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MSC to address odor cause

Changes to sub-basement to eliminate air-flow problem

BY RYAN WEST
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Structural changes will begin in the sub-basement of the MSC to remedy a sewage odor leak into the J. Wayne Stark Gallery caused by a 25,000-gallon grease trap.

During the past several weeks money has been set aside and work orders have been signed to begin these changes.

Beverly Wagner, administrative secretary of the gallery, said employees first reported the smell when the building was opened in 1992.

"People who visit the galleries complain it smells like sewage and ask why no one has done anything about it," Wagner said.

Bill Kibler, associate vice president for student affairs, said there have been different people working on the odor problem for years. He said an engineering firm specializing in building air flow and pressure was recently hired to examine the area and give a series of recommendations.

"Unfortunately, the recommendations are very expensive," he said. "Even just the structural changes will cost over \$300,000.

"[The smell makes] the quality of work-life an issue, not only that, but an art gallery is one of the worst places on campus for something like this to happen."

David Godbey, assistant director of the physical plant for engineering and design services, said the pressure in the sub-basement [the area in which the grease trap is located] is made up of a positive air pressure. The positive air pressure forces air out of the sub-basement into other areas.

This air is then emitted into the airway along the north side of the MSC. The gallery's air vents pull

in the fumes that make the air used in the gallery's air-conditioning system.

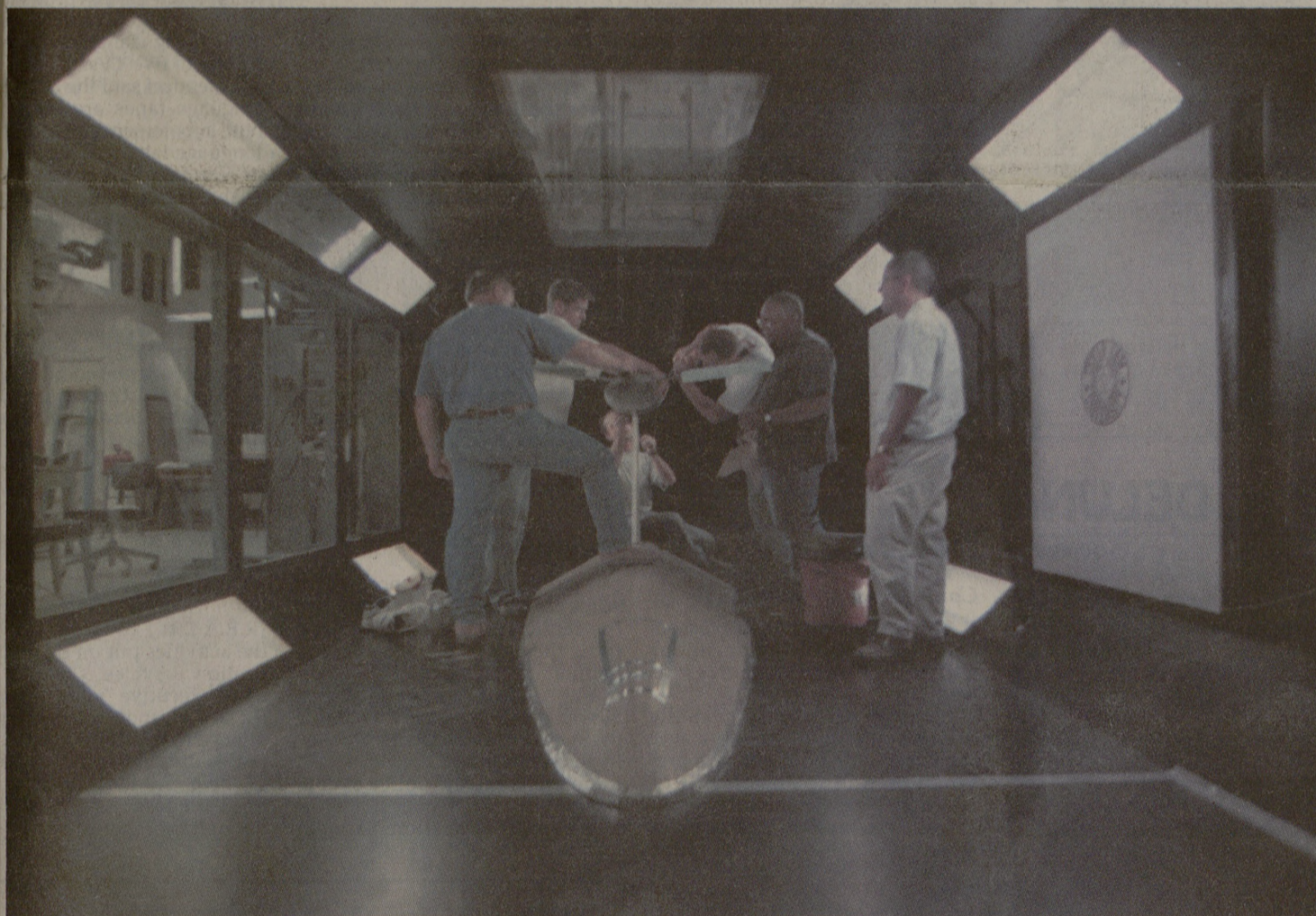
"What we're going to do is reverse the positive air pressure in the sub-basement [which forces the fumes out of the area] into negative air," Godbey said. "We can then exhaust the noxious fumes into another area [away from the air vents of the Stark gallery]."

Godbey stressed that although the noxious fumes are a nuisance, they are not a health hazard for those visiting or working in the building.



Elizabeth Kennedy, a forestry science Ph. D candidate, views an exhibit in the J. Wayne Stark Gallery Wednesday. Officials say proposed structural changes to the MSC will eliminate an odor problem in the gallery.

Tunnel vision



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Members of the Aloha Racing research team test their new boat design in Texas A&M's low-speed wind tunnel Wednesday. The boat is being designed for entry in a nautical race in Sydney, Australia.

Health Education expands services

BY SUZANNE BRABECK
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The office of Health Education Services is introducing two new programs this fall to help increase students' awareness of health issues.

Health Education Services will launch the Aggie Health Ring Website this fall, which will put all of the students services links such as Student Counseling Services, the Health Education Center, Gender Issues, Recreational Sports Department and the Department of Multicultural Services on one site to make these sites more accessible to students.

Health Education Services will also begin to place hang tags in the showers of every residence hall bathroom to educate women about breast cancer and men about testicular cancer.

Health Education Services, located in the basement of A.P. Beutel Health Center, is a service that gives students an avenue to learn more about personal health.

Margaret Griffith, a health education coordinator for the Health Center and a sexual health specialist, said the location of the center both helps and hinders the program.

"Since it is kind of secluded many people don't know about it," she said. "But on the other hand it makes students feel like they have more privacy."

Health Education Services offers the following to help students:

- Aggie Health Ring Website (beginning this fall)
- Advice for academic papers on health-related topics
- Information on anonymous HIV testing
- Available to speak with parents if they have questions or concerns
- A policy of keeping complete confidentiality

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Topics available for information range from smoking, sex, nutrition, time and stress management and anonymous HIV testing. The center even offers advice for academic papers on health related topics.

"The main way that we reach out to A&M is through flyers, banners and by hosting programs for residence halls and organizations," Griffith said.

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Navy divers find bodies at crash site

AQUINNAH, Mass. (AP) — Navy divers found the bodies of John F. Kennedy Jr., his wife and sister-in-law in the wreckage of Kennedy's plane yesterday, ending the painful, five-day vigil their families endured during the search of the waters off Martha's Vineyard.

The bodies were brought to shore yesterday and taken to the medical examiner's office for autopsies. A family source said a burial at sea for JFK Jr. was likely, and broadcast reports said the Navy had granted permission for such a ceremony.

The bodies were found 116 feet below the surface after ships from the Navy, Coast Guard and National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration spent the night scouring a site 7 1/2 miles southwest of Martha's Vineyard.

After a search that had the nation transfixed since Saturday, the plane's body, or fuselage, was spotted by underwater cameras at 11:30 p.m.



Source: U.S. Navy

Tuesday. The bodies of all three victims were found in the fuselage, Coast Guard Rear Adm. Richard M. Larrabee said.

A large section of the fuselage that included the instrument panel was recovered. The effort to bring more of the wreckage to the surface will continue today.

To keep TV cameras away, officials banned flights within five miles of the recovery effort, which was led by the USS *Grasp*, a Navy salvage ship. JFK Jr.'s uncle Sen. Edward M. Kennedy and his sons, Patrick and Edward Jr., were aboard the *Grasp* while the bodies were being recovered and accompanied the remains to shore.

Larrabee said the bodies were brought to the surface "in a way that respected the situation they were in. It was something we were very sensitive to."

Browsing Library offers study option

BY STUART HUTSON
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Students seeking a study environment that is not as structured as a typical library on campus should look no further than the MSC Browsing Library, located on the second floor of the MSC.

Girish Murthy, a graduate student and manager of the Browsing Library, said that although the attendance at the Browsing Library this summer has dropped to about half of what is common during the regular school year, he said he has no plans to make an attempt to increase attendance.

"We like having a relatively small group who have come here who have found out about it on their own or have heard about it by word-of-mouth," he said. "It helps keep a family living room kind of atmosphere that a lot of students enjoy."

Murthy said the casual atmosphere makes the Browsing Library special. Students are allowed to eat while they study or read a newspa-



Nicole Hurst, a junior biomedical science major, takes time out from studying Wednesday to flip through some magazines at the MSC Browsing Library.

per or magazine from the library's selection of more than 100 periodicals.

A student may select to listen to one of 14 different types of music broadcast via cable radio or a compact disc from the library's selection of 500 compact discs by means of a headphone con-

nection in each of the 24 study carrels. Luke J. Altendorf, associate director of the MSC, said the library orders about 30 new compact discs two or three times every year, based on the popularity of the discs.

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