## French Club Seeks New **Members**

by Robin Longaker

"Parlez-vous francais?" Even if you don't speak French, you can still join the French club. Everyone is welcome to participate in the activities for this year, some of which include watching French films and eating in French restaurants.

Still not convinced? The club moderator, Elizabeth Crocco, as well as the club president, Diana Miceri, are planning a trip to Paris, France. It will take place sometime in January of 1992. An exact date has not been set.

Imagine starting off the day by touring the Eiffel Tower, the Louvre, and Notre Dame. Next, who could resist shopping in the fashion capital of the world? Finally, after a long day of sightseeing and shopping, you could stroll down the Champs-Elysees and take in the Paris nightlife. A trip to the city of romance is a definite cure for burntout college students!

If any of this appeals to you, now is the time to become involved in the French Club. Meetings are held every other Tuesday in Room 217, Main Building. Anyone interested in French culture is encouraged to attend. The next meeting is Tuesday, October 1st, at 12:00 p.m.

## **Adult Student Organizations** — **Prospects and Reviews**

### by Joan Impagliozzo and Karen Lyons

The Adult Student Organization is planning an evening lecture series, two per semester. Our first two are tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, October 8 and Wednesday, October 9. The plans are to have one guest each evening, each speaking on a topic near and dear to our hearts, money management.

A light supper will be provided. The program will begin at 7:00, and we hope evening instructors of adult students will consider bringing their classes to the program as a midway break in class.

Watch the ASO Bulletin Board in Main and also the announcement wall in LLC for further details.

The first Welcome Back Dinner for adult students at the Media Inn on Tuesday, August 20, was a great success, and we hope it becomes an annual event. Our thanks to all the faculty and staff who attended and continually support ASO.

Our second annual Adult Student Orientation was held on Sunday, August 25. Feedback continues to indicate that this is a greatly appreciated event, allowing new and veteran students to meet each other, as well as, faculty and staff.

We have more events in the works for later in the year. Our next Sandwich Club luncheon will be on Friday, October11, in the big Conference room in the Commons building, at 12:30 p.m.

All of our announcements this year will be printed on hot pink paper, so they won't be hard to miss!

We hope to see more adult students at our future gatherings. It's a great way to exchange ideas and share anxieties! Good luck in The Eiffel Tower - one of France's the coming year.



most popular landmarks. Photo by: ROBIN LONGAKER

# **Delco** Rings in New Phones

State Delco will be shut down at 4:00 PM Wednesday, October 2, to install new Definity G1-System 75 telephones throughout the campus. The telephones will remain inoperable that day until all the new phones are installed.

The new telephone system will allow administration, faculty, and staff to receive calls individually and take messages through "electronic mail." That will eliminate the need for a switchboard since each office

### **ROTC Scholarship** Helps You to 'Be All That You Can Be'

#### **By Peggie Cahall**

The ROTC program here at Penn State Delco offers a scholarship program from the United States Army.

After joining ROTC, if a student likes the program and has maintained a 2.5 cum. GPA, he/she can apply for a scholarship with a reasonable chance for selection, especially for science, engineering and nursing majors. Army ROTC has 2- and 3-year scholarships that pay for tuition, books (\$225), and fees (\$350) and provides \$100 per month tax free in subsistence pay during the school year. The student's obligation is active duty or reserve service. ROTC at Delco isn't only fun and educational, it also holds many rewards for an individual. Leadership is very important in society, and ROTC offers many leadership qualities. Come over and see Captain Mavracick or MSG Wilder if you are interested in the Each class is an program. unforgettable experience.

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Although expensive, the new equipment features digital telephone sets which cannot function if they are unplugged and used elsewhere. The operations are controlled by software, not by the piece of equipment itself. Therefore, the new telephones will not work in regular analog jacks.

Training for the new telephone equipment is being scheduled for all users on the three days prior to the switch-over. In addition, a "Help Desk" will be set up in the Commons Building on October 3 to help

The telephone system at Penn telephone will have a separate answer questions and resolve problems.

> It is expected that the new system will be more efficient than the system now in use and will save money in the long run.



### By Peggie Cahall

For those of us who do not know who our Student Government president is, here is your chance to get to know him. Chris "Bird" Cowan, SGA president, is a very well rounded person and is a good



model for our student body.

Chris has many goals for our campus. His first priority is to instill unity among the many different clubs and organizations. He wants ALL students to be aware that student government is about and for the students.

Chris is very happy about the involvement of the students in events this year; his only concern is that the participation is on-going. There are many programs sponsored by SGA, as well as the clubs, which are free and available to every student and faculty member. "We can learn from each other and the many programs and we can not exist without the students", Chris emphasized.

Captain Mavracick or MSG Wilder will answer any questions, and are always happy to see new faces. The ROTC building is now over near the Tennis Courts.



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It is no secret that racism is on our campus. Student government is very concerned about this. "Student government will not tolerate racism," he said. Chris is positive that our campus will overcome this problem as a group.

Information about Student Government is always available. Chris's office is in the Lion's Den. If you have any questions, he'll be glad to answer them. Chris holds many goals for this year. "My immediate focus is to get clubs off to a good start and then go from there."

Chris generates a lot of energy. enthusiasm, and optimism. He encourages everyone to stop by the Lion's Den. Chris focused on the freshmen in a very energetic way. "I'm real happy with this year's freshmen participation and eagerness to get involved. If any one hasn't stopped in the Lion's Den, stop in and see us."