

You are invited!
 Come meet and visit with
**Dr. Southerland, Vice President of
 Student Affairs this Sunday in
 Rudder Tower, 10th Floor during
 MSC Open House from 2:00-6:00 p.m.**
 Everyone is welcome
 sponsored by: msc public relations

PLAZA Club
 BRYAN • COLLEGE STATION

- *Award Banquets
- *Fraternity/Sorority Formals
- *Receptions
- *Graduation Parties
- *Date Parties
- *Rehearsal Dinners
- *Off-Premise Catering

Book Fall Events Now!
 (409) 776-1775

6th Floor
 Victoria Bank & Trust

2-for-1 Tickets

Now, you and a guest can enjoy all 11 performances of this incredible season for the single student season ticket price of \$120. To take advantage of this two-for-one ticket offer, simply stop by the MSC Box Office.

Must be a Texas A&M student with valid I.D. and fee slip reflecting full-time status. Tickets available in upper balcony only.

- "We'd like to see more jazz!"
 Student Audience Member, 1993-94 OPAS Season.
The Jim Cullum Jazz Band
 Thursday, September 22, 1994
- "Last season, 50% of you (our student audience) specifically requested 'The Will Rogers Follies.'"
"The Will Rogers Follies"
 Thursday & Friday
 September 29-30, 1994
- "Andrew Lloyd Webber. Enough said!"
 Student Audience Member, 1993-94 OPAS Season.
"Evita"
 Friday & Saturday,
 October 28-29, 1994
- You asked for more theatre, dance and special interest programs. "Stomp" has been referred to as a combination of all these genres!
"STOMP"
 Tuesday & Wednesday,
 November 1-2, 1994
- "We would love to hear more symphonies!"
 Student Audience Member, 1993-94 OPAS Season.
St. Louis Symphony Orchestra
 Tuesday, November 8, 1994
- Last season, over 70% of our student audience requested more ballet.
Ballet Theatre de Bordeaux
 Friday & Saturday,
 January 27-28, 1995
- "The community needs more opportunity to learn what real dance truly is."
 Audience Member, 1993-94 OPAS Season.
Alvin Alley American Dance Theater
 Thursday, February 9, 1995
- "I would really like to see more Broadway musicals (especially 'The Secret Garden')."
 Student Audience Member, 1993-94 OPAS Season.
The Secret Garden
 Saturday, February 18, 1995
 3:00 & 8:00
- It's music to your ears! Last season, over 80% of our student audience asked for more orchestra presentations.
BBC Philharmonic
 Saturday, March 25, 1995
- Jazz it up! Over 60% of our student audience said they were interested in more jazz.
Newport Jazz Festival on Tour
 Thursday, March 30, 1995
- "The Boys Choir of Harlem is outstanding! They would make a great addition to an OPAS Season."
 Audience Member, 1993-94 OPAS Season.
The Boys Choir of Harlem
 Thursday, April 20, 1995

You Spoke. We listened.

For more information on this incredible season, call us at 845-1661

MSC OPAS Your Season! OPAS22

Persons with disabilities please call 845-1515 to inform us of your special needs. We request notification three (3) working days prior to the event to enable us to assist you to the best of our ability.

Health Care

Continued from Page 6

procedures for reimbursement purposes that doctors will have to follow or risk being kicked out of their group."

Dr. Richard Alford, a physician of general surgery, said managed care will be frustrating for doctors and patients.

"Managed care will limit patient access and limit the quality of care," he said. "I don't think people will be able to have the care they're used to having. It will be universal access, but I don't think it will be timely access."

Dr. George A. Richardson, an orthopedic surgeon, said he does not know if the quality of care will suffer much, but it will make it more difficult to do the type of job he would like to do.

"It's making it more difficult for patients to come and see me, and there are restrictions on what I can do for them," he said. "Everything I do is questioned."

Dirks said that in the college health care arena, it is unsure as to what is going to happen.

"We provide a good bargain for students at Beutel," he said. "The best bargain in America. It's my view that we should try to maintain that level of health care at a reasonable price."

Richardson has some advice for students who do not use Beutel's services.

"This area is fortunate because there are a lot of good, fairly young doctors, and people are pretty well taken care of," he said.

Managed care may be the wave of the future, as one doctor said, but some said its impacts will be different, and most agree the issue will not go away.

"Managed care is good for business, but for practicing medicine it may not be the best situation," Bennett said.

"Managed care is here to stay," Gray said. "Whether it's market driven or a government change. We're already up to our waists in it."



Tim Moog/THE BATTALION

How's it hanging?

Freshman Nathan Vajos, left, a civil engineering major from San Antonio, and Case Brown, a biology major from Beeville, hang up a spirit sign from their dorm on Thursday afternoon for the game against OU on Saturday.

Pay Gap

Continued from Page 6

Employment Research Institute at Michigan State University found "only 37.2 percent of students hired last year had no prior career-related work experience."

Pat White, assistant director of the Co-op office, said the program at Texas A&M helps students gain this work experience.

"There's one thing that cannot be taken away from you — that's your experience," said White said.

She said most of the businesses that offer co-ops turn out to be future employers for the students who work for them.

The National Commission for Cooperative Education reported that 80 percent of co-op students receive a full-time employment offer from their co-op employer.

White said a co-op program may be an alternative for a student who doesn't know what

they want to do after graduation.

"I think a lot of people get their masters degree because they don't really know what they want to do after they graduate," White said. "They just say 'I'll just get another degree.' But really they're just putting off making a decision, while getting further and further into debt. A co-op gives you a little time to think about it."

White also said companies look for high grades, leadership and communication skills.

Presenting:

THE ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW

Friday Sept. 9
 Saturday Sept. 10

Midnight

At The Grove
 Admission \$3.00
 Movie Packs \$2.50

Persons with disabilities please call us at 845-1515 to inform us of your special needs. We request notification three (3) days prior to the event to enable us to assist you to the best of our ability.

We need 52 ACE's...

Could one of them be YOU?

ACE Peer Helper Program

ACE is a student volunteer program at the Student Counseling Service. ACE volunteers are needed from a wide variety of majors and interests. If selected, you will be trained to help other students improve their academic performance and expand information about possible majors and careers.

Interviewing NOW!

Application DEADLINE Tuesday, September 13, 1994

Applications and brochures are available at 104 Henderson Hall or for the ACE table at MSC Open House.

Student Counseling Service
 ...a Department in the Division of Student Affairs
 845-4455

MSC Political Forum

Presents:

Democratic Candidate for U.S. Senate

Richard Fisher

Wednesday, September 14, 1994
 7:00 p.m.
 Rudder Theatre

Persons with disabilities please call 845-1515 to inform us of your special needs. We request three (3) working days prior to the event to enable us to assist you to the best of our ability.

The views expressed in this program do not necessarily represent those of MSC Political Forum, The MSC, or Texas A&M University.

University Bookstores

Three Off-Campus Locations to Serve You
 Northgate - Culpepper Plaza - Village
 "Your Source for Educationally Priced Software"

Back to School Software Specials

- Microsoft Office Professional \$179.95
 (Perfect for Bana 207 Students)
- Wordperfect 6.0 Windows \$99.00
 (includes Quattro Pro 5 and Random House Dictionary)
- Wordperfect Student Kit MAC \$99.00
 (You have to see all that is in this one to believe it!)
- Mathematica for Students \$109.95
- Lotus Smartsuite 3.0 \$149.95
 (includes the new 123 Rel 5 & AMIPRO 3.1)

We now stock over 200 titles and have access to over 2500 titles at educational savings. We have more titles available for PC and MAC. For quotes on any software titles please FAX 846-6087 or call 846-8771. Attn: Philip Beard. Department purchase orders welcome.