsor speaker

The MSC Black Awareness Committee will present Dr. John Fernandez on Nov. 2 at 8 p.m. in Rudder Theater. Fernandez, a former assistant professor at Yale University and currently division manager of labor relation for Bell of Pennsylvania, will discuss his book "Racism and Sexism in Corporate Life." Tickets are available at the MSC Box Office and are 50 cents for students and \$1 for non-students.

Hellriegel named to Brockett Prof.

Dr. Don Hellriegel, professor of management, was recently appointed to the E.D. Brockett Professorship of Business Administration.

Hellriegel has been a member of the faculty at Texas A&M since 1975. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Washington and prior to coming to Texas A&M, he held various positions at Pennsylvania State, University of Colorado, University of Washington and Southern Illinois University.

The E.D. Brockett Professorship in business administration is one of the three Brockett professorships at Texas A&M, with the other two in engineering and geosciences.

If you have an announcement or interesting item to submit for this column, come by The Battalion office in 216 Reed McDonald or call Tracey Taylor at 845-2611.

R movies picketed by church

United Press International WHEELER — Neither the minister of a fundamentalist church nor any of his flock may call, write or speak to the owner of a movie theater the church has been picketing because it shows R-rated films, a judge ordered.

The Rev. Ricky Pfeil, without a lawyer, and Ed Knoll, owner of the Rogue Theatre in Wheeler — about 100 miles east of Amarillo — met in court Wednesday after Knoll's lawyer filed a \$500,000 damage suit against Pfeil for hurting his business.

Judge Granger McIlhany declined to order a stop to the picketing, but directed the church to send no more than four demonstrators to the theater to pray and carry signs.

Besides picketing, Pfeil, of the Christian Center, has paid for ads in the Wheeler Times denouncing Knoll for showing such films as "The World According to Garp" and "Blue Lagoon," Knoll said.

Knoll, who was a school teacher before he bought the theater in 1977, also complained that Pfeil was sending him letters implying he was a non-Christian, an alcoholic and a liar. Knoll had a policy of not showing R-rated films until 18 months ago when, because he was losing money and "there was nothing else to show," he began accepting more steamy material.

"I simply believe it's something God wanted me to do, to stand up against debauchery in our community," Pfeil said.

The judge indicated the suit probably will be tried in February.



Trick or Treat

Denise Byngton (left) and her sister, Carrie, hand out candy to a couple of Trick-or-Treaters on the fourth floor of Haas Hall Wednesday night. Denise and Carrie were impersonating two of the characters from the group of Seagulls. The sisters are from Denver, Colorado. (staff photo by Octavia)

A&M fair shows how microcomputers help children learn and develop skills

by Lisa Macan
Battalion Reporter
The impact of microcomputers on children's education is the subject of the first Texas A&M Microcomputer Fair, which continues through Saturday in the Harrington Classroom Complex.

The fair is sponsored by the educational technology department and the department's Inquiry Group. "Microcomputers can be used in education from tutoring to simulation," Fair Coordinator Francis Clark said. The most significant characteristic of microcomputers as tutors, he said, is patience.

Through repetition, microcomputers can drill a student on a concept he may have trouble understanding. In similar cases, a teacher might not have the time or patience to emphasize certain material, Clark said.

However, microcomputers will not replace teachers. Computers cannot effectively form a teacher-student relationship, he said.

The computers at the fair will be used to teach advanced fundamental skills to students at all grade levels.

Demonstrations of the computers will be a cooperative effort between dealers and school district officials, said.

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