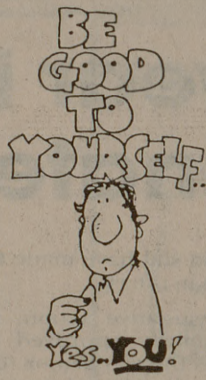


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Inmate artwork to greet pontiff at San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Pope John Paul II may be greeted in September by a 20-foot high fiber artwork made by 1,000 Bexar County Jail inmates, officials say.

The pontiff is scheduled to visit San Antonio on Sept. 13 during his tour across the United States.

The Jail Arts and Humanities Advisory Committee on Tuesday organized a group to spearhead the art project and raise money for costs, which could run up to \$17,000.

"Many (inmates) are Hispanic Catholics and this is the only way they will be able to participate in the papal visit and take some pride in their participation," said Nivia Gonzalez, director of the Jail Arts Program.

Plans call for hanging the huge picture near Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, where the pope has scheduled a public appearance. The fiber art is made by penciling a design on a poster or board, then applying strands of yarn over the design.

Gonzalez said a small portrait of Our Lady of Guadalupe took about 200 hours to make, but that work should go much faster now that a system has been developed.

She said the project could involve as many as 1,000 inmates working for four months. A prototype would be drawn and then enlarged and divided into sections. Each floor of the jail would get a panel.

The project grew out of the Jail Arts Program, which has provided art classes in the jail for the past four months.

Gonzalez said the classes provide therapy for inmates and can help them develop marketable skills.

"Some of them show a great deal of talent and could pursue art-related fields," she said.

Father Larry Stuebben, statewide coordinator for the papal visit, encouraged organizers of the art project.

"The fact that this effort will be the result of the toil, planning, dedication and work of an entire community, and this community will be the inmates of our local detention center speaks strongly to the universality of (the pope's) mission and visit," Stuebben said in a letter.

What's up

Thursday

DATA PROCESSING MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION: will present speakers from Valic Co. The topic will be careers in data processing.

PI SIGMA EPSILON: will hold a meeting for prospective members at 7 p.m. at 1005 Holleman Drive.

INDIA ASSOCIATION: Dr. M. Davenport of the Department of Philosophy will speak on Gandhism at 7 p.m. in 102 Zachry.

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF BLACK ENGINEERS: will meet at 7:30 p.m. in 510 Rudder.

TAMU CYCLING TEAM: will meet at 7 p.m. in 301 Rudder.

MEXICAN-AMERICAN ENGINEERING SOCIETY: will meet at 7 p.m. in 404 Rudder.

SAN ANTONIO HOMETOWN CLUB: will meet at 7 p.m. in 308 Rudder.

BRAZOS DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB: invites student faculty and any beginners to come at 7 p.m. to the College Station Community Center.

Friday

INTERVARSITY CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP: Paul Lee will speak on evangelism at 7 p.m. in 301 Rudder.

CHI ALPHA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP: will meet at 7 p.m. in 156 Blocker.

LATTER DAY SAINT STUDENT ASSOCIATION: will meet at noon at the LDS Institute Building at 100 Dexter.

DELTA SIGMA THETA: will meet at 9 p.m. in 221 MSC.

TAMU ASSOCIATION OF CARIBBEAN STUDENTS: will meet at 7 p.m. in 404 Rudder.

PUERTO RICAN STUDENT ASSOCIATION: will meet at 7:30 p.m. in 404 Rudder.

WILEY LECTURE SERIES: applications are available at the Student Programs Office, 216 MSC.

MSC SCONA: applications for round-table hosts and delegates are due at 5 p.m. Friday in 216 MSC.

FISH CAMP: counselor applications are available through Feb. 6 in 213 Pavilion.

MSC FRESHMAN LEADERSHIP DYNAMICS: membership applications are available through Feb. 3 in 216 MSC.

PARENTS WEEKEND: applications and schedule forms are available for any group planning an activity. Applications are due Feb. 27.

MSC LITERARY ARTS: is now accepting submissions for Litmus. Call 845-1515 for more information.

PARENTS WEEKEND COMMITTEE: applications for nominating 1987-88 Parents of the Year are available at the Commons, Sterling C. Evans Library, the Memorial Student Center and the Pavilion.

Items for What's Up should be submitted to The Battalion, 216 Reed McDonald, no less than three working days prior to desired publication date.

Center gives grad students experience in urban affairs

By Andria Goldwire
 Reporter

Texas A&M graduate students in the land development and urban planning program can gain work experience as a part of their studies.

Through planning laboratories, the students conceptualize, outline, plan and execute projects which are submitted to the University's Center for Urban Affairs, said Dr. W. G. Roeseler, the center's director.

The center, created in 1984, is designed to provide urban affairs experience and information for Texas cities, counties, state agencies and private groups.

Agencies and groups give grants to the center to complete projects ranging from city incorporation planning to architectural nature studies, Roeseler said.

"The projects we do tie in directly with educational studies," Roeseler said. "Our goal is to maximize opportunities for faculty and graduate

students to get experience and provide services for the state."

Each planning laboratory contains one or two faculty members as well as the needed number of students to carry out the project, he said.

After being accepted into the graduate program, students file employment applications with the center, he said. Acceptance into the program is based on academic standing and background.

"We have more job opportunities than we have students who want to take on this kind of job," Roeseler said.

Among the center's projects is a study of San Antonio's Riverwalk, in which researchers studied the problem of large, downtown buildings blocking sunlight to the vegetation along the walk. Architectural guidelines were recommended to help provide sufficient sunlight, Roeseler said.

Recently, the center completed a development feasibility and study for Hunt Properties in the north Dallas area, he said. The study examined existing conditions and proposed special development options for the firm.

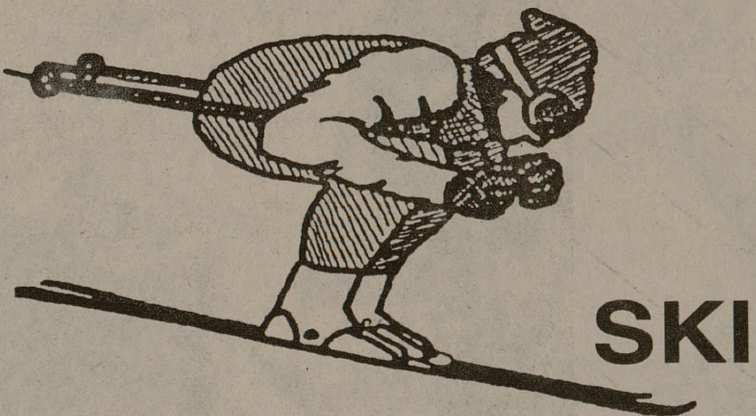
The center also has two projects dealing with plans for a new beach near Freeport and a new Hill Country northwest of Austin, he said.

A&M President Frank B. Blyler, an early supporter of the program, has said the center is doing the kind of urban studies which the University has always been known for.

Roeseler said that there have been no out-of-state projects because the center is busy with Texas studies. "The future international opportunities do exist."

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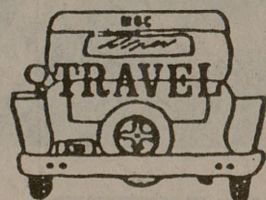
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