

# February is Black History Month

By Lyda Baker

The Black Student Union is sponsoring several activities in celebration of Black History Month. Today at 12:15 there will be the film "Shirly Chisom," and a discussion of "Where Black Women are Going in the Future," in the Gallery Lounge.

"Rainbow Makers," an all black band that plays jazz, soul and disco music, will provide the entertainment for a Valentine's Day Dance. The dance will be held on Tues., Feb. 12, in the Student Center, from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. There will be a \$1.50 charge per person and a \$2.00 charge per couple.

A black accomplishment program will be held on Mon., Feb. 25, in the Black Cultural

Arts Center from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Members of BSU, faculty, staff, and the community will recreate black history. There will be portrayals of well-known black individuals, such as Barbara Jordan and Martin Luther King; a retrospective of black music from Hambone to Stevie Wonder; poetry readings and dance.

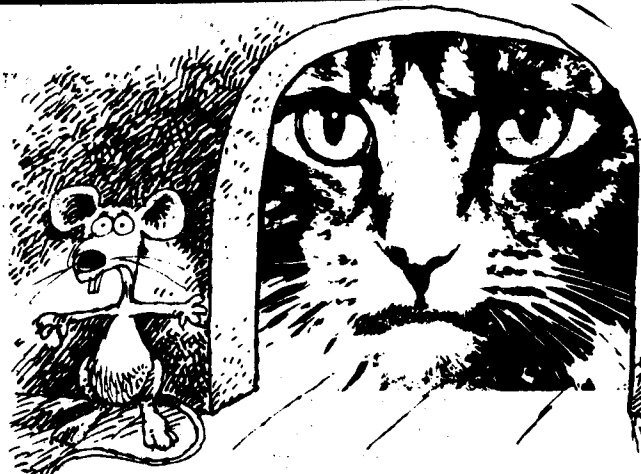
Following the program will be a reception in honor of the members of the University's Board of Trustees.

Scheduled for the reception is the unveiling of a wall mural. Toni Trusdale, an award-winning artist of the Harrisburg area, will create a drawing that BSU members (and any interested people) will paint.

**BSU is sponsoring a Valentine's Day Dance Feb. 12 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the Student Center Cost is \$1.50 per person, \$2.00 per couple**



photo by Carol Eveschild  
Sonia Sanchez prepares for the lecture she presented in the Gallery Lounge January 31 as part of the Provost Lecture Series.



### SAE Car Bash

The society of Automotive Engineers held its annual "car bash" on Jan. 29 on the parking lot behind the main building.

For 25 cents a hit (5 hits for a buck) students were allowed to swing an eight-pound sledgehammer to take out their frustrations on a slightly-used bright red Ford Mustang.

James Nesbitt, president of SAE, said that the event is staged to allow engineering students an outlet for their frustrations, and to "try to give people something to do."

When asked what the receipts from the event will be used for, Nesbitt said: "They will go to pay for the car and for towing it away."



Photo by Mike Kender

