

Student Political Groups Imitate National Parties

Running for Student Government Association offices usually involves membership in one of the two campus political parties.

In both the Campus and University parties, only members may be nominated for offices. Students may become members of either party by attending one meeting and registering.

Many Activities, Sports Offered By Outing Club

Are you interested in hunting, fishing, skiing, skating or hiking? These are just a few of the activities offered by the Outing Club.

The club has five divisions, according to different activities: cabin and trails, ski, rock climbing, ice skating, and field and stream.

The cabins and trail division helps maintain the trails around Beaver Dam and Whipple's Dam. It sponsors monthly overnight hikes, other hikes, and a field day.

The ski division is in charge of a 22 foot rope tow and a trail system on Bald Mountain near Boalsburg. It takes out-of-state ski trips during Christmas vacation and semester break.

The rock climbing division climbs mountain cliffs all over the county and in other nearby areas.

The ice skating division holds skating parties at the new University rink and at Whipple's and Beaver Dam.

The field and stream division has hunting and fishing expeditions. There are excellent game lands in the area for this use.

Pattee Library Hours Announced for Semester

During orientation week, today to Sept. 18, the Fred Lewis Pattee Library will be closed Sundays but will open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday.

Starting Sept. 19 the library will be open from 7:50 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Friday.

On weekends the library will be open from 7:50 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and from 2 p.m. to 10 p.m. on Sunday.

During vacations the library hours will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday. The library will not open on Sunday.

Henry Opperman and Michael Hazel are co-chairmen of the University Party, which has 20 Assembly seats. Walt Darran is majority leader. The party has an executive committee which also includes chairmen of various phases of party work, such as publicity, candidates and campaign.

Campus Party currently has 19 seats in the Assembly, making it the minority party. John Brandt serves as chairman of the party clique. James Kridel is minority leader.

The parties hold meetings for SGA nominations prior to the fall and spring campaigns. Nominations may be made from the floor by non-members. Members then vote to reduce the number of candidates to the maximum allowed by the elections committee.

Anyone desiring to run for SGA Assembly or a class office independent of a party must file a petition containing signatures of 100 undergraduates at the time final party nominations are also due.

Those students who want to run for an SGA office must file a petition signed by 200 undergraduates. These candidates must also meet University requirements for SGA positions.

The University has traditionally had a two-party system modeled on national politics. The SGA representative system enables more students to participate in student government.

The parties have been known by different names through the years, including Lion, State, Nittonian, Key, Nittany, Independent, Campus and University. Agitation for a third party has appeared spasmodically.

SGA elections will be held next month. Interviews for positions on the committee will be held soon.

WELCOME FROSH

TIM-Leonides Will Sponsor 'Las Vegas Night' on Oct. 15

"Legalized gambling" will become a reality in the Hetzel Union ballroom at Las Vegas Night, co-sponsored by the Town Independent Men and Leonides, Oct. 15.

Roulette wheels, dice tables and poker games will flourish with TIM-employed croupiers paying off winners with authentic Las Vegas souvenirs.

Las Vegas Night climaxes Indie Week, which begins Oct. 9. Events scheduled during this time are Indie Encampment Oct. 9, an Indie hike, firesides in various residence halls throughout the week, a talent show and selection of Indie Queen, Oct. 14 and Las Vegas Night, Oct. 15.

Indie Week is a project of all independent organizations. TIM participates as part of its program of expanded social activities with the election committee to Philip Haines, president.

Other TIM activities include dances, TIM party houses, a bus to Whipple's and intramural athletic competition. TIM also maintains a bluebook file and sponsors films from the "20th Century" television series.

The party houses at present number only two, Penn Haven

and Sigma Tau Mu. TIM hopes to have more approved by the dean of men's office soon, Haines said.

Tentative dates for other TIM activities have also been announced. The Autumn Leaves Dance will be held Nov. 5, the weekend of the home football game with the University of Maryland; TIM-Leonides Bluebook Bounce, a jam session, Feb. 18; Shamrock Swing, March 18; the TIM Council banquet, May 6 and a Mother's Day Dance, May 13.

Membership of TIM is filled by the 4000 men who reside off the University limits and are not fraternity members.

TIM's governing body is its council, which is composed of 26 members-at-large, 4 officers and a non-voting parliamentarian.

Candidates for TIM Council may be nominated by presenting a petition signed by 20 town independent men. Previous members desiring to run for council may have their name placed on the ballot automatically and be designated as incumbents.

All candidates must have a 2.0 All-University average. To run for a first term, a student must also have at least two semesters remaining at the University.

Vacancies on the council are filled by screening men who

have applied for positions. TIM representatives to the Association of Independent Men's Board of Governors are those men receiving the highest number of votes during the council election. Elections will be held in several weeks.

TIM officers are elected in the spring. Current officers are Philip Haines, president; Fred Phanco, vice president; Richard Ashe, secretary; and Frank Burkett, treasurer. Frank Jankosky serves as parliamentarian.

TIM's long range plans include intramural facilities separate from the University, a TIM recreation and social center, more approved party houses, investigation of possibilities of deducting school expenses from income tax and continued striving for overnight parking in downtown areas for town independent men, Haines added.

Broderick Joins Faculty

Dr. Carlfred B. Broderick has been appointed associate professor of family relationships in the department of child development and family relationships, effective Sept. 1.

Broderick replaces Dr. William Smith, Jr., who is now State 4-H Club Leader.

Greetings to all Freshmen:

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