

RILW to Emphasize 3 Areas of Concern

Students will hear much about Religion-in-Life Week during the next few days, but how many really know what RILW is?

Religion-in-Life Week is devoted to acquainting Penn State students with the importance of a religious orientation in life. The theme of the week, which begins Sunday, is "The Student and the University, the Church, and the World Struggle."

Engagements

Hirsch-Shrader

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Shrader of Drexel Hill announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Jo, to William Hirsch, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hirsch of Drexel Hill.

Miss Shrader is employed by the Fire Association Insurance Co. of Philadelphia.

Mr. Hirsch is an eighth semester commerce major and a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon.

The wedding is planned for June 20.

Lemyre-Macks

Mrs. Helen Macks of Baldwin, N.Y., announces the engagement of her daughter, Barbara, to Mr. Richard Lemyre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lemyre of Merrick, N.Y.

Mr. Lemyre is president of the junior class and a member of the Penn State wrestling team. He holds the Eastern intercollegiate and Pan-American wrestling championships. He is a sixth semester metallurgy major and a member of Sigma Chi.

Barons Seek Aid For Reorganization

The Barons, an organization for social activities in the Nittany-Pollock area, will seek aid from the Nittany and Pollock councils in an effort to reorganize, acting Baron President Joe Gardecki announced Wednesday.

After a meeting at which only three members put in an appearance, Gardecki decided to seek new members from within the Nittany and Pollock councils. Two weeks later a meeting will be held to decide the fate of the Barons. If the results of the future meeting do not show a favorable interest in the Barons organization, the group will more than likely be disbanded, he said.

In the case of a possible dissolution of the Barons, any planned social activities for the Nittany-Pollock area would have to come from the Nittany and Pollock councils themselves. In the meantime, Gardecki said that exchange dinners would have to be arranged by the individual dorms without the Barons' help.

Panhel to Meet

Panhellenic Council will meet at 11 a.m. tomorrow in McElwain Hall study lounge. Ellen Wandel, Panhel president, said the special meeting will be brief.

WRA Dance Continues Tradition

Tomorrow night the Women's Recreation Association will celebrate the 15th anniversary of the Sweetheart Dance, which is to be held from 9 p.m. to midnight in White Hall.

Even since White Hall was constructed, in 1938, WRA has annually sponsored the dance. Each year, as it will be tomorrow night, the dance has been a girl-ask-boy event. A Valentine theme has always prevailed over the only semi-formal dance which is held in White Hall.

Before 1945, the proceeds of the dance were given for a scholarship, but since then four war children have been aided by the money from ticket sales. Price of the tickets, which are on sale at the Student Union desk in Old Main for \$1.50 per couple, has increased only 40 cents since 1943.

This year Marie Aftanas, a 13-year-old Polish refugee, will be aided by the proceeds of the dance. Josianne Macquet, a 10-year-old French child, was the first to benefit by the money sent to her from WRA. In the following years, the organization adopted Ireta Paszual, another 13-year-old Polish orphan, and Theodora Anna Baurman, a 10-year-old Dutch child.

The theme is taken from three areas of concern to students which provided material for study booklets used at the United Student Christian Council study conference Dec. 27 to Jan. 3 in Baltimore. Copies of the booklets may be seen in the Penn State Christian Association office, 304 Old Main.

Formerly Sponsored by IRC Religion-in-Life Week was initiated on campus by PSCA under the name of Religious Emphasis Week. In 1947 the University Christian Mission came on campus and changed the title of the week to Religion-in-Life Week.

Until this year, the week was sponsored by the Inter-Religious Council, consisting of local Protestant ministers, Catholic priests, and the Jewish rabbi, and was planned by a general committee composed of the council and representative of campus organizations, school councils, and faculty.

Program Planned in October This year, however, the week is sponsored jointly by the Inter-Religious Council, PSCA, and All-College Cabinet. As before, the program has been planned by a general committee composed of members of the sponsoring groups and representatives from other campus organizations and councils.

A program outline was begun in October, and although it has been approved by the committee, it will remain open to change and addition during the week.

The outline embraces a program of fireside discussions, local church meetings and services, public lectures, and classroom discussions.

Luncheon Club Appoints 5 to Steering Group

The Faculty Luncheon Club has appointed five faculty members to the club's steering committee for the spring semester.

They are Dr. Helen Adolf, associate professor of German; Morwin W. Humphrey, professor of forestry; Dr. Charles M. Long, professor and head of the Department of Education; Dr. George M. Lott, psychiatrist; and Dr. Mary L. Willard, professor of chemistry.

'Who's in the News'

Students whose names are listed in the 1952-53 edition of "Who's in the News at Penn State" may pick up two copies of the publication at the Student Union desk in Old Main. Fraternity and sorority presidents may have one copy each.

Religion—

Groups Plan Parties On Valentine Theme

Three religion groups will use the Valentine theme at their meetings tonight. The Westminster Foundation is holding a reception for the Rev. John S. Duley, new director of the foundation, at 7 tonight. The party and decorations will carry out the theme of the day.

Young Friends have planned a Valentine square dance at 7:30 tonight in the Friends' meeting house, 318 S. Atherton street.

The other Valentine celebration, to be held at 7:30 tonight, will be a Vice-Versa Valentine Party at the Wesley Foundation, 256 E. College avenue. The party will include a square dance, mixers, games, and refreshments.

A former African missionary, George Rhoad, from the Gospel Furthering Mission in Strafford, will speak at the Inter Varsity Christian Fellowship meeting at 7:30 tonight in 405 Old Main.

The Rev. Luther H. Harshbarger, College chaplain, will be guest speaker at the Hillel Foundation for Sabbath Eve services tonight. The services, at which members of Phi Epsilon Pi fraternity will be hosts, will begin at 8 p.m. at 224 S. Miles street. Services are open to the public.

The Lutheran Student Association will hold a square dance at 7:30 tonight in the Lutheran Student Center, 418 W. College avenue. William Miller will do the calling.

Co-Edits

Zeta Beta Tau

Zeta Beta Tau will hold a Valentine Dance for the new pledges tomorrow with Dick Marsh and his band. The affair will be open after 10:30 p.m.

Chi Omega

Joyce Johnson and Shirley Musgrave were recently affiliated with the Nu Gamma chapter of Chi Omega. They were members of Omicron Gamma at Westminster College.

Modern Paintings Now on Display

Fifteen paintings by young American modernists will be exhibited until Feb. 27 in the lounges of McElwain Hall.

The exhibit is sponsored by the division of fine and applied arts of the Department of Architecture.

The paintings, which represent abstract, semi-abstract, and representational forms, are circulated by the Bemant Galleries of New York City and will be shown in the Rochester Museum after the College exhibit ends.

AGR to Give Ag Award

Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity has announced a \$200 scholarship to be awarded annually to a high school senior who is a member of the Future Farmers of America and plans to attend an accredited agricultural college.

Reading Festival Details To Be Listed Monday

Students wishing to try out for the Eastern Poetry Reading Festival, to be held at Middletown College, N.Y., or the Pennsylvania Interpretative Reading Festival, to be held at the College in May, will meet at 6:30 p.m. Monday in 305 Sparks.

Details will be explained concerning both festivals and the tryouts, and students will sign up for audition times.

Tryouts will be held on the afternoon of Feb. 24, at which time students will read for three to five minutes selections from prose, poetry, or drama.

Five To Enter Finals Ten students will be selected from the preliminary tryouts to read in the final tryouts to be held March 2 in 304 Old Main.

Five students will be selected from the final tryouts. One will represent the College at the Eastern Poetry Reading Festival. Penn State is the only Pennsylvania college to be represented. Colleges attending will be Dartmouth, Columbia, Hunter, Vassar, and Mount Holyoke, among others.

Various Readings The other four will represent the College in the fifth annual Pennsylvania Interpretative Reading Festival. Eighty colleges have been invited to attend the two-day festival. Each college may send four delegates.

Mortar Board Names Denniston Secretary

Mortar Board recently elected Barbara Denniston secretary to replace Joanne Williams, who was graduated in January.

At Tuesday's meeting, Mortar Board members received blue hats with gold insignias. Mrs. Milton S. Eisenhower, adviser to the group, spoke on behind-the-scenes inauguration details.

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