

FEATURE

Bruno's Premiere A Success

by Jill Bedford
Collegian Staff Writer

A large crowd attended Bruno's nightclub opening night on Tuesday, Feb. 5. The club was decorated with metallic streamers, multi-colored balloons, and small lighted candles were placed on the tables.

Waiters attired in official Bruno's designer T-shirts served patrons dishes of popcorn and non-alcoholic drinks including mai tais, pina colodas, daiquiris, bloody marys and grasshoppers were sold.

Bruno's main attraction was award-winning international entertainer Edward Jackman. Jackman entertained the crowd with juggling, balancing and improvisational comedy.

Jackman juggled seven balls and later juggled a bowling ball, a sharp machete, and an apple simultaneously. He ended the show by juggling three clubs while balancing a ten-speed bicycle on his forehead.

Throughout his act, Jackman joked with the crowd and included members of the audience in

parts of his act. He was well-received by the audience.

Jackman, originally from Los Angeles, began juggling "for no particular reason. We had a grapefruit tree in our backyard," he said, "and one day I just began juggling grapefruits. In one afternoon I discovered I could juggle better than professionals I had seen on TV, so I kept practicing." Jackman has won two juggling awards and is nominated for the Campus Comedy Entertainer of the Year.

The only complaint of the evening was that the show was a little short, running just an hour. Perhaps in the future the show can be lengthened by Behrend students interested in sharing their talents.

Bruno's (which derives its name from the dog once belonging to Mary Behrend, and whose grave is located in the Wilson Picnic Grove), is Behrend's very own nightclub. The club, located in the Gorge cafeteria, will be open Tuesday nights at 8 o'clock and will feature live entertainment.

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dependency myth and become the most they can be.

Women Today is a campus organization formed to give education and support on women's issues. Informal rap sessions are the focus of many meetings where members share their feelings, ideas and concerns on their roles as women today.

The group meets Fridays at noon in the Financial Aid Office, located on the 2nd floor of the Administration Building. Interested students, faculty and staff may attend.



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9 p.m., Reed 117

Davis' Books Coming Soon

by Judy Bush
Collegian Staff Writer

Have you ever been on an archaeological expedition to Ecuador? Or attempted to translate a sex scene from Dutch into English? Received huge enjoyment from reading modern Japanese fiction? Dr. James Davis, Associate Professor of English, has done them all.

Davis, who earned a Ph.D in English from the University of S. Mississippi, has published some 30 short stories. Soon to be published is a novella entitled *Blackletter*, and a book on Polish science fiction writer Stanislaw Lem.

According to Davis, Stanislaw Lem has won world acclaim for his science fiction writing. It is curious to note that Lem's recognition in the U.S. comes from the wider literary circles, rather than science fiction circles. For example, his writing has been published in *The New Yorker*, rather than in science fiction journals.

"Lem," says Davis, "is able to combine unusual human motivations and intellectual problems with science fiction. He avoids things that people usually look for

in science fiction, such as replays of a 'cops and robbers' in space sort of thing and soft-core pornography. He continued, "Lem's work is considered literary and philosophical."



Dr. James Davis

Davis' own background can be considered literary and philosophical. He began his studies as a Greek Archaeology major at the University of Maryland.

He changed his major a few times, trying out Anthropology and English along the way. He earned his M.A. in Creative Writing at the John Hopkins University where he studied under writer John Barth.

Dr. Davis has been with Behrend since the fall of 1979. He has taught basic writing courses along with business and technical writing. One class he now teaches is fictional writing. His creativity is apparent as he combines it with quick humor to give the class examples of bad fiction; "as the man's eyes crept around the room" is one of his favorites. "And what," Davis asks, "do you suppose the poor man is doing in the meantime, running blindly into doors?"

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