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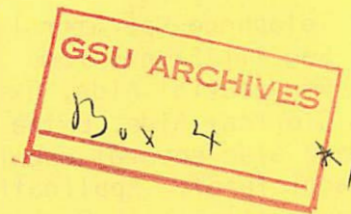
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Faculty and Staff Newsletter
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April is the cruelest month, breeding
Lilacs out of the dead land, mixing
Memory and desire, stirring
Dull roots with spring rain.

- T. S. Eliot -



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GSU JAZZ A WINNER...GSU jazz musicians won 5 of 13 awards presented in the recent Notre Dame Collegiate Jazz Festival. The 5 awards were won by: Earl Freeman, Soloist/Saxophone and Outstanding Instrumentalist; Mayrn Parker, Outstanding Vocalist; Vandy Harris, Best Composer/Arranger; and the GSU ensemble for Outstanding Performance for Big Band. Two hundred fifty jazz musicians competed in the festival representing thirteen universities. The GSU jazz group will be featured at Brazil's "Illinois Week" in Sao Paulo in May. Funds are now being accepted to help the jazz group make the trip to Brazil. For more information about funds necessary, contact Warrick Carter, ext. 2447.

STUDENT SERVICES...will administer a questionnaire during registration to determine the roles of Student Services as perceived by the student body. The completion of this questionnaire is part of the registration process. The data will be collected just prior to the class card station.

PLOT AHEAD - DIG NOW...Garden plots 30' x 30' are now available to the GSU Community at \$3 per plot. To reserve your "place in the sun" send \$3 to Leon Fennoy, A1120, ext. 2494 by April 16. After this date any remaining plots will be made available to the general public. DIG?

RE-VISION OF RE-PLACEMENT OF PLACEMENT...FAZE I extends its apologies to the Placement Office, erroneously reported (to FAZE I who passed on the error) as moved to Student Services. The office is indeed newly located near records, but as a separate unit.

APPOINTED...Richard Newman has been appointed Acting Director of Admissions and Records effective April 1. Dick was formerly head of Public Services in LRC and Coordinator of Computing Activities in President's Office.

CONGRATULATIONS TO...Kenneth Silber (HLD) newly elected President of the division for instructional development of the Association for Educational Communications and Technology. The division for instructional development is concerned with the design, production, and evaluation of systems of instruction using all types of media. With 1,000 members, it is the largest division of the AECT. Ken is also chairperson of the association's definition and terminology committee currently writing a glossary of terminology in the field of educational technology that will include an introductory statement defining the field written by Dr. Silber, and a list of standard terms and definitions used by the field.

CANCELLED...The BOG meeting scheduled to be held on Thursday, April 15, in Springfield has been cancelled. The next regular meeting is now scheduled for May 20, in Springfield.

ATTENTION: COLLECTIVE BARGAINERS...The official Referendum Voter Eligibility List for the collective bargaining referendum scheduled on May 5 and 6 is available for inspection in the Office of V.P., Admin. Individuals may request & receive copies of the list by paying 80¢ to the cashier and presenting a receipt.

GSU CLASSIFIED...Vacant Civil Service Job Classifications as of April 6, 1976:

4/22	Closed Circuit TV Tech	ICC
3/5	Police Officer I	DPS
3/16	Sec III Trans, Part Time	EAS
3/17	Personnel Assistant II	PER
3/31	Library Clerk II	LRC
4/2	Telephone Operator I	BPO
4/2	Sec III Steno, Temp	SAC
4/3	Secretarial Aide, Extra Help	HLD
4/5	Clerical Aide, Extra Help	A&R

There are also several openings for Work Program Participant. Applications and information are available in Personnel/Testing, ext. 2310, 2320.

QA ON CS...Q. What happens to me if my position is reclassified or reallocated?

A. You are eligible for continued employment in your position if you meet the minimum qualifications for the new class and successfully pass the CS exam for that class. You must then serve a probationary period (6 months) in the new classification.

"IMPACT" EXPANDED...The Implementation of Materials and Procedures Affecting College Teaching programs established 2 years ago by the Exxon Foundation to aid colleges and universities implement new educational techniques has now been expanded. IMPACT offers 6 innovations designed to supplement the original plan, including two being offered for the first time this year. As funds allow, Exxon will share costs of implementation with institutions adopting one of the innovations. The six innovations added to the program are:

1. TIPS (The Teaching Information Processing System) - a diagnostic tool to individualize instruction in the large class.
 2. Guided Design - a new teaching method combining principles of programmed instruction with open-ended problem-solving.
 3. Student-to-Student Counseling - a systematic approach to training students as academic counselors.
 4. Exper-sim - a system for teaching research design through computer simulation.
 5. CVIS - a computerized aid to placement and career counseling.
 6. Dartmouth intensive language model - a dynamic approach to teaching foreign language.
- Grants for each of these innovations are available under the IMPACT program. For more info, contact Bill Dodd (UR), ext. 2122.

APRIL CANCELLATION...Workshops scheduled for April 7, 8, and 23 by the Area Service Workshop Center have been cancelled.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR...for the South Cook County World Affairs Conference to be held April 23 & 24 at the Holiday Inn in Harvey, Ill., cosponsored with other area colleges and organizations by GSU.

"Economic Recovery: Fact or Fable?" is the theme of the third annual SCCWA conference. Keynote speakers will be Thomas A. Murphy, General Motors Corp. chairman and Pat Greathouse, International Vice-Pres., United Automobile Workers Union. Registration fees are \$5 (or \$2 each session) for students and senior citizens and \$10 (\$4 each session) for others excluding meals and lodging. Fri. evening banquet is \$6.50, Sat. noon banquet \$3.50. For more info, contact Lowell Culver, ext. 2253.

SALUTED...April 11-17 has been designated as National Medical Laboratory Week; a time to honor more than 150,000 medical laboratory personnel whose scientific findings help doctors provide quality health care. GSU cooperates with area hospitals, Ingalls Memorial of Harvey and St. James of Chicago Heights in providing a training program in the medical laboratory sciences. A baccalaureate degree in medical technology is offered thru EAS.

HLD CAREER WORKSHOP...The Community Council of CHLD will present a workshop "Career Orientation: Prepare Now for the Future" on Saturday, April 10, 1-4 p.m. The workshop is designed to explore the career options possible thru HLD. To register, mail the \$1.00 fee with name, address and telephone number to: Cashier, Governors State Univ., Park Forest South, IL 60466. Checks should be payable to GSU and earmarked separately for the HLD Community Council presentation.

PERFORMING ARTS GUILD...Will meet Monday, April 12, at 7 p.m. in the Green Room of the Drama Workshop. Topics to be discussed are: elections, TJ Memorial Award application and group attendance at Leslie's. For further info, contact Rebecca Borter, ext. 2407 or 748-3508.

ON SUFFERING & DEATH...The Rev. Eguene Powell, Campus Minister at Malcolm X, Kennedy-King and Loop City Colleges will present a Black point of view on "Suffering and Death" at 12 Noon, Wed., April 14 In Room D1120. The brown bag lunch is sponsored weekly by the Campus Ministries Council. All are welcome.

GSUINGS...ALFONSO SHERMAN (CCS) speaking to Phi Delta Kappa's Midwest Regional Conference at the Palmer House in Chicago on "Today's Problems Facing Today's Youths" and planning an appearance on WGN's "Cromie Circle" as a panelist to discuss innovative trends in higher education. The show, to be aired Sunday, April 11, around midnight, will also feature representatives from DePaul, Mundelein, Chicago State, and other area universities...Congratulations to DAN (CCS) and POLLY BERND on the birth of their daughter Julia on April 4 (6 lbs. 2 oz.)...PRINCE McLEMOIRL (HLD) chairing a business meeting at the Midwest Regional Convention of the National Council for the Social Studies in Indianapolis...ELMER WITT, Campus Minister, (CCS) making two appearances on "Cabbages and Kings," Channel 7, and representing the Lutheran Council at annual meeting of the American Association of Junior and Community Colleges in Washington, D.C.... JOHN LOWE (HLD) on a working vacation in the Southwest delivering a 3-hour lecture on "Application of Behavioral Concepts to Speech Pathology" to a graduate class at Southern Methodist University...WILLIAM BOLINE (HLD) discussing Non-Traditional Post Secondary Education on "Sound-Off" WOPA Radio in Oak Park, and serving as a community organizational discussant at the National Training and Information Center's Academic Seminar...TULSI SARAL (HLD) presenting a 3-hour workshop on the "Single Experience" for the Association for Humanistic Psychology Midwest Regional Conference to be held April 30-May 2 in Arlington Heights...Good-bye to BEVERLY THOMPSON (FA) leaving GSU April 6.

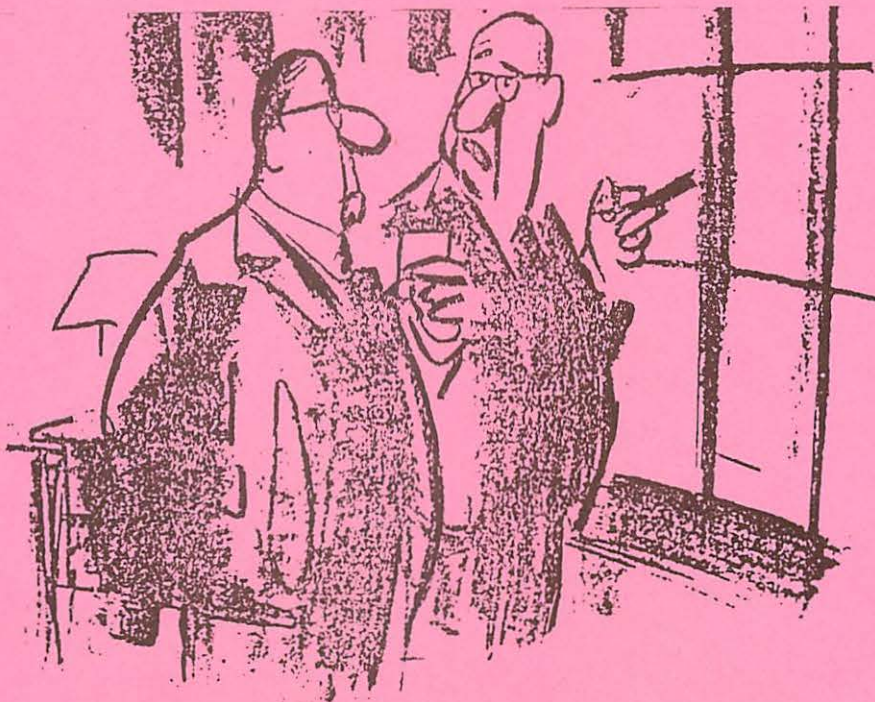
NOW YOU SEE IT...NOW YOU DON'T...The radar facility located at the north end of the GSU grounds near Hantack House is one link of a three system radar study. The other links are at the Illinois Institute of Technology and the Indiana Dunes.

The Illinois State Water Survey and EAS are studying the impact of air pollution on water pollution of Chicago area rivers and Lake Michigan. The radar is used in conjunction with the SWS rain sampling network to be distributed throughout the Chicago area.

In conjunction with University of Chicago scientists, there is study of air flow into clouds and storms over Chicago and Lake Michigan as well as studies of precipitation over the south end of the lake and how the city affects rainfall.

To reassure observant GSUers who have noted its absence this past month, the SWS radar will be located at GSU only about six months each year through 1982.

During its first stint at GSU early this year, the radar system was used to study tornado development. The tornado study continues in Oklahoma where the radar equipment is presently located.



"Times are changing, Whittleby. Being a pompous ass is no longer enough."

EVENTS

SATURDAY, April 10

9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
10:00 a.m.
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Student Testing (B2501)
CHLD Comm. Advisory Council (CCC)
BFF Movie "Mendabl" (MMD)
HLD Career Orientation (CCC)

SUNDAY, April 11

MONDAY, April 12

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.

Academic Affairs Staff (PCA)
Coop Education Meeting (PCA)
Operations Committee (DI120)
Presidential Search Committee (PCA)
BFF Movies "Natural Born Gambler"
and "Putney Swope" (CCC)
Alumni Program Committee (PCA)

7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, April 13

11:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.
8:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon
12:00 Noon
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
6:00 p.m.

Registration
Administrative Council (PCA)
Markham Prairie Tour (Front Door)
Academic Advisory Group
BFF Movies "Natural Born Gambler" &
"Putney Swope" (CCC)

WEDNESDAY, April 14

11:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon
12:00 Noon
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Registration
SCEPP (DI120)
Theology for Lunch (DI120)
Senior Citizens Swim (Pool)
CHLD Assembly Faculty Meeting (C3324)
Comm. College Presentation (A1102)

THURSDAY, April 15

9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Student Testing (A1102)
EAS Administrative Council
AFSCME Union Meeting (CCC)

FRIDAY, April 16

8:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon
9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
12:00 Noon
7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Administrative Council (PCA)
Student Testing (A1102)
SSAC Meeting (DI120)
GSU Martial Arts Club (F Balcony)

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