

Behrend Briefs

Tutors Needed: The Penn State-Behrend/Diehl Elementary School Volunteer Tutoring Program begins Sept. 10, 1991. Applications are available from the Office of Student Activities, First Floor Reed. Deadline to apply is Sept. 6, 1991.

Adopt-A-Class Program: Student clubs and organizations with service commitments may wish to apply for the Penn State-Behrend/Diehl Elementary School Adopt-A-Class Program for 1991-92. Applications are available from the Office of Student Activities, First Floor Reed. Deadline to apply is Sept. 6, 1991.

Computer Training Session: The Computer Center is offering training sessions during the first few weeks of the Fall semester. Sessions will be given on MAINFRAME ELECTRONIC MAIL and DOS. Reservations are required and may be made by calling or stopping by the Computer Center. For more information call 898-6415.

BRUNO'S This Week: Your favorite videos with Tony Catalino - Friday. Rock all night with Tom Moyak - Saturday. BRUNO'S is open 8 till midnight and sponsored by the Student Programming Council. Next Week: Mark Eddie - Friday; The comedy of Stevie Ray Fromstein - Saturday. See you there.

Free Tutoring Available: The Behrend Learning Assistance Center opens on Sept. 3, 1991. The assistance of faculty and student tutors is available everyday in English, writing, study skills (including test preparation), math, chemistry, business/accounting, and physics. Students need only schedule an appointment by phone at 899-6014 or drop in the Center located in the South Cottage. Hours are daily as posted. For additional information, please contact Robert Patterson in 205 Turnbull.

Behrend Library CD-ROM Workshops: The following workshops have been scheduled:
Periodical Abstracts - Sept. 10 - 10 till 10:20 a.m.;
ABI Inform - Sept. 10 - 2 till 2:20 p.m.;
ERIC Ondisc - Sept 11 - 10 till 10:20 a.m.;
Economics Literature - Sept. 12 - 10 till 10:20 a.m.;
Government Publications - Sept. 12 - 2 till 2:20 p.m.
Workshops meet at CD - ROM Stations. For more information, call 898-6106.

Fall 1991 Leadership Conference: The Office of Student Activities and The Student Organization Council has scheduled this semester's Leadership Conference for Saturday, Sept. 14, 1991. Free T-shirts and meals will be provided for all participants. The conference begins at 10 a.m. Several different leadership tracks are available. Register in the Office of Student Activities or in the Student Organization Council Office by Sept. 9, 1991.

Wanna Brief? If your organization has information you would like to see run in the Behrend Briefs, write it down and bring it to The Collegian office

Welcome Back! The staff of *The Collegian* would like to welcome all students, faculty, and staff back for another academic year here at Behrend. Please feel free to stop in at our office anytime to let us know if there is anything we can do for you or just to say "HI." Best wishes for a successful year.

Commu 001 students: Remember to attend *The Collegian's* weekly meeting on Thursday at 6:10 p.m. in Turnbull 203. Anyone interested in becoming part of *The Collegian* is welcome to attend.

No vacancies

Dorms overbooked with students



Taking a break: Scott Defoggi, a fifth semester Business Management major, watches television in the second floor Niagara television lounge, which he now calls home due to overcrowding problems. Defoggi shares the lounge with four other students.

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they're not coming, so we plan for that by "booking" extra students," said Bowen. "Sometimes it takes a week or two to get people settled, but this is the first time that something like this has happened."

Currently, there are three students living in the Perry Hall television lounge and five in the Niagara television lounge. At one point, there were 38 extra students staying in various dormitory rooms -- three students for a room designed for two.

"The housing contract lets us temporarily triple up like

this," said Bowen. "It's an unfortunate situation, but it's one of the pitfalls of 'overbooking' students, which allowed us to fill our rooms and gave more students a chance to have on-campus housing." Bowen said the practice has been discontinued in favor of a waiting list system.

As for room fees, the housing contract all on-campus students had to sign notes that students "will receive a rate adjustment if the assignment continues beyond the second week of class. The adjustment will be made when the student is moved out of temporary space or after the twelfth week

of the semester."

What that means, according to Bowen, is that students staying two weeks or longer in a temporary room will receive an adjustment to their room charges. "If they wind up staying there beyond 12 weeks," Bowen added, "they'll receive an adjustment for the semester. The adjustment depends on the length of their stay in temporary housing."

As for when the students in Perry and Niagara can move into regular rooms, Bowen couldn't say. "It depends on when rooms open up. There isn't a definite time frame."

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