

Art Show On Display



Photo by Jim Munson

An art exhibit will be on display in the Fine Arts building today through Oct. 17. The exhibit will represent the culmination of work begun in 1973 by Eric Knapp.

Knapp, a former MCC student, received his bachelor of fine arts degree from Stephen F. Austin University in 1974. At MCC he was president of the Art Club and a member of Phi Theta Kappa, a national Junior College honor organization.

Some of Knapp's preceding credits include his participation in multiple school exhibitions at SFAU from 1972 on, the Group Graphics Exhibit at the Tyler Museum of Art in 1973 and the Seventh Annual Print, Drawing and Craft Exhibit at the Arkansas Art Center in Little Rock this year.

All but one of the paintings for the exhibit beginning today on campus were done in 1974.

"For a year previous to this date, I had not done any painting," said Knapp. "During that year I worked in sculpture and graphics and was able to get rid of old ideas which had limited me in the painting medium."

Knapp said he prefers paintings that "allow me to relax and let my mind wander through them without interference or demand."

Referring to this concept of relaxation and ease, Knapp said, "That, I suppose, is the objective of these paintings; if a painting needs an objective other than simply to exist."

The Fine Arts Building is open from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Fridays. The exhibition is open to the public.

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ARTIST Eric Knapp discusses one of his works with Miss Francy Richings, sophomore.

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Dance to End Elections

By Debb. Truning

The campaigning of vice-president, fifteen representatives, and five cheerleaders is almost at its end. Cheerleader tryouts will be 10 a.m. today. All voting will take place Thursday and Friday in the Student Center.

One vice-president will be picked from two candidates, Mike Warren and Mervyn Kellum. Fifteen people will be chosen from the 28 candidates for representatives. The candidates are Robert Cozby, sophomore; Bob Sheehy, Jr., freshman; Miss Linda D. Cockrum, freshman; Miss Sheerle Price, freshman; Travis Broughton, freshman; Miss Pat Rendon, sophomore; Miss Valerie Kilgore, sophomore; Bobby Kacal, freshman; Miss Dawn Wozniak, freshman; Richard Coronado, sophomore; Miss Diane Clark, freshman; Miss Cindy Loveless, freshman; and Miss Karen McCain, freshman.

Also candidates are Miss Jackie Higgs, sophomore; Miss Nancy Matula, freshman; Richard Rector, freshman; Miss Nancy Brown, freshman; Larry Payne, sophomore; Nancy Doss, freshman; Miss Janet Meek, freshman; Miss Andrea Millican, freshman; Earl Gamago, freshman; Miss Gina Walthall, freshman; Douglas A. Garrett, sophomore; Miss Donna Gee, freshman.

There will be five cheerleaders chosen from 20 candidates. They are Miss Robin Carruth, sophomore; Miss Patricia Mann, sophomore; Miss Sunday Hunt, freshman; Miss Terry Tollison, freshman; Miss Debra Vaughn, freshman; Miss Sue York, sophomore; Miss Dawn Wozniak, freshman; Miss Julie Coates, freshman; Miss Jo Burns, freshman; Miss Diane Clark, freshman; and Gina Walthall, freshman.

Also candidates are Miss Fran Smith, freshman; Miss Kay Kahlor, freshman; Miss Vera Spruill, freshman; Miss Nancy Doss, freshman; Miss Marla Hencivenga,

freshman; Miss Debbie Moore, sophomore; Miss Janet Harris, freshman; Miss Susan Hight, freshman; and Miss Karen McCain, freshman.

For a finish of the long, competitive

weeks of campaigning, a dance will be provided by the Student Government 8:30-midnight Saturday in the Student Center. The dance is free, and dress is casual.

The band that will perform is "Shade Tree." One person from each couple should have a MCC I.D. card. During one of the breaks at the dance, the outcome of the elections will be announced.

PEACE AND QUIET--

An unidentified student explores a new use of the Library--Studying!
The Library is open from 7:45 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 7:45 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday.



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Letters to the Students

MCCer in New York

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following letters addressed to MCC students in care of The Highland Herald were received Sept. 16 from Mrs. Sandy Anderson, sophomore, and her husband Andy.

Mrs. Anderson, a victim of cerebral palsy, will be in Bronx, N.Y. for the next eight weeks, within a week she will undergo surgery at the St. Barnabas Hospital for Chronic Diseases to relieve her spasticity.

A fund raising drive led by various students and campus organizations contributed \$9,000 towards the estimated overall expenditure of \$14,000 for the trip and operation.

I hope the MCC Singers are shaping up. They are my "weak spot."

The trip up was wonderful. I never can believe how big and lovely the mountains are.

God be with every one of you,
Sandy

P.S. Don't worry, I'll be fine.

Dear Friends:

We made it to New York in fairly good shape, not a whole lot of trouble. We laid over a day in Nashville because of the rains stirred up by the hurricane. The next day we drove to Roanoke, Va. and spent the night there. The next day we drove about 40 miles and had a tire go bad on us and lost an hour and a half getting a new one.

Then we stopped and saw one of the seven natural wonders of the world, the Natural Bridge. It is magnificent. We lost about an hour on that, but we zoomed through West Virginia in about an hour and flashed through Maryland in ten minutes.

Then we hit Pennsylvania. We drove until we came to Allentown and decided it was time to stop for the night. So we pulled into the Holiday Inn there and they had no vacancies. The woman at the desk was very rude to us. So we drove on until we reached Nazareth, and we stopped and there was no room in the inn there either.

But the man was very nice there and called over to Bethlehem for us, and there was no room in Bethlehem either (not even a stable). He called all the way into Manhattan and on Route 81 there were no vacancies. So we took Interstate 33 over to 80 at Strousburg, Pa. and found a Sheriton Motel with two rooms left.

We have spent the past two days in Southport, Conn. catching up on our rest and visiting with Sandy's aunt and uncle. Sandy is getting very nervous and jittery as she goes into the hospital tomorrow.

Things are very expensive up here--gas is 60c a gallon. A sandwich is \$1. Tomorrow, after I get Sandy into the hospital, I am going to see if I can get into one of the YMCAs to cut the cost as much as possible.

Anybody wishing to write Sandy can do so by writing to:

Mrs. Sandy Anderson
care-of Herb Van Wyk
32 Osborne
Southport, Conn. 06490

We love you all, and our thanks are beyond our ability to speak.

With love and gratitude,
Andy and Sandy

Dear MCCers:

There are only two days left until I go into the hospital. Yesterday we went into the city to see St. Patrick's Cathedral and the Statue of Liberty. I couldn't believe that I was at either place. The landscape is unbelievable, but I'd do anything if I was home on campus.

Instructors Write Songs

Duncan Brothers Play Music



Photo by Jim Munson

PLAY A LITTLE BIT OF EVERYTHING--Brothers Wayne and Gary Duncan (left to right) perform at the Faculty Bunch for Lunch.

By Gail Windham

Math instructors Wayne and Gary Duncan have at least three things in common--the same parents, the same job and the same love for music. The Duncan brothers played country and popular music at the Faculty Bunch for Lunch Thursday.

The Faculty Bunch for lunch is a gathering of faculty members once a week at lunch for entertainment led by faculty.

Wayne plays bass guitar and piano, while Gary plays the guitar. They play and sing every type of music except hard rock. Some songs performed Thursday included: "Sunday Morning Coming Down," "Carwash Blues," "Country Road," "I Wouldn't Want to Live If You Didn't Love Me," and others.

They also did what they described as a rock ballad, written by former Dean of Student Services Larry Gilliam. Gary Duncan composed the melody.

The brothers wrote their first song while in elementary school but couldn't afford instruments or lessons until their late teens.

Their first public appearance was at the Old Settlers Reunion at Hico in 1960. Since that time, they have performed at Lions and Rotary Club meetings, as well as on radio and television.

Both agreed they enjoyed performing for live audiences, but television was most difficult because the atmosphere was not relaxed, and they had no audience to relate to.

At one time, a musical career was seriously pursued. The Duncans made several recordings, their first, "Challenge," was with a recording studio owned by Gene Autrey.

The record was never released because a record bearing the same title, "Sandy," was released first.

"We saw that it was a tough business and that it involved a lot of hard work", said Wayne. So their musical hopes were abandoned in favor of mathematics, although they both still compose, arrange and play for fun.

"If we didn't have fun, we wouldn't do it," said Wayne.

Students to Attend Baptist Meet

An estimated 7,400 Texas students will travel to Moody Coliseum at Southern Methodist University in Dallas Oct. 4-6 to attend the Texas Baptist Student Convention.

Some of the guest speakers will be Ed Seabough, author of "Babble On and Other Ruins" and lyricist of the musicals "Encounter" and "Joy"; Grady Nutt, professional humorist and ordained Baptist minister and Cynthia Clawson, professional vocalist-recording artist, soloist on "The Newcomers" and CBS-TV's summer replacement for Carol Burnett.

Other speakers will be E. V. Hill, Dr. James Landes, Dr. James Dunn and Don Guthrie.

"I usually don't get excited about anything until the last minute, but I am enthusiastic about the Texas Baptist Student Convention," said Miss Holly Lykins, sophomore.

Sophomore Miss Liz Norwood said of the convention, "It's a time of really growing in the Lord and getting away from the rattling patter of school."

MCC students will travel to the convention by personal cars Oct. 4. They will stay at the Dallas Ramada Inn at a cost of \$6 per night, plus meals.

Students may register at the Baptist Student Center on 1713 Powell Drive at the west entrance of the campus, or by contacting any BSU member. Deadline for registration is noon, Oct. 4.

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Stops Vandals, Parkers

Patrolman Also Student

By Terry Goudrich



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CAMPUS PATROLMAN Ray Sanders off the job during interview.

The patrolman who issues your parking ticket may sit across from you in class.

Ray Sanders, one of the campus' security patrolmen, is also a sophomore working towards an Associate in Applied Science degree in Law Enforcement.

"I first became interested in law enforcement when I did military patrol while I was stationed off the coast of Japan," said Sanders, a 25-year-old Navy veteran.

After his discharge, Sanders enrolled in the MCC Law Enforcement Program. Shortly afterwards, he began working as a part-time officer on campus and now is employed full-time. His job involves some night shift work.

Sanders' first memory of policemen goes back to his childhood.

"When I was a kid, they had a program on Saturday mornings where the policemen would shoot BBs and 22s and show us firearm safety," Sanders said. "I was pretty impressed."

So far, Sanders' career has not disrupted his family life. He said that he is able to spend quite a bit of time with his wife, Lisa Faye, and their 15-month-old son, Milton Charles.

"What worries me most about my job is stopping a car and not knowing who or what is in it," said Sanders.

Sanders has not yet had to use his gun while on the job. "I believe I could if I had to, though. If it was between me and the other guy, it would be the other guy, not me."

Sanders said that his most nerve-racking experience as a campus

patrolman took place during the night shift.

"It was when they were having so much trouble at Cameron House with vandalism," said Sanders. "I had to stop three cars. I recognized one of them as having been there before."

Sanders said the occupants of the car were evidently as nervous as he was. "They left the car and took off into the brush. I didn't have to arrest anyone because there was no sign of anyone having been in the house itself."

Patrolling is Sanders' favorite area of police work while his least favorite area is narcotics.

"I'm not a very good actor, and I don't think I could work undercover."

Like most policemen, Sanders said that he has given some thought to death.

"I guess I'd be stupid if I said I wasn't scared to die," said Sanders. "But I figure that when the time comes, nothing is going to stop it."

While some people feel that a policeman's job increases the chance of an early death, Sanders said, "You could also get run over by a car while crossing the street."

According to Sanders, most nights on campus are uneventful.

Sometimes, at the first of the semester, we have a few parkers who don't know the campus is patrolled. I just tap on the top of the car, ask for some kind of ID, find out if they're students and tell them to leave," said Sanders. "Usually they do."

Bookstore Break-In Unsolved

The campus bookstore was vandalized at about 8 p.m. Saturday.

Campus Security Supervisor Ray Kaluza said that Officer C. W. Outlaw, who was making a building check at the time, heard glass breaking but was uncertain of the location of the sound. He heard glass shatter a second time and knew the sound came from the bookstore.

"We figure that he (Outlaw) came up so fast that whoever broke in took out the

back," said Kaluza. Outlaw then radioed the Waco Police Department to help him investigate, which is standard campus procedure, according to Kaluza.

Kaluza said that glass had been broken in both front entrance doors.

"The person evidently thought he could break the glass and push or turn the door open from the inside. There was nothing to turn, just a place for a key."

A hole had also been broken in a side window that the vandal had evidently used to enter the bookstore. Kaluza said that the vandal apparently escaped through the back door of the storage room.

"At this point we figure it was an amateur because of the way he broke the glass," said Kaluza. "We figure it may have been a student or someone who was familiar with the building."

Mrs. Earline Snow, bookstore manager, said, "As far as I know, nothing was disturbed at all. The bookstore does not keep large sums of money."

Police now have no suspects in the case.

According to Kaluza, there have been break-in attempts on campus in the past, the most recent being about a year ago when someone tried unsuccessfully to enter the bookstore using a clothes hanger.



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PLEDGING TIME AGAIN--Campus sororities and fraternities are now in the process of pledging new members. Pictured above are Delta Phi Beta pledges and members at a Pledge Party given Friday. At the left, some Circle K members introduce pledges to 'fun and games' of pledging.

On the Ball

Linksters in Full Swing

By Louis Haak

Coach Jimmy Clayton's golf team is in full swing despite rain which has hampered the practice sessions the past week. The team is preparing for the fall season which begins Oct. 3 with a 54 hole tournament at the James Connally Golf Course.

Coach Clayton returns with five sophomores from a team which was ranked seventh nationally last year. They won six of the 10 tournaments they entered and 10 of the 12 matches they played.

The team will be trying for its fourth consecutive conference championship.

The team will play its home matches at three local courses: Lake Waco Country Club, Woodland West Country Club and James Connally Golf Course.

The team will count on eight freshmen to provide depth for the upcoming season.

John Foster-sophomore, Dallas Hillcrest. Foster finished last year ranked 13th in the National Junior College Tournament in Florida. He won two tournaments and finished second in the Region V Tournament with a 7-under-par score for 54 holes.

He had the teams lowest scoring average of 71.8 for 34 rounds. Coach Clayton considers Foster to be one of the most outstanding college sophomore golfers in the nation.

Gil Freeman-sophomore, Garland South Garland. Freeman won the District 8 AAAA Golf Tournament and the Dallas Publix Championship during his high school years. At MCC Freeman finished second in the Temple tournament, third in the Grayson Tournament, and fourth in the San Jacinto Tournament.

"Gil was a very consistent player last year and should challenge Foster for the number one position," said Clayton.

Tom McConnell-sophomore, Richfield. McConnell won the District 15 AAAA Golf Tournament while at Richfield.

"McConnell played very good last year with several good rounds in the National Tournament," Clayton said. "He should be one of the top four players on the team."

Mike Hagen-sophomore, Richardson J. J. Pearse. Hagen won the District 13 AAAA Golf Tournament during high school.

"Mike is a top student with a perfect four-point average and should add experience and depth to the team," said Clayton.

Steve Hill-sophomore, Trinidad, Colorado High School. Hill transferred to MCC from Trinidad State Junior College. He won the District Golf Tournament and four other high school tournaments in Colorado.

Russell Orth-freshman, Dallas Bryan Adams. Orth won the District 11 AAAA Golf Tournament, the Dallas Top 20 Invitational Tournament and the Dallas Times Herald Championship.

"Russell was the number one linkster in the Dallas area last year and brings an outstanding record with a lot of experience to this year's team," said Clayton. "He is a very good pressure player and should also challenge Foster for the number one position."

Steve Elkins-freshman, Dallas Bryan Adams. Elkins finished second in the

Dallas Top 20 Invitational Tournament.

"He played some fine rounds for Bryan Adams which won the District Tournament," said Clayton.

Frank Johnson-freshman, Abilene Cooper. Johnson finished third in the District 5 AAAA Golf Tournament and first at the San Angelo and Big Spring tournament.

"One of the top freshmen recruits," said Clayton. "He should qualify for one of the top five positions."

Dale Carlisle-freshman, Richfield, Carlisle finished third in the District 15 AAAA Golf Tournament and won the Madisonville High School Tournament. Carlisle has won the Lake Waco Country Club Junior Championship Tournament for the past three years.

"Dale was the best high school player in Waco last year and should bring good

depth to the team," said Clayton.

Rick Heussner-freshman, Richfield. Heussner finished sixth in the District 15 AAAA Golf Tournament. "Heussner played well in the regional tournament and finished in 13th place tied with teammate, Carlisle."

Greg Grost-freshman, Dallas Green Hill. Grost finished fourth in the Southwest Prep. Conference in 1974, third in 1973, and fourth in 1972.

"Greg has played in many golf tournaments and is a strong competitor," said Clayton.

Mike Nedrow-freshman, Richardson. "Nedrow was a leading player on the District 13 AAAA championship team," said Clayton.

Doug Smith-freshman, Abilene Cooper. Smith transferred to MCC from Texas Tech University.



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MCC GOLF TEAM—Front row, from left to right, John Foster, Russell Orth, Doug Smith, Dale Carlisle and Rick Heussner. Back row, from left to right, Coach Jimmy Clayton, Gil Freeman, Tom McConnell, Steve Elkins, Mike Nedrow, Mike Hagen and Frank Johnson. Not pictured are Greg Grost and Steve Hill.

Pipeline

Activity Night

Activity Night is now in operation for all MCC students, faculty and staff. The HPE Building will be open from 6 to 9:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Facilities such as the small gym, swimming pool and handball courts will be available. Other facilities will be made available at a later date.

The swimming pool will be open two nights a week. On Mondays the pool will be open at 7:30 p.m. and on Thursdays at 6 p.m.

Dr. Ronald A. Smith said that the facilities will be an asset to those who cannot use them during the day.

"We've got the facilities, we might as well let people use them," said Smith.

Intramural Chess

Intramural chess competition begins Monday. Play will be in the faculty dining

room in the Student Center. The deadline to enter is today.

The tournament is based on individual, rather than team, competition.

"Anyone who enjoys playing chess is encouraged to enter; this is not just for experts," said Ray Murray, director of intramural sports.

Students will be competing against each other to determine the top student player. If there are enough entries, there will be two divisions. Individual trophies will be awarded to the top two chess players of each division.

"We want more entries and especially urge women to join in the competition also," Murray said.

All chess boards and pieces can be checked out from the Student Activities Office on the first floor of the Student Center.

Cosmetology Wins First

Miss Suzanne Hightower won first place in the Houston Affiliate 25th Annual Hair

Fashion Show Saturday. The award will bring to the Cosmetology Department national recognition in such magazines as "American Hairdresser," "Beauty Trade," and "Modern Beauty Salon."

Contestants were judged on the basis of hairstyling and total fashion. Miss Janie Neep, who served as Miss Hightower's model, received a standing ovation.

The next contest cosmetology students plan to attend is on Oct. 13 in San Antonio.

Health Clubs

Students interested in joining clubs for weight reduction, first aid, family planning, pre-marital counseling, drug addiction, alcoholism and aid to stop smoking have until Friday to become members.

Those interested may contact Mrs. Blanche Willis, director of health services, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. in the campus First Aid Room on the first floor of the Student Center.

Circle K

Circle K, an international men's service club sponsored by the Northwest Kiwanis Club of Waco, is being resurrected on campus.

About 105 students signed up for the club at the beginning of the semester, out of which Circle K's 30 members will be selected by its Board of Governors.

Initiation of members will take place this week, with a dance planned to end the pledging.

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