

# Smooth switch:

## Program to help transfers take the big step to University Park

By VICKIE BROWN  
Collegian Staff Writer

A new program designed to help transfer students make an easy transition to University Park will go into effect this fall, the coordinator of the Transfer Liaison Corps said.

Linda Landry said the program is different from the freshman and transfer orientation programs of previous years.

"We're not referring to it as an orientation program because orientation has a negative connotation in students' minds," she said.

Some students thought the orientation programs in the past were dry and they told their friends not to attend, she said.

"We changed the name (from orientation to the Transfer Liaison Corps) to get a fresh start," she said.

Landry said the program came about because of the failure of past orientation programs to meet the needs of transfer students.

"The emphasis of (the orientation program) is on freshmen, and the transfers felt lumped in," she said. The new program will focus on the unique needs of transfer students, she added.

Bill Farnsworth, assistant director of developmental programs, said ideas for a new transfer program have been circulating for the past few years but have been put into operation only recently.

"The traditional orientation leaders are trained to work with freshmen and they don't

really address the needs of transfers," Farnsworth said. A separate group of leaders is needed to concentrate on transfers, he said.

Landry said she and a committee of five students put together activities for the program and trained about 60 students to work with transfers. About half of those students are former transfers, she said.

Transfer students' orientation needs differ from those of freshmen in many ways, Landry said. These students do not have to get used to the experience of going to college and many of them know what it is like to live away from home, she said. Also transfer students are older than most freshmen, she said.

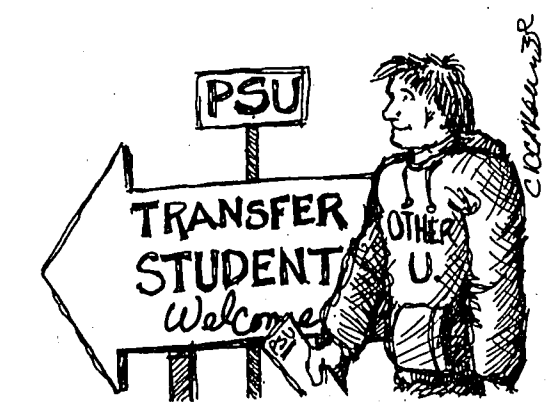
Landry said the program will offer 30 to 40 activities throughout Fall Semester. The activities fall under six categories, each designed to meet a particular need.

Activities in the academic and intellectual category are designed to help students get to know their professors and advisers.

"Finding your adviser at this campus is a whole different story than finding him at one of the Commonwealth Campuses," Landry said. For this reason two nights have been scheduled for students to meet informally with faculty members, she said.

Interpersonal relations activities will give students a chance to socialize with other students, Landry said. Activities in this category include a dance and an afternoon of outdoor games.

Activities also have been scheduled in the



categories of career and lifestyles, sexuality and values, and health, Landry said.

Landry said she hopes expanding the program will increase attendance. Corps will send out newsletters to transfers during the summer to inform them about the program, she said.

As a special incentive, students who participate in the most events will have a chance to win prizes, she said.

Farnsworth said he expects about 90 percent of the projected 4,000 to 5,000 transfer students to participate in the program. He said he had a lot of positive feedback about the program so far.

Landry said she is also pleased with the feedback she has received.

"The administration at University Park has encouraged and supported us," she said.

# Professionals say liberal arts is the path to take

By PAULA DU PONT  
Collegian Staff Writer

A liberal arts education introduces students to literature, arts and philosophy and helps them enjoy life, a University alumnus at the Liberal Arts Career Day said yesterday.

"Liberal arts education makes us better able to communicate," Herald Fahring, a New York lawyer said during the opening forum.

Fahring, along with Daria Wilson, a college recruiter for American Telephone and Telegraph of Philadelphia, and Paul Adams, president of First American Bank of Maryland, spoke of the importance of critical thinking and communication skills that a liberal arts education offers as an advantage in the job market.

"Sales is an excellent opportunity for any liberal arts graduate," Wilson said.

She said the ability to communicate is essential and liberal arts students should sharpen those skills. Wilson addressed herself to women briefly and said sales is one of the few careers that provides equal compensation for women.

Adams, a 1967 University graduate in economics, warned students that they are going to change in the next few years and they should take a

variety of classes to establish a well-rounded background.

A liberal arts education is good for a variety of careers including business management, he said. Adams said he was biased about a liberal arts education for many reasons, including the fact that he had a limited banking background before his position with First American Bank of Maryland.

Fahring said students are obsessed with competitiveness and are looking for the right path. Students should not get an education just to make money, he said.

Other faculty members and alumni were present in the HUB Ballroom immediately following the speeches for students to discuss career and academic major possibilities individually in the areas of: advertising, business, communications, data processing, education, government and public service, careers with foreign language/international careers, health professions, law, public relations, sales and marketing, and social services.

"When you have a liberal arts degree, your degree provides you with the freedom to create your own future and to try a variety of career options," Patricia Ward, a professor of French at the University said.

# Fraternity to volley for cancer society

By BETH KAY  
Collegian Staff Writer

Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity, in conjunction with Delta Gamma sorority and W.R. Hickey Beer Distributor Inc., is sponsoring a volleyball tournament Sunday, the publicity chairman for the event said.

Dave Gutekunst said the fraternity sponsors a keg roll nationally, but this year it decided to set up its own philanthropy, benefiting the American Cancer Society.

"We wanted some recognition on campus," he said.

Participants may sign up in any one of the four divisions: Greek male, independent male, co-ed, or female, Gutekunst said. A \$24 entrance fee will be charged to each team, which may include at least six people but no more than eight.

Delta Gamma will coach the fraternity teams and the fraternity will coach the sorority teams, Chairwoman Sharon Back said. Coaching includes psyching the teams before the event and cheering for them during the games, she said.

"Once it gets talked up, people will know about it," Back said.

going really smoothly."

In addition money raised from the entry fees for 50 teams, raffle tickets will be sold for 50 cents each and three for a \$1 until the drawing at the awards ceremony following the event.

Gutekunst said 13 prizes will be awarded. Prizes will include a class ring from Moyer Jewelers, 100 E. College Ave.; a dinner for two at Dante's Ristorante, 114 S. Garner St., and a three-month membership at the State College Racquet Club & Fitness Center, 1445 W. College Ave.

"We will make most of our money with the raffle," Gutekunst said.

The fraternity is aiming at a \$1,000 goal, he said.

"(The fraternity) will make money because they're doing a good job keeping costs down," Back said.

Also, Bookends and Bad Humor will play at noon on the lawn at the fraternity house, Gutekunst said.

"If the weather is nice, it should go over pretty well; a lot of people are really psyched for an afternoon of fun in the sun, he said."

# Despite problems, marathon to go on

By CARYN RUGGIERI  
Collegian Staff Writer

The Delta Chi Marathon, in conjunction with Alpha Chi Omega sorority, will go on as scheduled for this weekend, the event chairman said recently.

Steve Boyer said the preparation for the 10th annual philanthropy has not gone as smoothly as in past years.

"So many things we haven't anticipated have interrupted the flow," Boyer said.

Although this year's marathon was originally anticipated to raise \$7,500, a more realistic goal has been set at \$5,000, Boyer said.

A little more than \$5,000 was raised last year, he said.

Boyer named many reasons for the marathon's slow start but the major one is that "IPC (Interfraternity Council) is not helping."

Originally, the marathon was scheduled for the weekend of April 6-8. Also, Greek Week was supposed to end that weekend and the Phi Psi 500 was initially scheduled for that weekend, he said.

Boyer said he was approached by Jon Kaplan, former IPC administrative vice president, and asked to switch weekends with the Phi Psi. Kaplan told Boyer that the town merchants were against closing off the streets for the Phi Psi 500 on the traditionally good business week of Palm Sunday, Boyer said.

Boyer said he was assured by Kaplan before signing an agreement that Greek Week would go on as scheduled for the week of April 1. Boyer was not told about the change in the date for Greek Week, but read it in The Daily Collegian, he said.

"I'm very bitter about the whole thing," he said.

The IPC officers have changed since the agreement was signed last winter and the current ones know little about the conditions of it, Mury Billig, IPC president, said.

"I wasn't directly involved in the transactions so I don't fully know the story," Billig said. He also said Adam Levinson, former IPC president, was unsure of the details of the agreement when he spoke with him on the subject. "I'm not trying to give you the run-around; I just am not sure," Billig said.

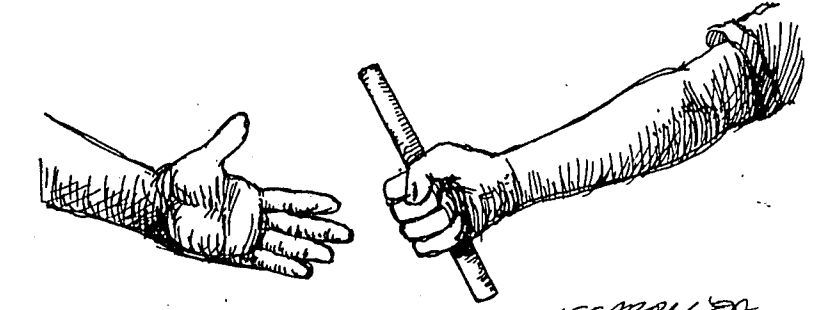
"The IPC as a whole has been very good to us — except for Jon Kaplan," Boyer said.

Kaplan said Delta Chi was never assured of a date for Greek Week.

"Greek Week had not even been officially scheduled yet," Kaplan said.

In addition to making it difficult to find willing participants for the marathon, having Greek Week at the same time also presented the problem of finding a sorority to co-host the marathon, Boyer said.

"Now we have the double responsibility of doing Greek Week and the



marathon with the (Alpha Chi Omega sorority), and we have gone all out for Greek Week," Boyer said.

Boyer listed additional factors that caused problems in the preparation of the marathon:

- The Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity volleyball game was moved to this weekend;
- Although Delta Chi expected a table in the HUB for marathon registration, "(Tau Kappa Epsilon) got the last table;"

- The banners for the event, which were stored in Old Main from year to year, were missing when Boyer went to claim them, which forced him to do a rushed recreation of them in time for the event;
- Also, the window scene done by the brothers of the fraternity cracked Tuesday.

"You know, I go to bed every night wondering what will go wrong next," Boyer said.

But the philanthropy to benefit handicapped students of the University will "keep going," Boyer assured.

"We are extending the deadline for registration until we get 50 teams, even if it's right up until 5 p.m. Friday."

The 48-hour marathon is divided into 55-minute time slots. Each four-member team will randomly draw a time slot, Boyer said.

The course takes runners up the mall to circle in front of Old Main and returns to College Avenue on the side of the Human Development Building. As usual, the four divisions will be: fraternity, sorority, independent men and independent women, Boyer said.

**Skin of Our Teeth**

By Thornton Wilder

a wild & wacky testament to & for all mankind.

A multi-media event that promises to be the theatrical celebration of the year and the best ticket buy around.

April 13, 14, 17-21, 24-28 — 8:00 p.m. — The Playhouse  
Call 865-1884 TODAY!

Professionally produced & performed by the University Resident Theatre Company.

GET ACQUAINTED with

# TAKE SIX

FASTEST, Most Convenient (6 steps from Curbside), Bottle Shop in Town!

Compare our Prices! Don't pay more

**SPECIALS**

Budweiser 16oz.-9 Pack.....	\$5.60 (144 oz.)
Rolling Rock 16oz.-6 Pack.....	\$3.15
Pabst.....	\$1.25
Stroh's 12oz.-12 Pack.....	\$6.05
Genesee 12oz.-12 Pack.....	\$5.90
Piels 16 oz.-6 Pack.....	\$3.00
Straub (St. Mary's).....	\$3.85

**QUARTS**

Coit 45.....	\$1.30
Schlitz Malt.....	\$1.35
Pabst.....	\$1.25
Bud.....	\$1.30
Miller.....	\$1.45
Strohs.....	\$1.20
Genesee Cream Ale.....	\$1.20

**IMPORTS**

Heineken.....	\$5.25
Becks.....	\$6.20
Fosters.....	\$2.00
Molson Gold.....	\$4.75
Elephant.....	\$6.60

We also serve the original "Sabrett" NYC Hot Dog with our own made chili. Located next door to Mr. C's 110 W. College Ave. Open Sundays 1:00-1:50 am Mon-Sat 11:00-1:50

Nothing Beats

# RUCCO'S

PIZZA SPECIAL

**\$4.00 LARGE**

237-2466  
434 E. COLLEGE AVE.

238-2466  
222 W. HAMILTON

FREE DELIVERIES START AT 11 A.M. GOOD THROUGH APRIL 16th

Your Lucky Day Kelly's Means Business!

FRIDAY THE 13th

LUCKY BUYS

All Day Tomorrow 10 to 9

# 13% off

Entire Stock Shoes-Sneakers

kelly's SHOE PUB

Master Charge Visa American Express

Hours: 9:30-9:30 Daily 9:30-9 Thurs., Fri.

238-6625

SPECIAL OFFER

# Save \$600 on the Epson Executive Tool Kit.

7 powerful business tools—now specially enhanced to take maximum advantage of Epson's state-of-the-art simplicity.

- Now, for a limited time, buy the Epson® QX-10 personal computer and save \$600 on the Executive Tool Kit, a choice collection of electronic management tools.
- Each Tool Kit program is enhanced to work with Epson's uniquely simple keyboard with the push-one-button commands.
- Save \$600 on: WordStar, dBase II, Friday!, Microplan, Graphplan, SpellStar, and MailMerge. OR: A Titan MS-DOS board.
- PLUS: Epson's exclusive Valdocs integrated business software.
- PLUS: 256K RAM, 2 double density disk drives, and a high resolution monitor, all for \$2,995

SPECIAL BONUS! Act NOW and get a free modem worth \$179!

DESIGNWARE INC. 222 W. College Ave.

EPSON STATE OF THE ART...SIMPLICITY

OFFICE OF THE UNIVERSITY REGISTRAR

St. Paul's United Methodist Church  
250 East College Avenue

Sunday Worship — 9:15 & 10:45 a.m.  
Students/Young Adults Fellowship — 10:30 a.m.

Palm Sunday, April 15, "Turning Palms Into Thorns"  
The Rev. John W. Stamm

Weekend Specials at

# TACO ED'S

Our Famous Tiro Special

Buy 2 Tacos, Burritos, Enchiladas, Tostadas

GET 1 FREE offer good Friday & Sat. April 13 & 14

College Centre I  
226 W. College Ave.  
(across from Hammond Bldg.)

REDISCOVER The Allen Room & Corner Lounge

Candle Light Dining, continental Menu and nightly entertainment in a warm and friendly atmosphere

SAVE \$200!

Order your Easter flowers early! Only \$1.00 service charge on Easter FTD orders placed by April 14th. Order early and save!

Woodring's  
145 S. Allen St. 238-0566

DON'T FORGET!!

TO MEET WITH YOUR ADVISOR AND COMPLETE A REGISTRATION SCAN FORM IF YOU PLAN TO ENROLL AT UNIVERSITY PARK FOR FALL SEMESTER 1984 THE DEADLINE FOR FILING YOUR FORM IS MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1984. FAILURE TO SUBMIT A FORM TO THE REGISTRAR WILL RESULT IN YOUR BEING REQUIRED TO REGISTER LATE (AFTER FALL CLASSES BEGIN) AND BEING SUBJECT TO THE \$10 LATE FEE.

OFFICE OF THE UNIVERSITY REGISTRAR

# My Hero

Delicatessen & Catering

Sandwiches, Salads & Soups

Free Delivery 238-4370

315 S. Allen St. State College

FREE Chili w/any whole HERO

Free Can of Soda w/any whole Hero

FREE Deli Salad w/any whole HERO

"Dance your pants off at the Saloon!"

Tonight featuring... Mark Dreibelbis with Get Fried Happy Hours from 4-6

Saturday night... The Witchdoctor playing real dance music

Saturday night drink feature... Fire and Ice

Sunday night... Phantom V.J. and Music Videos

101 Heister Street • 234-0845

THIS SUMMER TAKE THE HEAT OFF FALL!

PREPARE FOR:

MCAT-DAT-LSAT-GMAT-GRE  
GRE PSYCH-GRE BIO-PCAT  
OCAT-VAT-MAT-SAT-TOEFL  
MSKP-NMB I, II, III-FMGEMS-FLEX  
NDB I, II-NPB I-NCELEX-RN

444 E. College Ave. State College, PA 238-1423

SPRING IS HERE and House of Kashmir is ready!

A huge SALE on comfortable spring clothing

- Blouses
- Skirts
- Dresses
- Tops
- Leotards
- Swimwear

And an AWESOME selection of SHORTS! And a variety of Chinese Shoes. And Much More!

HOUSE OF KASHMIR (Boutique Fashions) 130 Calder Way

# AIM HIGH

Attention Engineering Students:

The Air Force now offers a program that pays you over a thousand dollars a month thru your last twelve months at Penn State. If you're within three terms of graduating with a Bachelor or Master's Degree and you majored in electrical, nuclear, architectural or aerospace engineering you may qualify for the Air Force College Senior Engineering Program. For more information call Jim Dobson at 237-7741 or drop by at 301 S. Allen St., Suite 104.

THE AIR FORCE A great way of life.