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Tom Jenkins, a senior marketing major and president of the Business Student Council, throws a bucket of water on Les Fiechtner, director of undergraduate programs for the College of Business Administration outside the

Blocker Building Thursday. The event, sponsored by the Business Student Council, was held to raise money for the United Way. It originally involved throwing wet sponges at professors who volunteered for the project.

Senate argues course request

By CARLA HERNANDEZ
Special to THE BATTALION

Future students at Texas A&M may have another class added to their core curriculum. At the Student Senate meeting on Wednesday, Senator Aaron Ford proposed emergency legislation on a bill that would call for the administration to begin research on a multicultural class that would be required of all students. The proposal was sparked by the recent alleged incident involving questionable racial behavior in the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. Ford said that he wanted the Anti-Racial Insensitivity bill to be

emergency legislation because of the importance of the topic. "If we put this (incident) on the back burner, it will continue to burn, and you will see a fire that you can't put out," Ford said. Other senators, however, felt that they needed time to consider the bill and let a new committee research and rewrite the bill. "I do not agree with having a bill voted upon when we haven't had ample time to talk to our constituents," Senator Jeff Erler said. "That way we can deal with the facts, and not the emotions that are involved." Guest speaker Jamey Webster, president of the Interfraternity Council, said he wholly supports Ford's proposition, but he does

not want the incident to be the out of proportion. "I think everyone goes on things more than facts," Webster said. "I feel that this situation be detrimental to the Greek system if it got dragged into the ether like the (sexual harassment cases in the) Corps did." Senator Patty Warhol helped introduce the bill, and "This should not become a witch-hunt," Warhol said. "The Corps situation became a witch hunt. This is just an avenue something to get done about a problem." Emergency legislation on the bill was denied, but it will be on the floor for a vote at the Senate meeting.

Correction

In the Oct. 26 edition of The Battalion, it was incorrectly reported that a donation of two cans of food will be necessary in order to receive a \$1 discount at the Off-Campus Aggies haunted house, located in the gray building next to the Second Chance Store on Church Street. Only one can of food is necessary to receive the discount.

Baseball's Nolan Ryan gets his own highway

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

ALVIN — The Alvin Express got an expressway named after him Thursday. Hometown boy Nolan Ryan, Texas' most famous baseball player, climbed into a cherry picker that took him to the top of a big green highway sign, peeled off the black plastic wrapping and formally made Texas Highway 288 in Brazoria County south of Houston

the "Nolan Ryan Expressway." "It is indeed an honor," Ryan said. "It is going to be exciting to drive down 288 and see this sign." The four-lane freeway to carry Ryan's name stretches for about 30 miles from the Harris-Brazoria county line to Freeport. The city council in Alvin, where Ryan and his family live, and the Brazoria County commissioners asked the Texas Legislature to designate the freeway in honor of their most famous native son.

What's Up

FRIDAY

AFRICAN STUDENTS ASSOCIATION: General monthly meeting from 7 p.m. to 8:15 p.m. in 401 Rudder. For more information call Frank at 268-6862.

THE AGGIE PLAYERS ASSOCIATION: Eric Bogosian's Talk Radio at the Rudder Forum Oct. 30-31 at 8 p.m. Tickets available at the MSC Box Office in Rudder. Tickets are \$4 for students and \$6 for the general public. For more information call 845-1234.

AGGIE SEDS: Pizza party at 5 p.m. at the TAMU Observatory. Don't forget your dues! For more information call Robb at 696-0725 or Roxanne at 693-4039.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: General discussion from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Call the Center for Drug Prevention—The Rainbow Center at 845-0280 for more information.

CAMPUS CRUSADE FOR CHRIST: Weekly CRU meeting at 7 p.m. in 108 HECC. For more information call Rob at 693-1934.

CLASS OF '93: We are taking suggestions for Elephant Walk T-shirts until Friday at 5 p.m. in the Class of '93 cubicle in the Student Programs Office.

COMMUNITY OF SINGLE ADULTS: Social Hour at Oxford Street Restaurant, 1710 Briarcrest in Bryan. For more information call Peggy at 846-9536.

EXCEL: EXCEL is a two-day minority orientation for incoming freshmen. If you have

not picked up a staff application, you may do so at the Department of Multicultural Services (137 MSC) or Student Activities (125 SSB). Applications are due Friday by noon. For more information call Delfia at 845-4551.

HILLEL JEWISH STUDENT ASSOCIATION: Friday night services at 8 p.m. followed by Oneg. Everyone is welcome. Also, Hebrew lessons continue Wednesdays at 4 p.m. For more information contact Hillel at 696-7313.

INKSHED PRESS: Submissions deadline for fall literary journal at 5 p.m. in 207 Blocker. For more information call Socorro at 847-0056.

INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS COMMITTEE: Accepting applications for the 1992-93 committee until Nov. 3. If you are interested in international affairs and diversity, apply now in the Student Government Office! For more information call 845-3051.

MUSLIM STUDENTS ASSOCIATION: Friday prayer from 12:50 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. in 110 and 111 Student Services Building. All Muslims and Muslimah invited. For more information call Widodo at 846-4278.

PUERTO RICAN STUDENTS ASSOCIATION: Meeting at 7 p.m. in 501 Rudder. For more information call Winston at 849-5926.

SOUTHWESTERN BLACK STUDENT LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE: Come join SBSLC as a host/hostess for our fifth annual conference. All students and majors are welcome. There will be a mandatory meeting on Sunday from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

SPIC MACAY: A Bharatmalyan dance program by Dr. Chitra Vives was at the Rudder Theater. Admission is free. For more information call Padmanab at 68-6838.


STAGECENTER: "All Because of Night" by Jonathan Troy at 8 p.m. at StageCenter Theatre at 3715 E. 29th in Bryan. For more information call the Box Office at 848-0277.

UNITED CAMPUS MINISTRIES: Fall retreat at Sandy Creek near Brenham. Starts at 5 p.m. from church. For more information call Stacy Fletcher at 693-5623.

U.S. PEACE CORPS: Information table at the MSC from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with information about overseas opportunities in Asia, the Pacific, Latin America, Eastern Europe and the Baltics. Interviews by appointment only in the Placement Office. For more information call the Peace Corps at 845-527-9216, extension 124.

WOMEN'S BONFIRE COMMITTEE: Come support Aggie Bonfire and help with prep at 3 p.m. in Duncan dining hall. For more information call Holly at 693-8503.

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Children's Halloween Party

Where the tricks and the treats are on us!!

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Place: SSB #110 & 111
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