

## Behrend Briefs

**AUDITIONS FOR "FOUND A PEANUT,"** a play by Donald Margulies, will be held Monday and Tuesday, September 19 and from 20 6-8 p.m. in the Studio Theater. Audition materials will be provided; you do not need to prepare an audition piece. Call x6279 for more information or to read a script see Mr. Elliot in Academic room 145.

**Attention All Students:** All full-time students do have mailboxes. Go to the mailroom to obtain box number and combination.

**Attention all communication majors and other interested students:** The Communication Club holds its meetings every Tuesday at 12:15 in Academic 55.

**Scholarship/Fellowship Opportunities Workshops:** September 15 from 4-5 p.m. and September 19 from 12:15-1 p.m. in the Reed Conference Room. Attention juniors and seniors: find out about the Fulbright, Truman, Mellon, Rosen, and British Marshall Scholarships and other funded study opportunities. Many have fall deadlines, so speed is essential. Contact Mari Trenkle at x6160.

**Behrend/Diehl Elementary School Tutoring Program:** The Diehl tutoring program for fall semester begins the week of September 20. All majors needed! No prior experience required - just a willingness to help children kindergarten through 5th grade with math, spelling and reading one hour per week. Transportation is provided for after-school times/car-pooling for in-school tutoring. Information and applications are available from the Student Activities Office, first floor Reed. Bring a friend! **DEADLINE TO SIGN UP: September 16.**

**"How to Beat the Freshman 15"** with Nancy Warzyniak and Sharon Piano will be held on September 20 at 7 p.m. in Perry Lobby.

Lion Ambassadors applications are available in the Student Activities Office and are due September 21. Send applications via campus mail to the office of Development and University Relations. If you have any questions call x7000 or x6159.

The Learning Assistance Center is offering a study skills workshop titled "The Best Way to Study: College-Level Study Skills" on Wednesday, September 21 12-12:45 p.m. and Thursday, September 22 5:15-6 p.m. For more information contact Barry Kohler x6014.

HRPC will be holding an open forum titled "Spirituality and Faith" on September 21 at 8 p.m. in the Reed Lecture Hall.

**PSU Education Abroad Workshops:** September 22 from 4-5 p.m. and September 23 from 12:15-1 p.m. in the Reed Conference Room. Over 600 Penn Staters abroad every year on 78 programs around the world! Find out more about PSU semester, year-long and summer study abroad programs. November 1 is the deadlines to apply for fall 1995 semester and 1995-1996 year-long study abroad programs. Contact Mari Trenkle at x6160.

## Unique minor

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disciplines, will team-teach the course and all three will be present during each class session, Rossi explained.

Rossi said that "using people from different disciplines" will give the course "diversity" and an "other cultures' component."

The professors who will be team-teaching INTST 100 in the spring of 1995 are Rossi, who will provide the historical perspective; Dr. Gayle Morris, lecturer in economics; and Dr. Zachary Irwin, associate professor of political science.

INTST 400, "Seminar in International Studies," will be a lecture and discussion course in which students complete a research project, according to the Nov. 12, 1993 Division of Humanities and Social Sciences proposal for the international studies minor.

Rossi said that students will "apply what (they've) learned in (their) major(s) and other courses" to the research project.

According to Rossi and Salper, it is not known whether INTST 400 will be offered in the fall of 1995 or the spring of 1996 because, as Rossi said, "the sequence (of classes) depends on how many students sign up for the minor."

Rossi said of the minor, "It's pretty exciting what we're doing; it's innovative at the university level."

Salper agreed with Rossi and said, "We're very excited." She added, "The Office of International Programs at University Park has been very generous in support."

Faculty members serving on the committee for the international studies minor include: Dr. Ursula Davis, Dr. Steve de Hart, Dr. Juan Fernandez-Jimenez, Dr. John Gamble, Dr. Zachary Irwin, Dr. Ken Louie, Dr. Gayle Morris, Rossi, Salper, and Dr. Kathryn Wolfe.

## Shields Leaves

by Jerry M. Bruno  
*Collegian Staff*

Penn State-Behrend has lost one of its family members. David Shields, former director of Student Activities, has taken a position at Altoona, another Penn State branch campus.

Shields' position in Altoona is Director of Student Affairs, much like the position Chris Reber holds here at Behrend.

Chris Rizzo will be taking over for Shields as Director of Student Activities. Rizzo's former position was Coordinator of Resident and Greek Life.

Shields was at Behrend since 1988.

"The biggest thing I will miss most about Behrend is watching the freshmen become seniors," said Shields. "Behrend was like an extended family and a special place."

"I will also miss working with the students, especially in their leadership roles," Shields said. "This was definitely the

best six years in one place."

Rizzo is excited about his new position.

"I always have been in contact with Student Activities, but I want to continue with the vision of this program."

Rizzo has also made some long-range plans.

"I would like to be working with leadership development in the Greek system in the near future."

"In my old position I worked more with disciplinary situations and in the residence halls," Rizzo said, "so I will still be in contact with the students, just in a different way."

Rizzo also mentioned that the Behrend community will miss Shields.

"In the last week I have worked very close with Dave for my orientation, and wished that I would have worked with him in the past more than I did."

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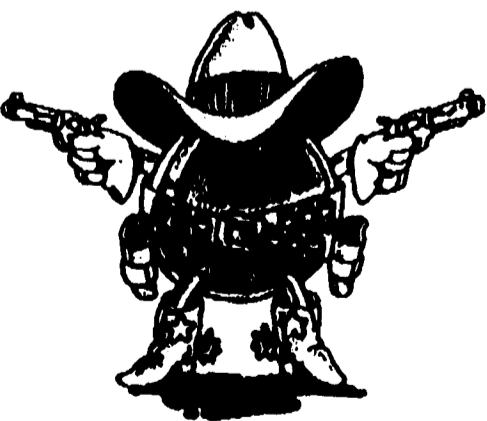
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