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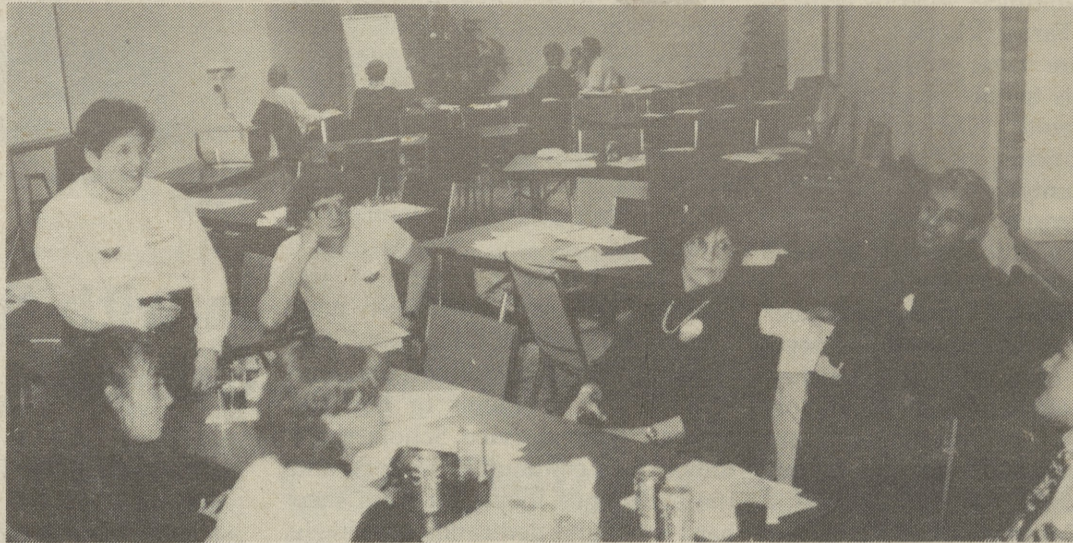
B S L Schedules Black History Month Events

By Malcolm Little

"Each one teach one" was the premise upon which Black History Month was founded. Established by Carter G. Woodson originally as National Negro History Week, it was thought of as a celebration of African-American contributions to American society. Therefore, African-Americans take pride in this month, as they are recognized for their contributions in the arts and sciences.

Penn State has taken a great deal of interest in diversity. Therefore, the Delco Black Student League has been allotted funding for several on and off campus activities. They are as follows:

- (1) Two seminars from Christina's Cultural Center: "Racism, Classism, and Sexism" and "African-Americans in Cinema"
- (2) Dr. V.G. Harvell, Professor of African-American Studies at PSU Ogontz, is offering a seminar on "African-Americans in higher education"
- (3) Trip to African American History Museum
- (4). African-American History contest (Prizes to be announced).



Participants in off campus retreat discuss ideas for improving the campus climate clockwise from front center: Jen Kerr, Judy Chrupeala, Debbi Erie, Jim Diskin, Dr. Mary Gergen, Nestor Volazquez and Kathy DiMarco (see story on page 2).

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Exciting Plans Set for Spring Semester

By Jobin Pathappillil

As things are settling down and the semester starts rolling, Delco Penn Staters often wonder what lies ahead. Here's a quick look at the fun things that are about to happen in spring.

The month of February brings the all important "Dating Game" on Valentine's Day at common hour. Pending on participation, a minimum of two games will be played. One game with four males and a female asking the questions and the other game vice-versa. One prize package

will include a dinner at Ruby Tuesday's and free movie passes. Roses and carnations will be sold in honor of Valentine's Day. Sign-ups are at the SGA office.

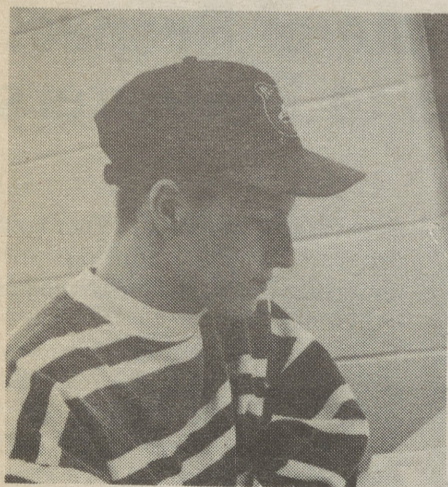
February is also the venue for the "Get To Know Us" program which brings the community and the campus together. This program brings the students and their parents to the campus in an informal setting. The Four Diamond Volleyball Marathon for Children will take place on February 15 in the Gym. The \$5.00 registration runs February 1 through

February 15. Teams, consisting of six to seven people, can be sponsored. The winning team will have their names engraved on a plaque which will be displayed on campus.

The SGA is feverishly trying to organize a Spring Break trip to Daytona Beach and more information will be available shortly.

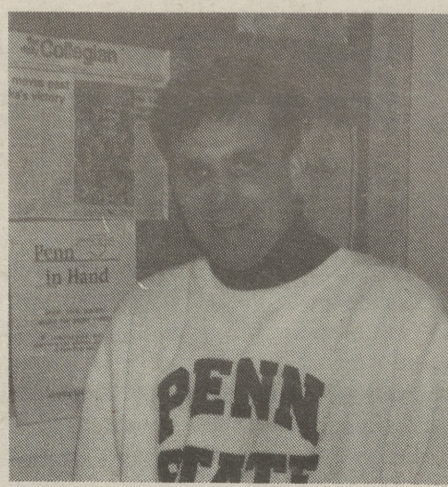
March is the place for jello wrestling. Participants are covered in jello while they wrestle each other. March 22nd is the date for this event. It is expected to be the one of the biggest events of the semester.

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President Mike Hyde

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Treasurer Kenneth Napaver

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Vice-President A.J. Russo

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Secretary Pauline Ferzetti

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SGA Announces New Officers

By Wes Tomlinson

And the winners of the Student Government Association elections for Fall '95 are...

President: Mike Hyde (current SGA Treasurer); Vice President: A.J. Russo (current SGA Secretary); Secretary: Pauline Ferzetti (current President, Photography Club); and Treasurer: Ken Napaver.

Elections were held January 30. Candidates gave speeches during the SGA meeting that day. Also running for office were Mike Moxley (President), Tom Flynn (Vice President), and Jason Shaw (Treasurer).

SGA President Rita Verano explained, "The elections were held early this year to enable next year's officers to become better acquainted with whom they will be working and to become more aware of the topics and tasks they'll have to take on. Otherwise, they would need next semester for adjustment time. The early election allows them to be ready to go." Rita added, "Thank you to the people who participated in the elections. I look forward to working with the future officers and wish them

the best of luck."

Incoming SGA President Mike Hyde explained, "We plan to follow up the outstanding programs that the SGA presented this year, duplicating them, and if possible, improving upon them and to keep promoting school spirit. I'm looking forward to the chance to work with A.J., Pauline, and Ken for the next year and a half. I want to thank all of the people who came out and voted."

Newly elected Secretary Pauline Ferzetti said, "We are striving for stronger campus relations next year by uniting more campus activities."

A.J. Russo, winner of the Vice president race, said, "I would like to thank everyone for giving me the opportunity to serve as vice-president of the Delco SGA. We hope to put two good years back to back."

The new treasurer Ken Napaver, said, "We have a good team for next year."

Although the new SGA officers will not take office until May, they will be working closely with this year's SGA officers in order to learn more about their respective offices and to be able to better establish a smoother transition.