

## Defeats Platts By Six Votes

# Eshbach Wins Election

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In what was described by pollster Todd Malpass as "one of the best voter turnouts the S.G.A. has had in a while," Cliff Eshbach was elected president of the Student Government, here Tuesday night.

Eshbach, a humanities major, defeated his opponent Robin Platts, also a humanities major by a narrow margin of six votes.

Ray Martin, a social science major, easily defeated his opponent Joseph Cloonan for the position of vice-president. Martin had 176 votes to Cloonan's 103.

Beth Kopas, treasurer, and Carol Uhlig, secretary, both went unchallenged in their bids for election. There

were a few write-in votes opposing both Kopas and Uhlig, but not nearly enough to represent a unified opposition.

In the race for senior business senator, Lenny Klonitsko won over Kitty Nestar 103 to 54. Richard Bulley received 18 write-in votes, the most any candidate attained in all of Tuesday's voting.

Vern Martin was elected senior engineering senator

when he defeated both John Sternick and George Rovnack, 65 to 58 to 33 for Rovnack.

Katie Fee will be the senior social science senator for the 1976-77 year, beating Charles Aleksy by a wide margin of 50 votes.

Elizabeth Weimer is the new senior social science senator, and Theresa Gallagher is the new senior elementary education senator. Weimer and Gallagher

were also unopposed.

One of Eshbach's first duties will be to appoint a senator for mathematical science. No one ran for that office, and there were no write-ins.

The term for the new S.G.A. officials began this Wednesday. They will remain in office until this time next year.

Aside from being pleased

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Cliff Eshbach, a humanities major, is the new SGA president. His term in office began this Wednesday.

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## Opinions Vary On Boycott Effectiveness

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Just how effective was the boycott of the winter term course evaluations? According to some student feedback from SGA senators, very effective. There was some differing opinions, however.

The March 29th SGA meeting was the forum for the boycott discussion. Opinions about its effectiveness ranged from "Great" to "A farce."

A recurring statement during the meeting was that the idea behind the boycott—to bring to the administration's attention student

dissatisfaction with the evaluations—was sound. Some disagreed with the boycott concept as a form of protest. They said they believed a meeting or letter to the administration would have been more effective.

The purpose of the boycott was to show the SGA's concern about the lack of student and faculty control over the evaluations, according to SGA President Scott Deardorff.

Some of the student feedback came in the form of suggestions to keep up the drive for an evaluation form with some student and faculty input. Another comment was that the boycott was ineffective and would result in no lasting changes.

One suggestion that attracted much support during the meeting was that the SGA should devise its own evaluation form and publish it.

Deardorff appointed a committee, chaired by Senator Ann Dunn, to review the evaluations and devise an alternate plan. The committee members are Senator Cliff Eshbach, SGA Secretary Carol Uhlig, Senior Senator Chet Gregoreski and Ray Martin.

## Spring Rise Time Again

With the advent of spring, comes the desire in many of us to shake off the cobwebs and commune with nature. If you like the outdoors and the opportunity to drink and boogie, then pay attention.

The Social Committee is sponsoring a Spring Rise on April 24. The event will take place in the ravine between Meade Heights and the dormitories. Beer and Tequila Sunrises will be available, and there will be music for your enjoyment. The Spring Rise will start at 1:00 p.m. and continue till everybody goes home. And best of all, it's free!

## End Of Spring Term

# Tischler To Resign As Program Head

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Students are going to see more of Dr. Nancy Tischler in the classroom next year.

In a note dated March 25 to Dean of Faculty George D. Wolf, Tischler submitted her resignation as head of the Humanities Program effective at the close of the spring term. She cited her desire to devote more time to teaching and writing.

Wolf said he accepted her resignation with "mixed emotions." Praising Tischler's performance as program head, he said, "Nancy has done a superb job in making the Humanities program responsive to the needs of students in these difficult times for higher education. She has put together a quality faculty and developed new talent in the process. She knows her faculty better than any other academic administrative head. It was my pleasure to nominate Nancy to the University Senate—to which she has been elected—so that her intellect and quality of leadership will be a continued asset to the University."

Tischler has been humanities program head here

## Bloodhound Will Visit Here Soon

On Thursday, April 29, the Central Pennsylvania Blood Mobile will be at the main entrance of the Main Building to draw blood from faculty, staff and students.

Everyone is urged to sign up for an appointment before April 22, outside Vendorville.

This project benefits the campus blood needs and is being sponsored by Chi Gamma Iota fraternity.

for the past seven years. Under her leadership the graduate program was developed and the undergraduate program was expanded to include options in Multi-Media, Secondary Education and Humanities-Business. Courses in art, music and theater have also been added to the curriculum.

Asked to comment on the program, Tischler cited the strength of the faculty and the impressive support of the students. "The program," she said, "has never been as strong as it is now."

Asked what she considered the program's major strength, Tischler cited its flexibility—its adaptation to individual needs. She noted that each faculty member is qualified to teach in at least two areas—a condition necessary to maintain that flexibility.

Asked about plans for improvement, Tischler cited the acquisition of additional media facilities to enhance the technological scope of that program.

No replacement for Tischler has been named yet, according to Wolf.

## Free!!! Medical Screen

Jean Kresge and Bonnie Petrosino, nurses in Capitol's Health Services, have arranged for the Pennsylvania State Health Center to provide the faculty, staff and student body with a free cardiac screening.

The screening will include blood pressure, height and weight check, urinalysis, blood test for diabetes and an electrocardiogram.

A nurse will be available to discuss the results of each test immediately after the screening. The results will also be sent to your family physician.

The screening will take place on Thursday, May 13 from 12 noon to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. It is extremely important to sign up for an appointment as soon as possible in the nurse's office, W-102. Please give your family physician's name and address at that time.

Everyone participating is reminded to not eat or drink anything for 1½ hours prior to the screening.



Dr. Nancy Tischler

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