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MAY 1, 1972

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GSU OPEN HOUSE....Mother's Day will also be GSU Day for area communities. May 14 has been designated as the date for a GSU Open House by the President. The community will be invited to tour the Mini-campus and meet some of the staff and students. The 3 - 5 p.m. Open House will be relatively informal with no speeches or other presentations. John Canning will coordinate the affair enlisting assistance from students and staff. Students, faculty and staff may want to use the occasion to bring their own families to the campus or be on hand to greet visitors at their own unit locations. The last open house at the Planning Building drew about 600 from the community.

MARK MAY 6....A busy day at GSU is slated for May 6 with the first GSU Junior College Jazz Festival beginning at 2:00 p.m. (check the posters around the Mini-campus for the specific schedule)...Earlier that day, beginning at 9:30 a.m., an Environmental Affairs Conference for village officials of the South suburbs and neighboring communities will be sponsored by CEAS...Note that the GSU Chorus Concert originally scheduled for May 14 has been temporarily postponed.

STUDENT-ADMINISTRATION DIALOGUE....Thursday May 4 at 3:00 p.m. (a bit later than originally scheduled) is the time set for the next dialogue in the series. The student generated agenda for Bill Engbretson and other administrators includes financial aid, accreditation, poverty area accountability questions.

BLOOD FOR BLOOD....GSU staff, students and area residents can join the Cooperative Blood Replacement Plan May 16 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Room 304. A one pint donation is the premium for a policy which assures the donor and/or his family (depending on the plan selected) unlimited blood replacement anywhere in the country for the length of time designated by the plan...appointments and additional information from GSU Health Services, Ext. 247.

SHORT TERM LOANS....Loans limited to \$300 and normally due within one session are now available for students via the Financial Aids Office. The loans are not intended to be the source of primary assistance for students.

GSU ASSISTS DISTRICT 162....Matteson Elementary School District 162 has been awarded \$144,123 Federal Grant to conduct an innovative "Four-Dimensional Reading Project" over the next three years....CHLD will assist with computerized scoring and record keeping for the District.

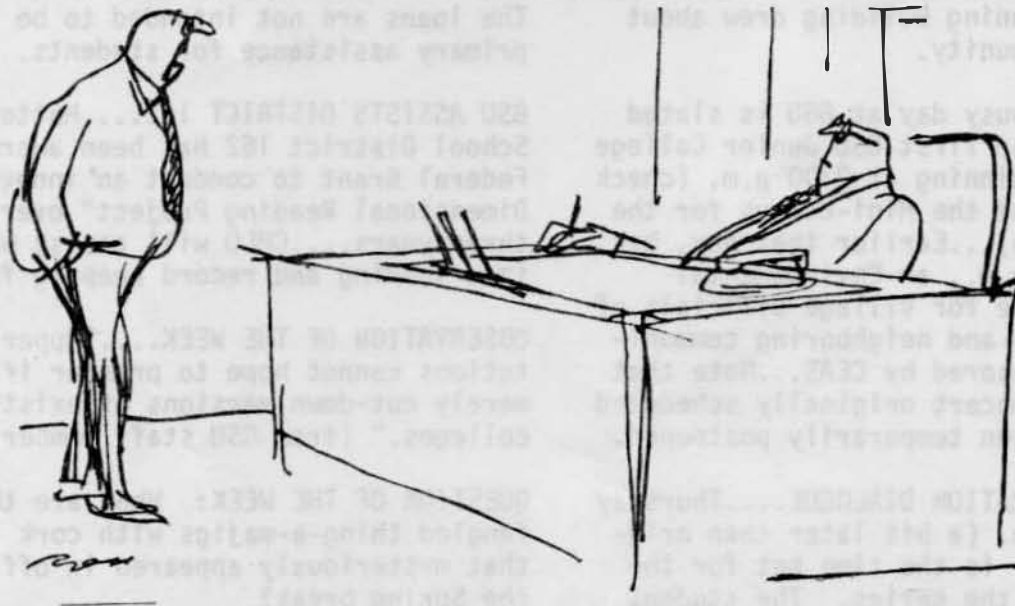
OBSERVATION OF THE WEEK...."Upper level institutions cannot hope to prosper if they become merely cut-down versions of existing four-year colleges." (from GSU staff member)

QUESTION OF THE WEEK: What are those new fangled thing-a-majigs with cork in the middle that mysteriously appeared in offices during the Spring break?

GSUings...Visitors to the Mini-campus during Spring break included 50 real estate students from the University of Wisconsin...BOB BAILEY(A&R) participating in a session "Innovations in the Use of Academic Facilities" at the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers at Cleveland...ART EVANS, DAVE CRISPIN, JUDY and MIKE LEWIS on a three-hour panel on conflict resolution broadcast on WTAS-FM a couple of Saturday nights ago... WTAS-FM also broadcast April 22 a documentary on GSU originally made by the Homewood-Floss high school station and featuring interviews with TOM LAYZELL, PETE FENNER, MEL MUCHNIK and others...VERNE WANDELL wrote the music and lyrics, sang, played and recorded a script created by MIKE and JUDY LEWIS, later accepted by the Cassette Tape Committee of the American Personnel and Guidance Association for its series, "Counseling: Today and Tomorrow."..... MARV BROTTMAN a candidate for the school board of District 67...HERM SIEVERING writing chapter in Vol. 2 of Advances in Environmental Science, "Remote Sensing for Air Pollution Measurements" also article in the Journal of the Optical Society and paper given to the Regional Science Association at Indiana U, "Simulation, Gaming and Information for Social Policy Decisions".... PETE FENNER at Executive Committee meeting April 10 in New York of the National Association of Geology Teachers...RAY KIEFER recently became a member of the Park Forest Rotary Club...JAYNE DELAWTER participating in an AERA research training session "Toward an Ethnography of Schooling" at the Pilsen neighborhood in Chicago focusing on developing basic ethnographic skills in the context of a Mexican-American school/community...JOHN and KAY CANNING will fly with the Chicago Press Club to Africa, Spain and Portugal this fall for part of their vacation (they handled news relations for their high school choir tour of Russia two years ago)...JUDY and MIKE LEWIS writing "The Public Schools and Student Activism" in the March issue of Focus and Guidance.

TO THE AIRPORT BY BUGGY...Bumper-to-bumper travel is in store for Chicago area motorists. The Illinois State Toll Highway Authority announced it will resurface 22 miles of tollway beginning May 2. The two major sections to be repaved are: the Tri-State Tollway from half a mile north of Ogden Ave. to its intersection with the Northwest Tollway near O'Hare, and the Northwest Tollway from its juncture with the Kennedy Expressway to Meacham Rd., near Schumburg. Two lanes of traffic--one in each direction--will be closed at all times during the resurfacing, which is expected to take about three months.

FAR OUT...SYNCON (Synergistic Convergence)... A conference aimed at "building a positive future" is set for Southern Illinois University on May 17-20. Multi-disciplinary groups will meet in specially constructed conference wheel to map Bucky Fuller-style global strategy for human problem solving. Backdrop will be 100 hour video tape review of U.S. Space Program and at the time of man's first step on the moon, there will be "...a cultural celebration honoring genius of man and all cultures which have contributed to man's capacity to leave this earth." For brochure and more information, write: New Worlds Week, Dept. of Higher Ed., So. Illinois University Carbondale 62901



"No, I have nothing special on my mind. It's just that I get so lonesome in my little cubicle."

MONDAY, MAY 1, 1972

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon
1:30 - 3:00 p.m.
4:00 p.m.
4:00 p.m.

MIS (Planning Building)
A & R Staff (Mini-conf.)
Fiscal Resources Committee (Planning Building)
ICC Staff Meeting (Preview Room)
CCS Senate

7:30 p.m.

Jazz Band Rehearsal (Planning Building)

TUESDAY, MAY 2, 1972

10:00 a.m.
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
1:30 p.m.
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.
7:30 p.m.

Board of Higher Education (Chicago)
Human Services Committee (Mini-conf.)
LRC Staff Meeting
Academic Wing (Mini-conf.)
Committee on Educational Policies & Programs (Mini-conf.)
CCS Community Council
European Choir Rehearsal (Planning Building)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 1972

8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
3:30 p.m.
7:30 p.m.
8:00 p.m.

CEAS Steering Committee (802)
HLD Presentation by Imagery (Mini-conf.)
Student Services Advisory Committee (Commons)
Jazz Band Rehearsal (Planning Building)
Module in Citizen Education (326)

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1972

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
10:00 a.m.
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
3:00 p.m.
7:30 p.m.

CEAS Faculty Meeting (830)
Human Services Resource Center Staff (Ch. Hgts.)
MIS Advisory Council (Planning Building)
CBPS Staff Meeting (Mini-conf.)
Student-Administration Dialogue (Commons)
Jazz Band Rehearsal (Planning Building)

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1972

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
12:00 noon - 1:15 p.m.
1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
4:30 p.m.

President's Advisory Council (Mini-conf.)
Urban Teachers Education Work Group (840)
A & R Staff (Mini-conf.)
Executive Committee (Mini-conf.)
R & I Faculty Coordinating Committee (Mini-conf.)
CEAS Academic Affairs Group (302)
Professional Staff Meeting (308)
Civil Service Salary Review Committee (308)

SATURDAY, MAY 6, 1972

9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon
10:30 a.m.
2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Environmental Affairs Conference
Village Council Representatives
Popular Chorus Rehearsal (Planning Building)
Junior College Jazz Festival (Commons)

C O M I N G

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10
4:00 and 8:00 p.m.

HLD Films: Dialogue on Vocational Development Theory
"An Introduction to Behavioral Counseling" and "A
Behavioral Counseling Seminar" (244)

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY
MAY 9 and May 10

CCS Art Lecture Series

SUNDAY, MAY 14
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

GSU Open House

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Board of Higher Education (Chicago)
Human Services Committee (Mini-cont.)
LAC Staff Meeting
Academic Staff (Mini-cont.)
Committee on Educational Policies & Programs (Mini-cont.)
CCS Community Council
European Choir Rehearsal (Planning Building)
CCS Steering Committee (802)
HLD Presentation by Inquiry (Mini-cont.)
Student Services Advisory Committee (Commons)
Jazz Band Rehearsal (Planning Building)
Module in Citizen Education (228)
CCS Faculty Meeting (802)
Human Services Resource Center Staff (Pl. Hdr.)
MIS Advisory Council (Planning Building)
CCS Staff Meeting (Mini-cont.)
Student-Organization Dialogue (Commons)
Jazz Band Rehearsal (Planning Building)
President's Advisory Council (Mini-cont.)
Open Faculty Education Work Group (840)
A & B Staff (Mini-cont.)
Executive Committee (Mini-cont.)
1 Faculty Extension Committee (Mini-cont.)
CCS Academic Affairs Group (305)
Professional Staff Meeting (308)
Civil Service Salary Review Committee (308)
Institutional Style Conference
Village Council Representatives
Popular Group Rehearsal (Planning Building)
Jazz Buffers Late Festival (Commons)

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