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Music/Arts Festival Getting Together

With the Music/Arts Festival a mere month away, preparational activities are picking-up speed. Although the budget is tight, the event which is scheduled for May 17-20, will occur and the appeal for money has been replaced by an urgent appeal for manpower.

Pete Forest, who is in charge of marshalls, needs a number of students to coordinate and direct traffic during the programs. He plans to assign shifts in order to insure that all volunteers can have ample time to enjoy the festivities. Being a marshall is one of the most important facets of the festival. Without marshalls, a beautiful weekend could be lost to chaos. If you want to insure a successful event, call Pete at 944-0336.

The schedule of activities begins Thursday afternoon, May 17. A group of classical performers sponsored by the Cultural Committee will appear in the Gallery Lounge at 2:00 p.m. On Friday, the movies "Reefer Madness" and "Brand-X" will be shown at the Student Center from 8:00 p.m. - 4 a.m.

The groups performing on Saturday and Sunday will be signing contracts this week. Pat Quinn has recruited performers for the folk concert on Saturday and Dan Perini is handling the rock groups for Sunday afternoon. Mike Leasher is coordinating a crafts show which will be staged Saturday and Sunday. Sales and demonstrations will be featured. Members of the Head Shop are preparing to operate a first aid tent and are making arrangements for paramedics from the Hershey Medical Center to be available to deal with any serious health problems.

In preparing for the event up to this time, many major problems have been anticipated. With the cooperation of members of this campus, they can be avoided. We hope the event will be a successful one. If anyone wishes to contribute to any facet of the festival, there will be a meeting next week. Watch for signs.

DTK Material

DTK President Brent Lawson has announced Delta Tau Kappa members can secure pins, certificates and membership cards at the society's office, W-110G.

The material is available between 8 and 10:30 a.m. today and tomorrow.

VOTE!
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Here the two candidates for "Prez" pose for the Capitolist camera last week.

SGA Elections Slated for today

Today is SGA election day and officers and senators for next year will be elected. Also, the recipient of the James A. Jordan Memorial Award for excellence in teaching as well as referenda items will be on the ballots.

Voting takes place in the Gallery Lounge from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and the results will be announced over Radio Station WZAP a few hours later.

Here are the candidates for the Student Government positions:

PRESIDENT - William Matthews, currently a senator at-large; Robert "Fish" Monath.

VICE PRESIDENT - Micky Leasher, the social science senator is the only candidate.

TREASURER - Bob Chaapel, currently a justice on the Student Standards Board is the only candidate.

RECORDING SECRETARY - Patricia Nevin, who currently holds the post, having received such an appointment a few weeks ago, is the only candidate.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY - No candidate is on the ballot. Again, the person gathering the most write-in votes will be elected.

SENIOR BUSINESS SENATOR - Robert Brannan, the incumbent at the junior level of this post; Nick Spengler, currently a senator at-large.

SENIOR ELEMENTARY EDUCATION SENATOR - Evelyn Carter; Deborah Hasseman; Terry Smith; Peggy Vanderslice.

SENIOR ENGINEERING SENATOR - Barbara Long; Jim Taggart.

SENIOR HUMANITIES SENATOR - Harold Brown, the incumbent, is the sole candidate.

SENIOR MATH-SCIENCE SENATOR - Ron Conley, the incumbent, is the only candidate.

SENIOR SOCIAL SCIENCE SENATOR - Bob Hetzel, recently appointed to an at-large post; Stacey Weiss.

All members elected will serve a one year term, beginning in early June, 1973. Candidates for senator seats will be elected to the academic program under which they are enrolled. At-large seats go to those who do not win the program positions but

receive the next highest totals among the remaining candidates. There will be four such seats available.

When selecting senators for 1973-74, voters are able to cast two votes; first from the academic program of the individual voter and the second from that same program or any other program. Senior, as well as junior, are eligible to vote.

Co-ed 'Molested' while hitch-hiking

A female student, whose name was not released, was allegedly molested by an unidentified male on Friday, April 13 after having accepted a ride from the dormitories, according to Mr. James Paul, campus security chief.

The alleged criminal reportedly picked up the co-ed and drove her off campus and tried "to negotiate sexual relations," Paul said. The Co-ed was returned to campus following the encounter, and was left unhurt, except for the trauma she obviously underwent.

Paul said the case is still under investigation but there was not much in the way of evidence. The co-ed could describe her assailant only as being short, stocky, brown-haired and between 40 and 50 years of age.

PHEAA Scholarship news

1972-73 PHEAA Scholarship Holders are reminded that the deadline date for renewal applications is April 30, 1973 (Veterans are on another schedule).

1973 Summer Reimbursements are available to 1972-73 Scholarship Holders. Students attending summer school will be notified of the procedures for obtaining these reimbursements.

For those students who do not have a PHEAA Scholarship this year 1973-74 PHEAA Scholarship applications can be obtained from the Financial Aid Office (Placement Building.)

MEADE HEIGHTS BOARD AND SGA PROTEST HOUSING OF PARAMEDICS

By Bob Bonaker

The Meade Heights Board of Governors and the Student Government Association have registered a complaint with Mr. George Dressler, Administrative Officer, about the paramedics from Hershey Medical Center receiving housing in Meade Heights.

Representatives of the Board were to have met with Dressler yesterday to coerce him into housing the paramedics in either the dormitories or Capitol Campus Village, both of which have adequate space, a Board representative said.

The Heights board and the SGA said there were reasons for the complaint, but none included any ill feeling against the paramedics as individuals. The reasons cited were that the life styles of students in the Heights differs from the paramedics, many of whom are married, former servicemen who will have a heavy study load. Another reason was it would be unfair to move the paramedics into houses where three students currently reside. A "pleasant welcome" would be extremely unlikely, as many of the students have lived as families for the past two years. The Board and the SGA said the action by the campus administration makes "no provision for the feelings of either party involved."

The complaint has the unanimous support of the Board, the resident assistants

and the residence living coordinators. The SGA endorsed the "resolution" of the Board by 18 - 1 - 1 at the SGA meeting on Monday night.

The paramedics, who are slated to move into the Heights on April 29, where there are 13 reported vacancies, will begin a 13 week course at the Med Center on May 1. Dressler said he responded to a plea from the Med Center administration to house the paramedics as there was no three-month housing available in the Hershey area. Reportedly, the campus will be reimbursed for housing the paramedics.

Board members reiterated their "prime concern is the strain this puts on both students at Capitol and the people from Hershey." They said the dorm housing alternative would be more feasible as there are rooms that are empty.

Board members said they intended to hand Dressler a formal statement giving their position on the situation, believing "that this type of situation could develop as indicative of poor relations with the students and the administration. Practically all problems that have developed this year have been a result of a lack of responsiveness and communication. If we cannot now, at the year's end, reach some degree of understanding, little else that has been accomplished will be of much value."

Campaign Sign Rip-Off

Both of the candidates for SGA President, Bob Monath and Bill Matthews, have complained their campaign signs in the main building have been tampered with or confiscated.

On Monday Matthews said that every sign, except one, that he had posted had been removed over the Easter weekend. On Sunday, Monath related that his campaign material had also been mutilated.

Neither candidate formally accused the other as being the perpetrators, but each related they had an idea "who was doing it." Matthews and Monath have asked their respective followers not to conduct reprisals.

Campus Traffic crash net \$500 damage

On Sunday, April 15, 3 people escaped serious injury when their VW skidded out of control, according to Mr. James Paul, campus security chief.

The names of the operator and the two passengers, who were non-campus personnel, were not released by Paul.

The vehicle was traveling at a high rate of speed in the eastbound lane past the sweeping curve above the Meade Heights walkway near the dormitories. The operator of the VW lost control, swerved into the westbound lane and collided with the guardrail, leaving an estimated 185 feet of burned rubber.

The vehicle was towed away and damages were assessed at \$500. The driver was injured slightly but refused attention. Paul said.

Capitol Alumni

The Alumni Association of Capitol Campus will hold its spring reunion Saturday, April 28.

Dinner is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. in the dining hall and casino night at 8:00 p.m. at the Middletown American Legion.

For reservations, call the Public Information Office at Capitol Campus, 787-7737.

Book Sale

On Friday, June 8, before final exams begin, a dealer will be in the bookstore and will buy student's books, according to Mr. William Kistler, bookstore manager.

The dealer will buy the used books, usually at less than half the original value, from an exclusive booklist. The price will depend on the condition of the book.