

THE MEANING OF CHRISTMAS

From the day after Thanksgiving to the night before the big day the main topic of people's conversation switches from the weather to Christmas or possibly a combination of both.

Almost everybody gets caught up in the annual spiral which marks the celebration of the birth of Christ. While spinning up this spiral people at times lose the true meaning of the word Christmas as it is cast aside in place of more immediate surface problems.

Everybody has their own personal interpretation of the true meaning of the Yuletide Season. It is a time for giving from the heart to loved ones, a renewal of faith in God and of the human race, and personally the most important, a time for love.

This year as you wind up the spiral of activities, stop and review your own true meaning of Christmas. With this thought the staff of the Nittany Cub wishes you a sincere Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

COFFEE CLATCHES ANNOUNCED

The executive committee of the faculty has announced that Coffee Clatch will be held on a regular basis beginning the first week of the Winter term in the J. Elmer Reed Union Building. (Elmer's Place) These clatches were initiated last year by Mr. Kochel. The coffee clatch offers an informal opportunity for students, faculty and administration to partake in various subjects of interest. Ideas on course offerings, grades, career possibilities, etc. are all potential topics of discussion. The committee feels that the project was a success last year, that it is worth reinstating. They had to wait until the RUB was completed, however, because they felt it was necessary to hold it in some environment other than the classroom. So the possibilities are good, however, student and faculty support are needed if the project is to get off the ground.

CAFETERIA PROBLEM

It was a barn then a cafeteria now it appears to be a pig pen. The problem is that fewer and fewer people are taking their trays and dishes back to the window provided. The result is that the cafeteria workers have to clean the tables, and the messes left by the students. It has been rumored that if this problem does not clean

up the price of the food in the cafeteria will be raised to offset the cost of the women cleaning the tables. With the coming of a new year why not make a resolution to clean up after yourself, in the long run we are the people who lose.

BOOSTER CLUB TREE SALE

PLAN TO BUY YOUR FAMILY'S CHRISTMAS TREE FROM THE BOOSTER CLUB.

THEY WILL BE ON SALE IN THE ERIE HALL PARKING LOT DURING THE WEEK OF FINALS AND WILL BE SOLD DURING THE FOLLOWING WEEKS AT NIGHT, AND WEEK-ENDS.

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