

Junior Prom, Charlie Barnet Open House Party Weekend

Spotlighting Charlie Barnet and his 21 musicians, the Junior Prom will open House Party weekend festivities at 9 p.m. Friday.

Tickets, costing \$4 including tax, will be sold at the Athletic Association window in Old Main, from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m., Friday. Barnet, who has played at the College for several dances in the past will salute the class of '49 in recreation hall against a background of fall and football decorations. Because of limited floor space, fraternity booths will not be installed, said Adam Poser, chairman.

Hollywood Bid

Tall, good looking Barnet might easily be mistaken for a Hollywood star. Actually, during a six-month stay in the film colony, his band appeared in several productions, the latest being "Music in Manhattan." Directors wanted to groom Barnet for a cowboy role in Universal's "Fifty Million Nickels," but he preferred pouring cowboy technique into his saxophone.

Barnet began taking sax lessons when he was 14. His teacher hoped to prepare him for concert work, but the juvenile reedman was dissatisfied. He wanted to travel. In later years his exploits included two dozen cruises to Europe as a band leader.

In 1934, Barnet toured the country to find musicians for his reorganized band. None of his present men have ever appeared with other "name" orchestras.

New Student Handbook Supply Exhausted

This year's copies of Student Handbook, orientation booklet for new students, are no longer available, said Richard H. Sarge, editor. All 1947-1948 copies have been distributed to sophomore and transfer students, he said. However, copies of last year's 1946-1947 edition may be picked up at the PSCA office, 304 Old Main.

Sarge said that Student Handbook keys for staff members have been received. Staff members are: Sarge, editor-in-chief; Ben I. French and J. Arthur Stoiber, associate editors; Jack Strickland, advertising manager; and Fred Hazlewood, business manager.

Plane Wreckage Wins Lawn Cup

Beta Theta Pi was awarded the Alumni Association trophy for the best lawn display for Homecoming Weekend in judging Friday afternoon and evening, with Pennsylvania Week the motif of the contest.

The winning exhibit depicted an airplane crashed in a field of corn ready for harvest, and had the legend, "Couldn't get here fast enough for Pennsylvania Week."

Phi Delta Theta was awarded second prize for its keystone showing Penn State as the "Heart of a Great State," and Pi Kappa Alpha placed third with an animated figure of the Nittany Lion squeezing an orange over a map of the state.

The judging committee was composed of Dr. Viktor Lowenzfeld, of the art education staff, chairman, John Roy, professor of fine arts, and Milton S. Osborne, professor of architecture.

The displays were judged for their workmanship, originality, eye appeal, ingenuity, and presentation of theme. Prof. Osborne said.

ASME Student Branch Holds Meeting, Party

The student branch of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers will hold its first meeting of the fall semester in 110 Electrical Engineering at 7 o'clock tonight, Raymond Bland, president, announced today.

All engineering students are invited to attend, and a special invitation is extended to new sophomores who are interested in the plans and activities of the ASME.

Plans for the coming season will be discussed after short introductory talks by Harry P. Hammond, dean of the School of Engineering, and other professors of various engineering departments.

Following the meeting a cider and doughnut party will be held in the Mechanical Engineering laboratory.

Luncheon Club Names Candidates

Six men and four women have been nominated for positions on the Steering Committee of the Faculty Luncheon Club. Elections will be held on Monday noon.

Nominees are: A. W. Clyde, professor of agricultural engineering; Dr. Walter Coutu, associate professor of sociology; Dr. S. Lewis Land, professor of industrial education and director of vocational teacher education; Dr. Kenneth V. Manning, assistant professor of physics; Henry T. Moon, of the agricultural extension staff; and Milton S. Osborne, head of the department of architecture.

Others are Dr. Teresa Cohen, professor of mathematics; Rose M. Cologne, specialist in community adult education; Amy G. Gardner, associate professor of home economics and art education; and Vera L. Moyer, cataloguer in the College Library.

Engineer Council Elects Officers

Sophomore representatives elected to the Engineering student council are: George Besenbaris, mechanical engineering; Alfred Gibson, industrial engineering; Donald Langer, agricultural engineering; Stanley Reisman, electrical engineering; John Wozer, aeronautical engineering; and Richard Young, civil engineering.

Council members will meet in 7 Main Engineering at 7:15 o'clock tonight, announced Alexander Petrowski, president.

Photo Editor Requests La Vie Activity Cards

Sixth semester students and seniors graduating in June who have not yet filled out a La Vie activity card must do so today or tomorrow, in the La Vie office, 412 Old Main, Marjorie Mousley, photo editor, announced today.

Senior photo appointment cards are still being mailed, and all senior pictures will be completed by May 10, Miss Mousley said.

Sorority pictures have been postponed by the Penn State Photo Shop until sororities have completed rushing.

Student campus organization group photographs will continue as scheduled. It is again requested that men wear coats and ties and women dark jackets for the group photos.

Sigma Delta Chi Initiates Members

Sigma Delta Chi, men's national journalism honorary, initiated six undergraduate and three professional men at the Nittany Lion Inn, 4:30 p.m. Sunday. Initiation ceremonies were followed by a dinner at which chapter president, Joseph F. Rudick, was toastmaster.

Undergraduate men initiated were John Crouse, Arnold Gerton, James Neiman, Ralph Pearson, Arthur Ward and Malcolm White. Also initiated Sunday were Rayol Daniel Jr., Managing Editor, Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph; John Holtzinger, General Manager, Altoona Mirror; and Joseph Zerby III, publisher, Pottsville Republican.

Ag Student Council Suspends Breeze

Ag Hill Breeze, Agriculture Student Council publication, has been suspended for the semester, announced Herman Auker, business manager, at the meeting of the Ag Student Council on October 15.

According to Auker, the Breeze was forced to cease activities because of lack of funds, occasioned by a budget cut.

F. Rudolph Bramnaka, president of the Council, stated that Dr. Lyman E. Jackson, dean of the School of Agriculture, had appointed Paul H. Margolf, professor of poultry husbandry, as temporary advisor to the Council.

Also discussed was the proposed change in the date of the Harvest Ball from December 6 to November 15, which was voted down.

A committee on reappointment of representatives from the departments of the School of Agriculture to the Ag Student Council was appointed. Robert Crist was named chairman.

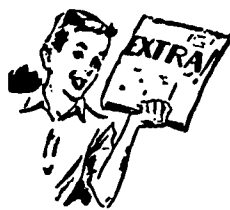
Dr. Carlson to Address Chem Society at Smoker

Dr. Carl S. Carlson, an alumnus of the College employed at present by the Esso Laboratories, will address members and guests of Phi Lambda Upsilon, honorary chemical society, at their first fall smoker in the Alpha Chi Sigma fraternity at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

The subject of his talk will be "Industrial Experiences with New Graduates."

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