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## STAG Party Favorite Visitation Discussed Sponsored By Sub Before Advisory Board

Patrick L. Paulsen, narrowly defeated candidate for the Presidency of the United States in the 1968 elections, unchallenged favorite of the Straight Talking American Government (STAG) Party, famed lecturer, philosopher, and humorist, dynamic TV personality, and first rate nut will be appearing before Behrend audiences on February 4 at the Warner Theatre. His lecture, entitled, **Pat Paulsen Looks at the 70's**, includes such interesting and relevant garbage as the role of the student radical in

sexual geopolitics, the theological proof of the exact location of heaven (with oceanographic maps and charts), the sexual revolution and the role of the stork in the 70's, and naturalism, conservation, and brilliant ecological hindsight. Mr. Paulsen's theories, developed under a 1969 Ford Foundation Grant and a continuing grant from the California State Department of Unemployment Insurance, have been described by learned men and morose alike as being "stimulating," "provocative," and "pretty decent."

Appearing with Pat is the rock group **Alive'N Kickin'**, who achieved success with their hit single "Tighter, Tighter." Born in the streets of New York City, the group believes music to be a constructive way of blasting themselves out of middle class life and into a new generation. **Alive'N Kickin'** explodes on stage in an attempt to live up to their name.

Sit in on Professor Paulsen's lecture on the destiny of the 70's and experience the beat of **Alive'N Kickin'** on February 4, 8:00 p.m. at the Warner Theatre. Tickets are on sale now at the RUB desk for \$1.50, \$2.00, and \$2.50 for activity card holders and \$3.00, \$3.50, and \$4.00 for all others.

At the first two SGA meetings of the winter term, a main topic was the dorm visitation policy, but this by no means was the only area of discussion. At the January 6 meeting, the decision was made to accept applications from qualified students to fill the three vacancies that exist within the SGA. Also, Colleen Healy was appointed to fill the vacant secretarial position. Dean Lane spoke of the possibility of a program on human sexuality to be held here, which would involve both formal speakers and "buzz sessions" including students and faculty. Next, the Union Board announced that it will present Pat Paulsen and "Alive and Kicking."

The January 13 SGA meeting was highlighted by the presence of the Advisory Board, which was invited to hear discussion on the visitation policy. "Old Business" included both the possibility of having copies of "The Daily Collegian" on campus and of being able next year to use Behrend meal tickets at other PSU campuses.

The new parking regulations for the Reed Lot were explained by "Deacon" as necessary for snow



Left to right: B.J. Walker, Fredrick F. Jones, Allyn S. Wright, Jim Crawford, Dr. Richard Eisenberg, and R.C. Reed.

removal, and a committee of three dorm and three commuting students was called to analyze the situation. Dave Carr announced that there would be a conference at Beaver, January 16 and 17, attended by 13 campuses including Behrend, the purpose being to discuss the continuation of OSGA. The Political Activity Committee

stated that a draft counseling course would be held on campus Sunday, January 24 from noon to 5:00 p.m. So far, 20 students have registered.

Other topics included faculty evaluation, the Flying Club Charter, associate degree graduation at Behrend, and SGA office hours.

## Could You Dig A Summer Job?

As almost everyone knows, the squeeze will be on for jobs next summer. For those with the proper background, it is quite possible that you may qualify for a summer job in a Federal Agency.

The jobs are divided into four groups of varying types of work. Group I has the largest number of available positions that range from postal work to specialized positions requiring educational background. Applicants must take the 1½ hour Summer Employment Examination. However, science majors with 2 years of college and a 3.0 average, or students in a non-major with a 3.5 average are not required to take the test.

Group II covers a small number of jobs with the Forest Service, National Park Service, and the State Department among others.

Group III requires a bachelor's degree and includes such varied positions as Foreign Agricultural Service, Environmental Health Service, Social and Rehabilitation Service along with many others.

Group IV is composed principally of trade and labor jobs, and does not require any examination.

It is greatly stressed that anyone interested should apply as soon as possible. The latest possible application date for

competing in the written examination is February 3, while the test will be administered once each month from January to March 1971. The deadline for filing applications in Groups III and IV is April 15, 1971, unless individual agencies specify otherwise.

Anyone interested should see the office of Student Affairs as soon as possible.

Sometime during Winter Term, a meeting will be held to advise students in finding summer employment, either with a Federal agency, or locally.

## Transfers Clarified

There has been a great deal of misunderstanding regarding the recent flier circulated by the Food and Housing people regarding transfer to University Park Campus for the Summer and Fall Term 1971. Behrend Campus Policy on this will be the same as it has been in the past. No such requests will be accepted earlier than the term before the one in which the student expects to transfer with the single exception of Fall Term Transfer Requests which are processed during the Spring Term. These requests should be completed by the student and returned to Mr. Goetz in Academic Affairs within the first ten (10) calendar days of the term.

## Winter Weekend Flurries

A flurry of activities for Winter Weekend was launched on Friday night when Behrend's basketball team smashed DuBois on the home court. If the game wasn't excitingly close, the Banana Eating Contest, which followed, was. The contest, a first at Behrend, was sponsored by the Business Club. Howard Leslie won the \$10 prize by downing 12 bananas in 3 minutes. The Boot Hill Gang from Mercyhurst and Mike Morey were featured at the Coffee House in the R.U.B. dining hall following the Contest.

Because of a lack of flurries, Saturday's snow sculpture contest was cancelled and toboggan races were rescheduled. More successful was Saturday night's semi-formal dance. Nearly 40 couples, many for first time, tried such things as a waltz, a polka, and a tarantella as well as the usual dances. The Car-Mels of Erie provided the music.

**Othello**, which was based on the Shakesperian play, was run on Sunday evening. This movie, which starred Laurence Olivier and Maggie Smith, was the final activity of Winter Weekend.

## Draft Course. . .

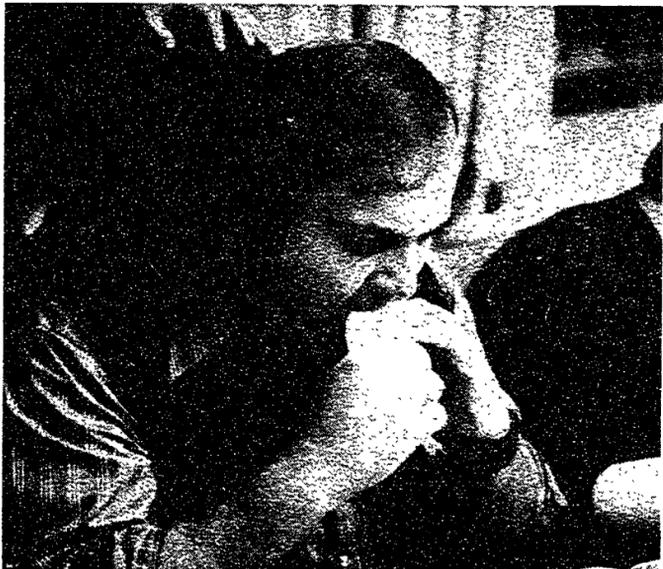
Do you understand the draft law? What do you do if the draft board turns you down? How do you appeal your classification? These and many other questions will be answered in a free draft counseling course here at Behrend. The first meeting is to be held this Sunday (January 24) at the Seminar room from 12-5 p.m.

The first meeting will be a brief introduction to draft counseling and what is entailed. If there is enough interest at the first meeting, then additional courses will be sponsored. Tim Muzzio, co-worker at the Erie Draft Law Center, says, "The purpose of the course is to educate attendants to counsel in an impartial and objective manner in respect to the Selective Service System and Enlistment Procedures."

Mr. Pat Mertens, Director of the Erie Draft Law Information Center, will be teaching the session. Mertens is a former Peace Corps worker and was engaged in draft counseling while a graduate student at the State University at Binghamton. He says the draft laws are becoming increasingly complex and draft counseling explains the various choices a man has when he is of draft age. Also, it explores the possibilities that are open to you upon entering the armed forces. Some of the topics that will be discussed are enlistment procedures, conscientious objectors, hardship deferments, and a general understanding of the draft law.

So far, some 20 people have registered for the course. The course is open to students, faculty, and administration. Another note, the course is not open only to men. . . so far 3 women have signed up. If you'd

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Howard Leslie, Behrend Banana-Eating Champ, gulps one of the twelve bananas he ate in three minutes, as just part of the Winter Weekend action.