

# Senate seat opens up

by Carl Dabler  
ICC President

Last year Behrend College Students were given a larger voice in the University Faculty Senate. In past years, all of the Commonwealth campuses were represented on the Senate by two student members. Behrend College and Capitol College were each given a student senator to represent their colleges on the Faculty Senate, whereas

there are only two senators for the remaining Commonwealth campuses.

The Student Government Association (SGA) is responsible for holding the election of the Student Senator. SGA received notice of this responsibility last year and appointed Greg Goldsmith, who represented Behrend during the 1987-1988 academic year.

The election of the Student Senator to serve on the University

Faculty Senate for next year will be held Wed. Feb. 17 and Thurs. Feb. 18 between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. in the Reed Union Building.

All students interested in running for this position should pick up nomination forms in the SGA Office and return it, completed, there by Tues. Feb. 16 at 4 p.m.

See Carl Dabler or SGA President Matt Farkas there for more information, or call ext. 6220.

by Nan Quatchak  
Feature Editor

When you think of State College, what comes to mind? For most students it's either football games and wild victory parties, or enormously-sized classes and being just an ID number with no name. But to a lot of Behrend students, it's a combination of both.

"Should I stay at Behrend for four years, or transfer to University Park?" you ask.

Well, if you're asking yourself this question, I've got some good news for you. Feb. 17 Omicron Delta Kappa (ODK) is sponsoring a reception that can answer your questions about transferring. The reception will take place in the Reed 2nd floor lobby from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and is open to anyone interested. The reception is designed to inform students of the four-year programs available here.

ODK, active at Behrend since 1984, has been a National Leadership Honorary Society for 75 years. A Junior and Senior Society, ODK's main goal is performing services in collegiate activities.

I had the chance to speak to senior Ed Applegate, president of the Behrend Circle of ODK, and

# UP: the Mecca of Penn Staters

Michael Chiteman, ODK Faculty Secretary, about the reception and their feelings about students staying here for a full four-year program. "A lot of people are coming here as juniors and seniors from other campuses or universities," said Chiteman.

This has a lot to do with the fact that Behrend now offers 25 different majors in three different divisions ranging from Accounting to Chemistry or Political Science.

One concern students have about their Behrend degrees is the heading on their diploma. According to Chiteman, no matter what PSU campus a student graduates from, the main heading on the diploma will read "The Pennsylvania State University." If you're graduating from Behrend, "The Behrend College" will appear below the PSU main heading.

Applegate, graduating in May, is very pleased to be graduating from Behrend.

"I'm definitely glad that I stayed here. I've benefited a lot from being here in that I've been able to be involved in a lot of different things, and I've had close contact with my instructors; I've had the opportunity for the past two semesters to be a research assistant for

the Accounting Department. I think it would be a lot more difficult to do things like that at UP; although they (opportunities) are available, you have a lot better chance of doing it here," said Applegate.

Applegate and Chiteman noted other advantages of staying at Behrend to complete programs of study. In addition to location continuity, Applegate added the issue of the readjustment necessary when transferring. Class sizes go down as you climb up the class levels, Applegate said, but he pointed out that it's only relative; "the sizes go down, but they may go down to 80 people," added Applegate.

Chiteman added that the opportunity to work as an intern with your professor is so much greater (at Behrend), since competition is less fierce. When there are several hundred other students in your major trying for the same internship, it "makes you wonder what your chances are," said Chiteman.

Applegate and Chiteman strongly recommend attending the Feb. 17 reception if transferring is one of your concerns. More information can be obtained from Ed Applegate at 898-6912 or from Michael Chiteman at 898-6260.



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# Jobs for sale.

by Trinetta Zawadzki  
Collegian Staff Writer

Interested in a full-time position in your major for Summer? Many local companies are currently searching for prospective employees.

Beginning March 8, at the Job Fair at Mercyhurst College, these companies will gather for the annual event to provide information to students searching for employ-

ment.

Local area colleges will be accepting students' resumes and forwarding them to their selected companies.

Behrend students can bring their resumes to the Career Development and Placement Services, first floor Reed, by Feb. 12 for Job Fair participation.

Job Fair will make students more informed of career possibilities available in their field, so try to be

there. Transportation will be provided for those who need a ride to Mercyhurst. The program will start at 8 a.m. and continue until 5 p.m. in the Mercyhurst College gym (Multi-Purpose Center). For further details on Job Fair or transportation needs, please contact Behrend's Career Development and Placement Office.

Don't miss the Personals on Page 8 !!!

# Fun falls on campus

by Michelle McClellan  
Collegian Staff Writer

That's right. It's time once again for the annual Winterfest, a carnival of fun !!

Winterfest '88 has lots to do for everyone. Sat. Feb. 13 and Sun. Feb. 14, the Student Government Association and co-sponsors (Intramural Dept., Student Programming Council, Commuter Council, Joint Residence Council, and the Inter Club Council) will hold competitive events including the following:

- Snow sculpture
- Snow scavenger hunt
- Three person toboggan race
- Downhill slalom
- Cross country ski racing
- Speed skating
- Snow golf
- (Human) Dogsled race and Broom Ball

Registration forms are available from and are to be turned in to the Intramural Office by 12 noon, Fri. Feb. 12.

Events begin Sat. at 12 noon and Sun. at 1 p.m.

The Winterfest, initially begun as a fundraiser for student organizations, has traditionally been sponsored by the SGA. This year they have decided to turn it into a festival of fun, celebrating Winter at Behrend.

Let's hope it snows !!

## PRESIDENTS DAY SALE

ALL clothing 20 percent off

Monday, February 15th  
at your Bookstore

## \$ ONE DAY BUY—BACK \$ of textbooks

in the bookstore lobby

Wednesday only February 24th  
This is for titles Not currently being used at Behrend College

## Leadership pays off.

by Lisa Hahn  
Collegian Editor

Do you possess good leadership abilities? Would you like to possibly receive money for those abilities? If so, and you are a full time student in good academic standing, you may be eligible for the Edward P. & Barbara F. Junker Scholarship. Mr. Junker, the Alumni Fellow, donated \$50,000 to Behrend and the interest from that money is being used for the scholarship. The value of the scholarship is approximately \$5,000 and will be divided accordingly depending on the number of students that apply and are chosen. The criteria are: the student must be actively involved, show outstanding leadership, be in good academic standing (2.0), and be returning to Behrend for Fall Semester. Financial need is not a consideration. Students coming to Behrend from other commonwealth campuses can also be considered for the scholarship.

A scholarship committee will consist of two graduating students, three faculty, and two staff members. The committee will review the applications and decide on the number of recipients and consequently the amount to be awarded. The applicants will be asked to interview with a member of the committee and based on the interviews and the applications, the final recipients will be chosen.

Applications are available in the Financial Aid Office and will consist of essay questions and questions dealing with the involvement of the student. The deadline is March 15th and they can be submitted to the Financial Aid Office. The winners will be notified by April 1st and will be honored at the Honors and Awards Convocation, Sun. April 17.

# S.G.A Minutes

by Holly Lew  
Collegian News Editor

- As of Jan. 27 the SGA budget was \$4,969.14

- The Spring Dinner Dance will be held at Peek'n Peak, March 25.

- Brian Kovaleski was elected Commuter Senator by a unanimous vote by the Student Senate.

- Kevin Trenney was elected Resident Senator by an 8-5 vote.

- SGA will purchase the video "Hazing-A Greek Tragedy" to be rented to Behrend's various Greek organizations.

### Standing Council Reports

Commuter Council - the deadline for the next Newsletter is Feb. 17. The CC would like to have "A Day in the Life" when a resident and commuter senator trade places for a day. CC will co-sponsor the Winterfest.

Joint Residence Council - telephone books should have been distributed by now.

Student Programming Council - the movie of the week is "Dressed to Kill."

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