

What's Up

Friday

MSC ALL NIGHT FAIR: Applications for booths are due by 5 p.m. and may be picked up and turned in at the secretary's island in the Student Programs Office (216 MSC).

MSC VARIETY SHOW: Applications to perform in the 1983 MSC Variety Show are available now at the secretary's island in 216 MSC. Deadline for applications is Feb. 4.

CATHOLIC STUDENT ASSOCIATION: A Newman welcome back dance will be held at 7 p.m. at St. Mary's Student Center.

TAMU CHESS CLUB: Players of all strengths are welcome to attend a meeting at 7 p.m. in 402 Rudder.

BOXING CLUB: The first meeting of the semester will be held at 5 p.m. at 260 G. Rollie White Coliseum (the wrestling room).

TAMU CHINESE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP: A welcome night dinner for all Chinese students will be held at 6:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in College Station. A message and testimony will be held afterwards.

SOCIETY OF IRANIAN STUDENTS: A lecture on the Middle East — The other side of the coin will be discussed at 8 p.m. in 301 Rudder. A guest speaker from Washington D.C. will discuss Palestine and Lebanon, War between Iran and Iraq, and the Russian aggression in Afghanistan.

Sunday

CATHOLIC STUDENT ASSOCIATION: A general meeting will be held at 8:15 p.m. at St. Mary's Church. Everyone is welcome and now is a good time to sign up for various committees.

TAMU INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCERS: Beginning level dances will be taught and refreshments served at a meeting at 8 p.m. in 201 MSC. Everyone is welcome.

KORP RADIO: A meeting will be held at 8 p.m. in lounge "E." Applications are now being accepted for KORPDJs.

TEXAS A&M SPORTS CAR CLUB: "Asphalt Frenzy," the first autocross of the semester, will be held at 9 a.m. in the Zachry parking lot.

MSC HOSPITALITY: Interviews for new members are available now through Wednesday. Get your applications in the Hospitality cubicle in 216 MSC (SPO office).

Monday

CAMERA COMMITTEE: Darkroom sign-ups will be scheduled and an organizational meeting for the spring semester will be held at 7 p.m. in 601 Rudder. Refreshments will be served.

PHI THETA KAPPA ALUMNI ASSOCIATION: Plans for the spring semester will be discussed in a meeting at 7:45 p.m. in 104B Zachry. New members are welcome.

AGGIE ALLEMANDERS: FREE! Introductory square dance lessons will be held from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in 201 MSC. Come join for the spring semester.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT (STUDENT BOOK EXCHANGE): Pick up books or money from the Student Book Exchange Jan. 24 through Jan. 26 from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in 216 MSC.

Now you know

United Press International
ANNAPOLIS, Md. — A Maryland court says the Legislature will have to change the law before tavern patrons can sue tavern owners for serving them drinks after they are obviously drunk.

The Court of Special Appeals said Thursday a man who sued a

tavern owner after he got so drunk he fell off a barstool and injured his leg may have a legitimate beef, but no legal right to sue.

A three-judge panel said it had no choice but to dismiss a lawsuit filed by Grover Cleveland Fisher against a Baltimore tavern owned by O'Connor's

Inc.

Fisher, 60, contended the bartender should have quit serving him drinks one afternoon three years ago because he already obviously was drunk.

Fisher's attorney says his client downed 14 drinks and fell asleep at the bar.

WEEK OF RENEWAL

January 23-27

Come and Hear Fr. John Burke, O. P.*

THE BIBLE AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH

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| Sun. Jan. 23
at all masses | THE BODY OF CHRIST: <i>The Importance of the Christian Community and the Feeling of Oneness with Fellow Believers</i> |
| Mon. Jan. 24
7:30 P.M. | WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A CHRISTIAN: <i>Drawing Out the Implications of the Blessings Revealed in Eph. 1:3-14</i> |
| Tues. Jan. 25
7:30 P.M. | THE PLACE OF THE BIBLE IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH: <i>Explaining Principles of Interpretation Regarding Literary Form</i> |
| Wed. Jan. 26
7:30 P.M. | BLOCKS TO GROWTH IN HAPPINESS AND PEACE: <i>Comparing Understanding of Morality with Secular Psychology</i> |
| Thurs. Jan. 27
7:30 P.M. | A CALL FOR EVANGELIZATION: <i>To Bear Witness To Jesus' Love... Ways to Share Faith</i> |

*Executive Director of The Word of God Institute, Washington D.C. This national organization promotes biblical preaching, bible sharing, and evangelization. Fr. Burke holds a M.A. in Drama and a Ph.D. in Sacred Theology.

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AIDS illness linked to Haitian voodoo

United Press International
BOSTON — A mysterious and deadly immune system deficiency plaguing gays, drug addicts and hemophiliacs may be linked to voodoo in Haiti and brought to the United States, according to a study released Thursday.

Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome, AIDS, does not seem to be native to the United States and the large number of cases among Haitian refugees indicates a need to look to Haiti for clues on where the disease came from and how it is transmitted, said Dr. Jeffrey Vieira of Brooklyn Hospital.

Anthropologists should study various factors in Haiti, including diet, drug use, the toxic environment and sexual and religious practices, which include blood transmission believed to be one way the disease is passed on, he said.

Vieira headed a study published in the New England Journal of Medicine Thursday that found 10 Haitians treated in Brooklyn for AIDS reported no history of homosexuality, drug

abuse or blood transfusions, the means by which the disease is now believed to be transmitted.

Six of those studied died of complications from the infections, treatment or surgery relating to the disease that causes the immune system to break down, leaving the victim prey to a host of scavenger diseases.

"The Haitians we looked at are hard-working, they have one wife, they don't report any drug use or homosexuality. I don't see how they could have picked AIDS up here. I think they brought it with them, but how they got it there I don't know," he said.

Haiti has been considered a popular vacation spot for homosexuals for many years.

"Our theory is it's transmitted by some unrecognized route. Haitians are connected in some

way with voodoo practices involving transmission of products, cutting each other with knives," he said.

It is important for researchers to know where it originates so it can be controlled, he said.

"It's a major public health concern," he said. "You have to consider what you are taking in terms of public health. For instance, who are you going to let give blood?"

Some 900 cases of AIDS have been reported in the United States since mid-1981, 10 percent among hemophiliacs, who are known to get AIDS through contaminated blood transfusions, he said. He asked homosexuals to be careful from donating blood.

ΣΑΕ SPRING RUSH

Friday 21st	At	Courtyard Apts. Party Room 8:00
Thurs. 25th	At	Willowick Apts. Party Room (MASH) 8:00
Fri. 28th	At	K.C. Hall on Grosbeck (MAD PLAID) 8:00
Sun. 30th	At	Courtyard Apts. (Super Bowl Bash) 4:00

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CATHOLIC STUDENT ASSOCIATION

GENERAL MEETING

Sunday, January 23

8:15 p.m. in St. Mary's Church
after 7:00 p.m. Mass

Please Come!
Everyone Welcome!

Spring Events and committee activities
will be discussed

GET INVOLVED!