

1986 Summer Sessions set at Behrend

Students intending to take classes at Behrend over the coming summer are advised to begin planning now.

This summer a three-week and an eight-week session have been scheduled for undergraduates, as well as a ten-week graduate session for the MBA program. The final Behrend Summer Schedule of classes may be obtained from the Registrar's Office, now located in Room 114 of the Otto Behrend Science Building, beginning April 3. Advance registration dates for Behrend Summer Ses-

sions have been set for April 7-25, 1986.

Registration for the three-week early summer session will be on May 12. Classes begin May 14 and end June 4 with finals given on June 6. Six courses will be offered at either 9-11:45 a.m. or 6-8:45 p.m. meeting times Monday through Friday, with the exception of PH ED 005 (Tennis), meeting 6-8 p.m. Monday through Friday. A three-credit limit is suggested during the three-week session.

Registration for the regular

eight-week summer session will be held June 4 and 5, with classes beginning June 10 and ending July 31. Finals are scheduled for August 4 and 5. Students can choose from 44 course offerings, with the majority of the courses to meet daytime or evenings three times per week for one hour and forty minute periods.

Two graduate level courses will be offered during the ten-week session, with registration on July 12. MANGT 543, meeting Saturdays only from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., begins May 17 and ends August 2, with the final on August 9. OPMAN 501, meeting Monday and Wednesday evenings, begins May 21 and ends July

30, with the final scheduled for August 4. For part-time Pennsylvania residents, the cost is \$115 per credit and for non-Pennsylvania residents, \$173 per credit. Full-time undergraduate Pennsylvania residents (Session 1 and 2 combined) will pay \$1,380 for 12 or more credits and non-Pennsylvania residents \$2,070. Graduate tuition rates are \$150 per credit for Pennsylvania residents and \$225 for non-Pennsylvania residents.

The Summer Tabloid, detailing summer classes available at each Penn State campus, as well as the summer course schedule for University Park, is now available in the Registrar's Office and other

campus locations. Returning students may advance-register at all campus locations through the Registrar's Office. Dates for advance-registration will be announced in early April. Behrend students intending to register for a location other than Behrend must request a Summer Only Change of Assignment in the Behrend College Registrar's Office.

NOTE: For the first time, on-campus housing will be available during the Summer Sessions. Check with the Office of Housing and Food Services in Dobbins Hall or call (814) 898-6161 for information and rates for student apartments.

Reed extends weekend hours

by Pat Schilpf
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The Reed Building has new hours scheduled for the weekends. "More students on campus need study time on the weekends especially graduate students," said Provost and Dean Dr. John Lilley.

The hours will become permanent if students make use of the extended time.

The change of hours was made for all students with graduate students taken into special consideration.

The new apartments, planned for 1987, will bring another small population boom to Behrend. There will be more students that

need time to study. Its hard to say if students will take advantage of the extended hours. Dohn Harshbarger, dean of student affairs said, "We don't know if the turnout will be as good in the Spring as it would be in the Fall. If it (extended hours) doesn't work for the Spring semester, we may try it in the Fall semester anyway."

A student probed the need for more hours at a recent "Coffee With the Provost" and action was taken.

New hours for the bookstore are Saturdays 11 a.m.-3 p.m., Back Room and RUB Desk Saturdays 1 p.m.-11 p.m., and Library Saturdays 9 a.m.-8 p.m. and Sundays noon-10 p.m.

Behrend expands apartment, office facilities

University Relations, Hershey, PA--The Pennsylvania State University Board of Trustees approved apartment expansion and faculty office projects and water system improvements for Behrend College at its March 15 meeting. The building projects will accommodate 96 additional students and 24 additional faculty members.

Apartment construction is expected to begin May 16, with a proposed completion date of July 1, 1987.

The project is phase two of the student apartments that opened at Behrend in August 1985. The new

housing will be built adjacent to the existing apartments, located at the top of the hill on Jordan Road.

The board approved the expansion plan and design by John C. Haas Associated and authorized solicitation of bids for the project.

Phase two of the project will add 24 apartments in three new buildings that retain the architecture of the existing complex. Six apartment buildings currently house 192 Behrend students in 48 two-bedroom units.

When completed, the expansion project will enable Behrend to house a total of more than 945 on-campus students.

The Board of Trustees also approved construction of two new faculty office units at Behrend.

Each facility will be 24 feet wide

and 54 feet long, with space for 12 faculty offices. One unit will be located west of Turnbull Hall, the other south of the Carriage House.

The new buildings will be similar in appearance and construction to the Carriage House Annex, built in 1984. Both new units are expected to be completed this summer.

Also approved at the March board meeting were final plans for alterations and additions to Behrend's water system.

The project will include installation of a new pump and additional water lines, improvements to the Behrend water tower and existing pumps, a new central water monitoring system and additional fire hydrants on campus.

Academic advising "contract" created to improve advising process

by Paula Maus
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Registration for Fall 1986 Semester, scheduled for April 7-25, requires academic advising.

In efforts to optimize the academic advising process, students must be aware of their responsibilities as advisees.

Sometimes students "self-advise" which can lead to complications along the academic path. "Good advising takes two," said Jack Burke, associate provost and dean.

Burke refers to the responsibilities in the advisor/advisee relationship as a "contract" to be filled by both parties. The informal advising "contract," constructed by Burke from PSU's policy manual, "spells out responsibilities and expectations" in the advisor/advisee relationship, Burke said.

The "contract" reminds faculty advisors of stipulations set in University Senate Policy 32-00 on academic advising.

"Students who know their responsibilities as advisees will derive greater benefits from the advising process," Burke said. Students' responsibilities include Policy 32-90 as listed below.

Advisee responsibilities include (Policy 32-90):

1. Primary responsibility for meeting program and degree requirements. The advisor suggests and

recommends, but final responsibility for decisions rests with the student.

2. Completing the advanced registration process each semester. This includes being prepared for the advising session by having filled out a draft schedule, having an up-to-date checksheet for the major, having a catalog, and thinking beforehand about educational objectives and questions to ask.

3. Becoming familiar with the University's academic rules and regulations.

4. Informing the advisor of circumstances (including unsatisfactory academic performance) and changes in plans that directly affect academic performance and educational goals.

5. Initiating contact with the advisor, knowing the advisor's office hours, and getting in touch with the advisor earlier rather than later when experiencing difficulties.

6. Becoming informed about using campus resources and services other than the advisor (e.g. DUS, Career Development and Placement, catalogs, etc.)

Academic advising is taken seriously at Behrend. The annual "Guy W. Wilson Award for Excellence in Academic Advising" evidences the resolute attempts made by Behrend faculty.

Clearing up the academic advising issue was prompted by discussion at "Coffee With the Provost," Burke said.

Lambda Sigma selects new members with early morning flash

by Barrett Parker
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Last Thursday, March 27, at 6:30 a.m., several students heard a knock on their doors. The newly awakened students saw flash bulbs go off and were told that they had a few minutes to get ready for the Lambda Sigma breakfast--one of the first steps in becoming a full-fledged member of the honor and service society.

Behrend's Alpha Eta chapter of the Lambda Sigma Society does such community/campus services as the recent organ drive, car washes, and the upcoming CARE packages for finals week.

New members will remain in the organization until they finish their sophomore year. New members include Kimberly Best, Kim Bruni, Vincent Cannella, Lori Davison, Daniel Eccles, Calvin Fryling, Joseph Haller, Kurt Hammerbeck, Lauri Herring, Amy Hickman, Wendy Nachman, Seth Narehood, Gary Orr, Gregory Radick, Kelly Rodgers, Karen Pastorik, Tracy Simmons, David Slye, James Thomas, Michelle Williamson and Timothy Wilson. Jamie Grimm, assistant dean of student affairs who served with Cathy Mester, (speech communications instructor) as co-advisors was named an honorary member.

"The new members have worked well together in the tasks they already had to perform. I think Lambda Sigma will be very strong next year," Grimm said.