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The potential associate degree graduates are being sought by companies from practically all sectors of the country, many from the "glamor" companies dealing in aero-space and electronics. At one campus, with 73 potential graduates, 60 different companies have scheduled interviews.

The flood of recruiters has prompted directors of the Campuses to issue statements to area employers to make their move now in applying for interviewing time.

"Being a state university, we would like to see many of our associate degree graduates stay in their local areas or at least in the State," says Kenneth L. Holderman, director of the Commonwealth Campus system.

A survey conducted by the University among its Commonwealth Campuses reveals that the average starting salary for two-year graduates last June was \$447.14 per month. More than 60 graduates received starting salaries above \$500 and a few exceeded \$600 per month. A similar survey a few years ago showed that only 18 per cent started with \$400 per month or better salary.

The majority of the students in the associate degree programs at the Commonwealth Campuses are enrolled in programs in the field of engineering. These include drafting and design technology, electrical and electronics technology, manufacturing technology, chemical technology, and surveying technology. There are also two-year programs in business, retailing, forest technology, agricultural business, and hotel and food service.

The U. S. Department of Labor estimates that 200,000 such science and engineering technicians will be needed each year for the rest of this decade.

Penn State's branch campuses are at Abington, Allentown, Altoona, DuBois, Erie, Harrisburg, Hazleton, McKeesport, Monaca, Mont Alto, New Kensington, Pottsville, Reading, Scranton, Sharon, Uniontown, Wilkes-Barre, and York.

SPORTS

Behrend's high-riding Cubs won two more games this weekend. Friday night the Cubs bombed Jamestown 104 - 77. The victory was especially sweet because of the fact that Jamestown beat Behrend on our home floor. Coach Sweeting credited this win to an all around team effort, especially on defense. Ron Hornyak was outstanding on defense, limiting Jamestown's leading scorer to 13 points. Big Joe Williams came through with another great game as he hit for 39 points, the 3rd highest game in Behrend's history. Two weeks ago Joe scored 40 points against McKeesport for the second highest game. Williams also grabbed 32 rebounds, another Behrend record. Barney Etzel continued his steady play scoring 21. Tom Taylor added 13. The Coach emphasized that the entire team played a great game.

Saturday, the Cubs traveled to Warren and returned with a 79 - 54 win. Behrend had a slow start and led by only 4 at halftime. Dan Casane, Ron Hornyak, and Barney Etzel started hitting from outside and quickly put Behrend out in front. Randy Lachowski controlled the boards and ended with 22 rebounds. Lackowski is the Cubs' leading rebound man.

Twelve players, the entire bench, saw action in both games and Coach Sweeting pointed out the importance of our bench. He stated that our bench has spelled the difference in probably half of our wins. Tom Taylor, Dan Chase, and Frank Ramsey have been particularly good in relief.

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