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SG Receives Thanks For Efforts, Plans November Blood Drive

A letter from Dr. Wilbur Ball, president, was read during the Student Government meeting Monday; the letter was about the paint job done by the representatives on campus fire hydrants. Dr. Ball thanked the representatives for their efforts and pointed out that the improvement project also saved the college maintenance time and expense. A note of thanks was also read from Cheryl Glidden, director of Public Information, for the representatives assistance in manning the MCC booth at the Heart of Texas Fair.

Director of Student Activities, Don Bynum, and representative, Carol Mitchell, who attended a Red Cross Luncheon Oct. 18, reported that

they felt it would be a very worthy effort for the Student Government to participate in co-sponsoring a blood drive later this fall. By unanimous vote, representatives decided to assist the Red Cross in a drive held on campus. Bynum was contacted by Red Cross, and they informed him that the date would be set for Nov. 18. The goal has been set for 100 pints.

The first item on the agenda for new business was the heat problem in the dressing rooms. Students have been complaining that the dressing rooms were kept too hot or too cold. Faculty members also complained to the administration that classrooms seemed uncomfortably hot or

cold. George Andreson, director of administrative services, reported that it is extremely difficult to maintain a room temperature comfortable to everyone while there are so many rapid weather changes.

Representatives also voted to accept campus clubs for active status at Monday's meeting. Those accepted with no changes in their constitutions were: Plaid Vests, Sigma Delta Phi, Circle K, MCAPHER and Alpha Sigma Phi. Those clubs accepted with minor changes or additions to their present constitutions were: Scots N Water, Data Processing Majors Association and Epsilon Delta Pi.

An absentee policy was

drawn up by Roxanne Money and approved by the representatives after a lengthy discussion. A committee consisting of Roxanne Money, president; Mike Kelly, vice-president; and Albert Apel, parliamentarian was established to check on those representatives absent at the weekly meetings and to determine whether or not their absences will be excused or unexcused.

Representatives decided to begin work soon on the scrapbook which will be entered in the Texas Junior College Student Government Association convention in the spring.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

Drama Director Names Technical Crews

Transforming an empty stage into different countryside, houses and different time periods is the task of technical crews associated with the fall productions "Everyman" and "The Second Shepherd's Play."

Supreme Court Considers Ticket Appeals

The campus Supreme Court, which meets twice monthly at the activity hour, began hearing students traffic appeals Wednesday. The next meeting will be held Nov. 3, when the Court will hear six cases.

Students who wish to appeal tickets received on campus must fill out an appeal form which may be obtained in the Student Activities office in the Student Center. This form must be turned in within three class days of receiving the citation; otherwise, the fine is automatically \$2.

Once an appeal form is turned in, the Student Activities office will notify the student of the court date by mail.

Failure to appear in court will result in an "administrative summons," in which the student will be called out of class.

If the student fails to respond to the summons, action will be taken by the Dean of Student Services, Dr. LaVerne Wong. This action could result in suspension from school. Until fines are paid, grades will be withheld and the student will not be able to get a registration packet.

Allen Galli, drama director, recently selected crew members that have begun work on the fall productions.

John Cleavelin is technical director of both plays and production manager of "Everyman." Kevin Colston is technical assistant and production manager of "The Second Shepherd's Play."

Technical crews handle sets, props, publicity and house management. Several crew members have roles in the plays as well as off-stage duties.

Cleavelin is set crew head. Crew members are Gary Buchmeyer, Woody Carter, Ross Mormino, Colston, Cliff Sharpless and Mark DeVries.

DT Name Approved

The MCC Dance Company became the official name of the newly formed drill team Tuesday afternoon. Approval for the title came from President Dr. Wilbur Ball after the matter was considered by the Student Services Council last Thursday.

Drill Team sponsor Sandy Hinton solicited names from faculty and students and presented a list of suggestions to drill team members. They chose three preferences also including MCC Classic and Heather Belles.

The Council, made up of students, faculty and administrators, dubbed "MCC Dance Company" as it's favorite and made the recommendation through Dr. LaVerne Wong, dean of student services.

Colston is prop crew head. Crew members are Gary Bentley, Billy Neckar, Ken Salaman, Craig Sanders, Bob Strahl and Lee Christian.

CaSandra Cossey is crew head for make-up and costumes. Sheila Davis, Glenda Preston, Carolyn Massie and Dale Blakeney are crew members.

Rita Foster is crew head for

house management and publicity. Doug Pobletts and Margie Fried are crew members.

"Everyman" and "The Second Shepherd's Play" will open at 8 p.m. Nov. 18 in the Fine Arts Theatre. Performances are also scheduled for Nov. 19-20.

All seats are reserved and tickets will be on sale soon.

Swine Flu Clinic Scheduled Here

MCC's swine flu clinic will be one of the final free clinics available to the public.

The clinic will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Nov. 7 in the Student Center.

"We're nearing the end of the large free clinics," said Cathy Greene, publicity director for the McLennan County Swine Flu Steering Committee. "If people don't get it now they'll have to go to a private physician or do without."

Vaccine will be administered to persons ages 18 and older. Persons over age 65 and chronically ill persons will receive a bivalent vaccine, which guards against two different flu strains. No word has been received as to what vaccine will be given to persons under age 18.

Several other clinics are still scheduled for outlying Waco areas. A clinic is scheduled for 3-7 p.m. Nov. 3 in Mart City Hall, 2-6 p.m. Sunday at China Spring High School, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. at West High School and 3-7 p.m. Tuesday at the Riesel Church of Christ.

Clinics will also be held from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. today through Friday in the Ranger Room of the Waco Convention Center.

Persons wishing to volunteer to help with the MCC clinic may call 752-8355.

Couples Cut Expenses By 'Shackin'

by Marilyn Jones

A growing trend moving through a liberal society is 'shackin' or a man and woman living together without a legal marriage...

A growing trend moving through a liberal society is "Shackin," or man and woman living together without a legal marriage.

The trend is even more common among college students. Because of this some colleges and universities have gone to the co-ed dorm system where male and female students live in the same dorm room.

For students it is more economical to shack. Sometimes it is hard for a student to live with a roommate of the same sex because of conflicting views. Or perhaps a student can't find a roommate of the same sex.

Dr. Doris Stevens, instructor and subject area coordinator for behavioral science, did her dissertation on cohabitation. She said "One heterosexual couple I interviewed were both college students with out roommate and decided to move in together to share expenses. There was not a sexual relationship between them. After they began living together the relationship evolved."

Dr. Stevens interviewed 15 heterosexual couples that were living together and not married. All of them had at least one semester of college.

It is easier for the college student to cohabit because in most cases he is away from home and living among his peers. This puts the student away from family pressures and most of the social pressures because the students he associates with are doing the same thing.

Shacking is also easier because most of the students who cohabit have already participated in sexual activities

with each other or someone else. Thus, the student feels that as far as sex is concerned he is not doing anything he hasn't already done.

Dr. Stevens found that there was no more frequency of sex in the couples living together than the couples married in her study. "Sex was not a big component," she said.

In Dr. Stevens dissertation, the couples interviewed were from 18 to 32 years of age. None of them had children. All of the couples were using some type of contraceptive. Most of them agreed that they would legally marry before having children.

The couples felt that they had more commitment to each other than married couples did because they had no legal ties to keep them from walking out on each other," said Dr. Stevens.

Dr. Stevens also found that most of the relationships were egalitarian, which means the male and the female split the household tasks. "Although they split the tasks, the women still did more of the cooking and household work, and the man did more of the taking out of the trash and the fixing of the car," she said.

Most of the couples interviewed by Dr. Stevens were

planning to be married in the near future. Three of the couples already had wedding dates set. Three were planning to be married but had no idea when. Two had no plans of marriage. Some of them felt as if they were already married, but not because of common law marriage laws.

Most of the couples planning to be married were doing so because of family and social pressure.

"They felt that a legal marriage would be easier on the family and job situation," said Dr. Stevens.

Unfortunately society had a great deal of pressure on people not wanting to following tradition. Society may someday change thoughts on marriage as a legal relationship. Yet most of society considers living together wrong. Formal ceremonies of licenses are a product of recent cultures and may change as marriage laws fail to meet personal needs. Man and woman or husband and wife are not committing themselves to society but to each other.

pipeline

A. S. K. Dance, Party

Afro Student Kindred (A.S.K.) is sponsoring a dance at 9 p.m. Friday at the Monte Carlo Club in Mart. The Soulful Afros from Temple will entertain.

"Procees will go to a local church," said Mrs. Ora Thomas president of the club.

The club is also sponsoring a Halloween party Sunday for the children ages 6 to 12 living at the Waco State Home.

"We decided to buy the candy ourselves and give it to the children because Trick or Treating is too dangerous," said Mrs. Thomas.

The children will be awarded first, second and third prizes

for the best mask in a Halloween Mask contest. The children are to make their own masks.

Club members plan to take the children to "A Halloween Treat" Sunday at the MCC amphitheater. "A Halloween Treat" is sponsored by the Plaid Vest Speech Club.

Movie To Be Shown

Orson Welles' "War of the Worlds" will be presented by Plaid Vests at their meeting at 10 a.m. today in Liberal Arts 101.

Refreshments will be served.

Phone Cable Cut

A cut telephone cable highlighted last week's installation of the new Dimension phone system. The cable was accidentally cut by the crew working on the new fieldhouse when they were working between the Child Care Center and the Baptist Student Union. As a result telephones all over the campus were temporarily out of order.

Campus Lost and Found

The Game Room lost and found is loaded with articles students have obviously misplaced.

Watches, textbooks, coats, rings and notebooks are just a

few articles found throughout the year. Students may come by the games room to claim lost articles.

Counselor Available

Counselor Ed Lindsay will be in the Health Careers Building to counsel nursing students on personal, vocational or academic matters.

He will be in Room 208 at 10 a.m. His schedule will be posted on the door.

Lunch Menu

Monday-Liver and onions

Tuesday-Meatloaf

Wednesday-Chop beef

Thursday-Barbecue on bun

Friday-Salmon croquets

Classifieds

NEED RIDE Tuesday- Thursday from Baylor vicinity, 8 a.m. returning 3:45 p.m., will help pay gas, Call 753-0181 ask for Skip, or 756-2847.

Concert, Choir Festival

At 10 a.m. Friday in the Fine Arts building two concerts will be held featuring the woodwind ensemble and two percussion ensembles.

MCC is hosting the Texas Junior College Choral Festival (TJCCF) today through Friday at the Convention Center. At 8:15 p.m. a free concert will be held in the Brazos Room.

MCAPHER Bake Sale

The MCAPHER organization is holding a bake sale Monday beginning at 9 a.m. in the H.P.E. building.

calendar

Wednesday, Oct. 27

Veteran's Club will meet at 10 a.m. in the Student Center Faculty Dining Room.

Friday, Oct. 29

Inter-Club Council will meet at 10 a.m. in the Tartan Room, second floor of the Student Center.

Wednesday, Oct. 27

Coed Billiards tournament begins at 10 a.m. in the Games Room.

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Poll Shows



A Highland Herald poll Thursday and Friday of government and history students shows former Georgia governor Jimmy Carter having a slight edge over incumbent Gerald Ford in the race for the Presidency.

Of the 250 polled, 118 said they support Carter. Ford supporters numbered 109. Nineteen students are undecided. Others declined to answer.

Incumbent Sen. Lloyd Bentsen has a much clearer margin of support in his bid for reelection. He received support from 125 while challenger

Alan Steelman was favored by 81.

Jack Burgess is supported by 121 in his effort to gain the 11th district Congressional seat. Incumbent Bob Poage received support of 86.

While it has been said that non-voters would be the most influential group in this year's election, 217 students said they plan to vote; 33 do not.

Commenting on the candidates for President, one student said: "Ford was put into office at a critical time, and I believe he strives to do what is best for the nation. Two years in office is not long

Democratic Presidential candidate Jimmy Carter says Americans have been separated from the government by a wall of secrecy and his plans are to reestablish truth in the government.

In his inaugural speech as governor he said "no poor, rural, weak or black person should ever have to bear the additional burden of being deprived of the opportunity of an education, a job or simple justice".

Carter hopes to establish a national health program, provide more jobs and increase coal production. He also wants to have more research on solar energy.

As governor of Georgia Carter increased the budget for education, fought against racial discrimination, and worked toward better consumerism and a better environment.

Carter proposes reorganization of the administrative branch of government in line with changes he made in Georgia, opposes abortion but refuses to support an amendment prohibiting it, takes no stand on right-to-work laws, supports pardons for draft evaders and suggests that church properties should be taxed.

Carter has hopes of national health program, more jobs and coal production. He proposes reorganization of administrative branch.

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen is the incumbent Democratic candidate for the Texas junior senatorship in the U.S. Senate. Bentsen was first elected to the Senate in 1970.

Senator Bentsen graduated from the University of Texas School of Law with a doctor of laws degree.

At 25, Bentsen was elected Hidalgo county judge. Bentsen was a congressman at 27; he served three terms and retired.

While senator Bentsen has been a member of the Finance, Public Works and Joint Economic committees. Bentsen is chairman of Transportation, and the Financial Markets and Economic Growth subcommittees and the NATO Subcommittee on Mutual and Balanced Force Reductions.

Among the bills that Bentsen has supported are: the war powers act requiring congressional approval before troops can be committed to combat by the president; the pension reform act; highway funding legislation; raising of the estate tax exemption to help preserve family farms; and the natural gas deregulation bill.

Bentsen supports the war powers act, the pension reform act and highway funding legislation.

Bob Poage is again Democratic candidate for the U.S. 11th Texas Congressional District. Poage has served as congressman for 35 years.

Poage, a native Waocan, attended Baylor University, University of Colorado and University of Texas.

Poage cites several issues in this election: Strict law enforcement and the protection of the weakest of our population, community schools and a child's right to attend a neighborhood school, restraints on spending and raising wages as soon as efficiency is increased. The maintenance of our armed forces is another issue Poage favors. He wants the United States to be prepared for the future. He wishes to provide jobs for those who will work, but nothing for those who refuse to work. He believes in helping those who need help.

Jack Burgess, the Republican nominee, recently criticized Poage's age and voting record in the House. Poage defended himself on these charges: "I am in very good health and expect to be for some time." Poage also pointed out that he was present for 96 per cent of the House roll calls.

"There is but one issue in this race... who can effectively represent you in Washington."

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enough to prove all he can do. I believe another four years will prove him a great President."

About Carter, another student said he supports him "because he's a Christian... because I know what he's done as governor of Georgia, and I like it. I believe he'll be a good leader, and I think he'll help the little man."

"President Ford has done little in his term of office that has been beneficial to the people," said another. "We need someone to take big industries and reform government."

Regarding Carter's platform, one student said, "I don't trust Carter. He wants too many federal programs such as health care and child care centers which will create more government spending and a more socialist society. He also wants to cut defense spending."

Other comments on both candidates were: "He (Carter) reminds me of J.F.K.," "Ford has given too much power to unelected officials like Kissinger," and "Carter is more able to relate to the middle class taxpayer and

worker."

Many students do not overwhelmingly favor either presidential candidate.

"Neither man has convinced me that he is capable of holding the office. Both never tell you what he is going to do—only what the other is not going to do," said one undecided student.

Others described their favored candidate as "the lesser of two evils."

One student described Walter Mondale, Carter's running mate, as being "just like Carter—a new head with new ideas." Others said that

Mondale helps to balance the Democratic ticket.

However, one student said, "Mondale is not powerful enough to politically help the Democratic cause."

Regarding Republican running mate Bob Dole, one student said, "He would make a better President if Ford was to pass away. He is strong and stands up for what he believes."

Students also said, "Dole is a very powerful and influential party member in Congress..." and "just because he (Dole) is a loud talker does not mean he is a good talker."



Carter, Ford Acknowledge Voter Apathy

By Randy Chenot

President Gerald Ford and Jimmy Carter conceded in their third and final debate Friday night that there is apathy among voters toward next month's Presidential election. They both promise a clean, high-toned campaign to stimulate interest in the remaining days.

The 90-minute confrontation was broadcast from William and Mary College in Williamsburg, Va. There were only a few personal jabs and little of the bitter criticism that has been exchanged in recent campaign statements.

Near the end, Carter said Ford should be "ashamed" of his record on the economy. Ford said Democratic Presidents held unemployment high because the nation often was at war.

The session started with each candidate responding to a question of how much inconvenience or change in lifestyle Americans would be asked to endure to help improve the economy and maintain peace. Ford said Americans would have to tighten their belts a little. Carter said sacrifices would be less under his administration because there would be a better balance of the burden between rich and poor.

Both candidates agreed the best approach to gun control is to keep weapons out of the hands of criminals; They also touched on such topics as abortion, civil rights and national security. Carter said he did not think the United States should go to war if any country is invaded by the Soviet Union unless our security is directly involved.

Carter said if he had it to do over, he would not grant an interview to Playboy Magazine. He said though other prominent persons such as California Governor Jerry Brown, had been interviewed in the magazine, he is concerned by the criticism that his Playboy interview stirred among voters.

Ford is maintaining progress in "double digit inflation" to a slower rate, and charges Carter "will say anything to become President".

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Burgess says he will provide a fresh approach; Poage is getting too old. American energy supplies must be developed.

President Gerald Ford entered the final week of campaigning swinging with both fists, but his only opponent isn't Jimmy Carter.

Among the issues polls have shown important to voters—mainly the economy and unemployment; circumstances have turned downward. The economy has slowed, the stock market has dropped for the last three weeks, and the Consumer Price Index, although slightly improved, confirms that inflation is still in control.

Ford is maintaining that the progress made in the last two years, dropping from "double-digit inflation" to a slower rate,

He charges Carter "will say anything to become President" and reminds various groups that Carter will tax church properties, make statements that would be embarrassing to the country, make irresponsible statements on foreign policy that might "tip his hand" to enemies, is against adequate defense spending and would attempt a reorganization of government that would leave more employees than at the start.

Alan Steelman is currently serving his second term as representative of the 5th District. Politically classified as a "Republican moderate," Steelman was rated the sixth best congressman from Texas by "Texas Monthly" magazine.

Steelman is an environmentalist, having opposed construction of the Trinity River Canal.

The Dallas congressman files complete, voluntary financial disclosure reports. He is the chief sponsor of bills on financial disclosure and freedom of information.

Steelman's standard campaign positions include support of reduced federal spending, strong national defense, government-insured private plans to handle Social Security and establishment of an international United Fund to finance and administer foreign aid.

He holds a bachelor's degree in political science from Baylor University and a master's degree in liberal arts from Southern Methodist University.

Steelman is admittedly frustrated by limitation of House service.

"I'm not making a maximum contribution," he recently said. "One senator, even a freshman can move mountains in the Senate".

Jack Burgess, a Waco businessman, is fighting for U.S. Congress' 11th Texas District seat with a swift, sure punishment.

He also wants to help the farmers and ranchers make a profit, and assist the sick, blind and elderly by maintaining adequate funding of Social Security.

Fuel costs must be held within reason, contends Burgess, and American energy supplies must be developed. Burgess wants estate and gift taxes to be revised so parents may be able to pass their businesses along to their children.

Burgess was born and reared in Waco and attended Waco schools. He received a Bachelor's degree from Texas Tech University and an MBA in Finance and Economics at the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania. He is now the manager of Burgess Marketing, Inc.

Burgess says he is the man for the job because he will provide a fresh approach. He says that Bob Poage, his Democratic opponent, is getting too old to handle the job and that Poage's voting record in the House is low.

The Republican nominee states that his polls show the race too close to be called at this time.

Plaid Vests Present Halloween Program; Travels To TCUTourney

Plaid Vest Speech squad members will present "A Halloween Treat" at 7:30 p.m. Sunday at the amphitheater and attend a speech tournament Saturday at Texas Christian University (TCU). Readers dressed as witches and warlocks will perform around a cauldron of fire in the Halloween production. Halloween stories, poems and jokes are compiled in the program.

"Our presentation is aimed to entertain ages 4-12, and is intended to give kids and their parents an alternative to trick-or-treating, which has recently become somewhat dangerous," said Anne Harrell, Plaid Vests sponsor.

Mrs. Donna Derting, dressed

as a clown, will give candy to the youngsters attending the performance.

Readers are Joey Derting, Becky Rose, Carol Menchu, Kathy Miller, Louise Byrney, Susie Guerra, Donna Richter, Neil Russell, Paul Hill and Bill Moses.

Students adapted the script, music and slides that will accompany the readings. Mrs. Harrell is performance director, and Dr. Michael White is technical coordinator.

"If the weather is bad the performance will be moved to the Student Center," said Mrs. Harrell.

Five students will compete in individual events Saturday at TCU.

Miss Miller, Moses, Miss Rose and Miss Guerra are entered in poetry interpretation. Hill, Miss Miller and Miss Guerra will compete in literature interpretation. Miss Rose is entered in extemporaneous speaking.

Speech students were to have attended a tournament in Pensacola, Fla. last week, but the competition was cancelled.

"Florida State has rescheduled that tournament for January, as not enough schools entered for October," Mrs. Harrell said.

A tournament strictly for junior colleges will also be held the same week, and it's possible that students will enter that competition, she said.



photo by Donna Richter

Bill Moses, member of Plaid Vests, practices his scare tactics for the Halloween program Sunday.

CB Channel Expansion Requires Scrutiny

The latest ruling from the Federal Communications Commission will expand the channels of citizen band radios from 23 to 40.

According to Electronics magazine there is a conflict

over the ruling's effective date of January 1. The date is correct, but the conflict concerns, "to whom these new units can be sold. The FCC appears to mean selling to

distributors while some manufacturers feel that the date restriction should apply to consumers, not distributors or dealers." Indications are that 40-channel units will be in short supply until next summer.

When they do reach the shelves, the expected rise in price will range from \$20 to \$30 over the cost of 23-channel units. However, the prices of 23-channel units are expected to

fall slightly.

A few manufacturers, lead by

Hy-Gain and Rathcom, have announced their phase-lock-loop (PLL) 23-channel transceivers will be able to be modified to 40-channel

frequencies. The modifications will cost about \$25 to \$30, or 20 percent of the unit's original suggested selling price.

A check with several CB suppliers in the area indicated

that the 23-channel units have not yet dropped in price. Most dealerships are, however, running "sales" comparable to those before the FCC ruling. One salesman indicated, "the new 40-channel rigs may not be as good a quality." He suggested that customers should buy the 23-channel units now and have them modified in the future. He did not know the cost required to convert the radios in his shop.

A suggestion for buyers at this time would be to research the unit that you wish to buy to

insure it can be modified later. Also, get a written statement from the salesman (on the receipt) indicating this capability. If the salesman refuses, and you want your CB to boast 40 channels then you may want to delay your purchase until the units appear on the shelves.

Students Aid 'Dr. Doom'

MCC students have teamed up with the March of Dimes to give kids as well as adults a Halloween treat this year. The project is Dr. Doom's Haunted House on 8th and Washington, and all proceeds will go to the March of Dimes.

Circle K volunteers from MCC as well as volunteers from various Baylor clubs built the assorted chambers and horrors of the house.

Steve Schofield, member of Circle K, says the house has an impressive record. "One guy had 'to be carried out on a

stretcher, and another girl fainted in one of the back rooms."

No one under 10 is admitted unless it is one of the special matinees on the weekends, said Schofield.

The house itself consists of an Axe Murder Room, a Funeral Parlor, Torture Chamber, Swamp, Maze, Woods, a Bat Cave, a Crypt and several other rooms equally as gruesome.

Keith Glass, MCC volunteer, said that around 300 people a night visit the house and that

about 700 showed up to be frightened last Saturday. The house is in operation from 7 to 11 p.m., or until everyone leaves, Glass said.

The rooms are lighted with black lights, and the costumes are designed to show up under the lights. The house will be scaring people, chopping off

heads, operating on people, and in general, making people feel uncomfortable until Halloween night for a \$1.50 a head, said Glass.

Forms For Who's Who Available

Nominations are being made for Who's Who in American Junior Colleges honors.

Nomination forms are now available for students, faculty and administrators. Anyone who wishes to nominate a student for these honors may submit nomination forms to the office of the Dean of Student Services no later than Monday.

From nominations received, resumes will be collected and members of the Student Services Council will act as a committee to select the recipients from a list of ob-

jective criteria.

Nominees must have completed 30 hours with a minimum of 15 being completed at MCC. Nominees may be day or evening or full or part time students. Nominees must have a minimum average of 2.5, and should excel in at least one of the following areas: scholarship ability, participation and leadership in academic and extra-curricular activities, citizenship and service to the college and potential for future achievement.

On Monday...

Black Workshop Begins

Students will have the opportunity to participate in a black-oriented growth workshop on Nov. 1, 3 and 5. The purpose of the workshop is to increase self pride and confidence in black students in an educational process. Counselor Sandra Rosemore is handling the workshop and expects an enrollment of about 25 to 30 students this year.

Miss Rosemore said that the workshop itself has helped students to improve their own self concept and to increase

positive self-identification. One goal is to stimulate positive feelings of self worth in the youth and to encourage self awareness among the students.

Last year, Mrs. Rosemore conducted the same type of workshop and feels that this year it will be even more beneficial because of wide spread interest among the last year's students.

"I think the attitudes are more positive and the workshop will continue to improve."

Anyone, in or out of school

may attend the workshop; those interested can sign up in the Counseling Office on the ground floor of the Student Center.

The workshop will take place at 10 a.m. in the conference room on the fourth floor of the Administration Classroom Building.

Self Concept, Self Awareness, Self Feelings and Identity are the topics to be discussed in this year's growth workshop.

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Have you wondered what post-MCC education will cost?

For students transferring from MCC to a four year college, the following is a chart showing expenses for a nine month period. For further information, a student may contact the Counseling Office.

School	Tuition/Fees	Housing	Food	Supplies
Baylor	1480	480	760	275
East Texas	390	500	650	275
North Texas	410	550	910	275
Sam Houston	310	500	600	275
SWTSU	400	630	630	275
Stephen F. Austin	290	500	590	275
Texas A&M	380	470	815	275
Texas Tech	370	500	550	275
Texas Women's	365	400	640	275
U.T. Arlington	365	500	960	275
U. T. Austin	410	500	900	275

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MCC Basketball Approaches....

Hightower Looks For Better Season

By Glenn Vrba

Basketball coach Johnny Carter is looking toward the season with great optimism. Seven cagers are returning from last year's team which advanced through conference and regional warfare to achieve a berth in the National

Junior College Basketball Tournament. One of those returnees is 5'11" guard John Hightower.

Hightower, known also as "High", came to MCC from Huntsville High School where he garnered all-district honors

his junior and senior years. Hightower's choice to play basketball for the Highlanders was the direct result of Don Gay, former MCC star who played at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville. Gay, along with Carter, persuaded Hightower to display his talents at MCC, and "High" has been a welcome addition ever since.

1976 MCC Highlassies

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Nov. 8	Mt. View College	Here	6:00
11	Mary Hardin-Baylor	There	6:30
12-13	MCC Classic (MCC, Baylor, Dallas Baptist, Navarro)		
16	Henderson County	Here	5:45
18	Mt. View College	There	2:15
22	Texas University	Here	7:30
23	Eastfield	There	8:00
30	Temple	Here	6:00
Dec. 1	Texas University	There	5:15
4	Texas Christian University	Here	2:00
6	Richland	There	4:30
7	Eastfield	Here	6:00
13	Henderson County	There	6:00
17	Weatherford	There	5:45
20	Richland	Here	5:45
22	South Plains	Here	7:00
Jan. 25	Southern Methodist	There	9:30
27	Ranger	Here	5:45
Feb. 3	Grayson	Here	5:45
4-5	Baylor Tournament		
7	Weatherford	Here	5:45
8	Temple	There	7:30
11	Texas Christian University	There	6:00
15	Mary Hardin-Baylor	Here	7:30
17	Ranger	There	5:45
21	Southern Methodist	Here	5:45
24	Grayson	There	5:45
28	Region V Tournament	Ablilene	

Coach: Pam Davis



Sophomore
John Hightower

Carter cited several reasons for wanting Hightower at MCC: "John is one of the finest shooters on the club; he's quick and has greatly improved his ball-handling. He's also a fine leaper for his size. But I would say that quickness and shooting ability are his main attributes."

Hightower is looking forward to the upcoming season with great expectations.

"Even though it's still hard to tell, we should be better than last year's team. We have more quickness and definitely have more speed."

The cat-quick Hightower is ready for the season and hungry for another trip to the national tourney. A sophomore, "High" should play an integral part in the Highlander's success this season.

Intramural Football Results

The following is the results of the men's flag football competition. Games are held Monday, Wednesday and Friday during the activity hour.

HEAVEN'S DEVILS OVER CIRCLE K OILERS
HEAVEN'S DEVILS OVER SIGMA DELTA PHI
LONG DENIMS OVER MCC KILLERS
ASK OVER FUZZBUSTERS
I TAPPA KEG OVER UNDERWOOD HAMS
RAIDERS OVER MEAN M'S
SOUTHSIDE SHORTHORNS OVER RAIDERS
FUZZBUSTERS OVER CIRCLE K OILERS
A&K OVER LONG DENIMS
SIGMA DELTA PHI OVER MCC KILLERS

1976 MCC Highlanders

Day	Month	Date	Opponent	Site
Fri-Sat	Nov.	12-13	Hill Classic(Hillbory)	T
Thurs.	"	18	Tyler	H
Fri-Sat	"	19-20	San Houston Classic(Huntsville)	T
Tue.	"	23	Temple	H
Fri-Sat	"	26-27	Lon Morris Classic(Jacksonville)	T
Tue.	"	30	Temple	T
Fri-Sat	Dec.	3-4	MCC Classic (MCC, Hill, Lon Morris, Navarro)	H
Tue.	"	7	Tyler	H
Thur-Fri	"	16-17	MCC Christmas Classic (MCC, SCC, Temple, Jacksonville)	T
Fri-Sat	Jan.	7-8	Navarro Classic (Corsicana)	T
Sat.	"	15	*Cisco	H
Mon.	"	17	*Weatherford	T
Thur.	"	20	*Cooke	H
Mon.	"	24	*Hill	T
Thur.	"	27	*Ranger	H
Mon.	"	31	*Southwest Christian	T
Thur-Fri	Feb.	3	*Grayson	H
Sat.	"	5	*Cisco	T
Mon.	"	7	*Weatherford	H
Thur.	"	10	*Cooke	T
Mon.	"	14	*Hill	H
Thur.	"	17	*Ranger	T
Mon.	"	21	*Southwest Christian	H
Thurs.	"	24	*Grayson	T
Thur-Fri-Sat	Mar.	3,4,5	Regional V Tournament(Ablilene)	T

* Northern Conference Games
Coach - Johnny Carter
Trainer - Roger Doby

Scoring Points

By Terry Tacker

THE BIGGEST SPORTS STORY of the week was of course the Cincinnati Reds becoming major league baseball's World Champions for the second year in a row. The Red's four-game sweep over New York proves again the superiority of the National League over the American League. The fashion of Cincinnati's wins also proves that the Reds are far ahead of the remaining major league teams. We would like to see a series between today's Reds and the 1972 Oakland Athletics, who boasted players that could compare with Cincinnati. Yankee players believed they played too conservative against the Reds.

"When we would get on base, there was no green light for us to run," said outfielder Mickey Rivers. Someone needs to tell Rivers that you have to get on base first, before stealing a base. New York batted around .230 as a team against Cincy pitching, scoring eight runs in four games. There goes another baseball season. . . . ATTEND AN INTRAMURAL FLAG FOOTBALL GAME TODAY. Games are played Monday, Wednesday and Friday during the activity hour. Defending champions, the Southside Shorthorns look like a team to beat in the men's division. . . . THE PHILADELPHIA 76ers signed Julius Erving for \$3 million, making him the highest paid pro basketball player in history. It seems the 76ers agree with many experts who claim Erving to be the greatest player in the game today. The Eastern Division of the NBA should be a very tight race to the finish with Boston owning Dave Cowens, Jo Jo White, Curtis Rowe, John Havlicek and Sidney Wicks, and the 76ers claiming Erving, George McGinnis, Fred Carter and Doug Collins. . . .

NO LESS THAN SIX TEXAS AGGIES were placed on the professional football scouts list of the best 1976 college players. Baylor placed running back Cleve Franklin, lineman Gary Gregory and defensive back Gary Green on the list. Green was called "a tenacious pass defender" by the experts. . . . BIDDING by major league baseball teams begins shortly for the services of the sport's 26 free agents. The list of the free agents contain many familiar names—Reggie Jackson, Bobby Grich and Wayne Garland, all from Baltimore; Steve Brye and American League fireman of the year Bill Campbell of Minnesota; Bert Campaneris, Don Baylor, Joe Rudi, Gene Tenace and Rollie Fingers of the Oakland Athletics. Cincinnati's Don Gullett, Dave Cash and Wayne Twitchell of Philadelphia and San Francisco's Gary Mathews are a few of the National League free agents. . . . THE EARLIEST DATE for sending bowl invitations for college football teams is after the games of Nov. 20.

This year, for the first time, the Sugar Bowl automatically has the Southeastern Conference champion as the host team. With the Big Ten and Pacific-8 locked into the Rose Bowl, the Big 8 locked into the Orange Bowl and the Southwest Conference into the Cotton Bowl, the chances of an outright confrontation for the national championship appear slim. . . . AT THE MOMENT, center Kareem Abdul-Jabbar is happy with his new coach of the Los Angeles Lakers, Jerry West. "Jerry West is one clever dude. He brings a different approach to the game than Sharmen (former head coach Bill)." The question is can West keep Jabbar happy and win at the same time? . . . IN THE LAST National Basketball Association player cut before the new year, four former Southwest Conference players were involved. Rick Bullock, Texas Tech rookie, was cut by the New York Knicks. Texas Christian ex Eugene "Goo" Kennedy was trimmed by the Denver Nuggets. Arkansas forward Dean Tolson was placed on Seattle's injured reserve list and former Houston player Dwight Davis was placed on Golden State's injured reserve list.



David Sann, Bobby Heath, Mark Knutson and Jack Twedell. Not pictured is medalist Phil Karper.

Golfers First In Tourney

The MCC No. 1 golf team finished first to take the MCC Annual Invitational Tournament at Woodland West Country Club Friday afternoon.

The Highlanders shot 883 on the 54-hole tourney with Highlander Phil Karper firing a 215 for medalist honors. David Sann shot a 220, Mark Knutson carded a 222, and Jack Twedell

finished with a 225 for MCC.

This is the second tournament win in two starts for coach Jimmy Clayton's Highlanders.

Weatherford finished second with 904. MCC's No. 2 team 915, Odessa 943, Temple 954, Baylor's No. 2 team 963, Grayson 970, Northwood 1007 rounded out the field.

Junior College All-Star Game To Be Held Here

Greater Waco Chamber of Commerce directors voted to underwrite a Texas junior college all-star basketball game to be played in Waco at MCC's new fieldhouse April 29.

Jim Evans, chairman of the chamber's sports and recreation committee, said the game will be held to coincide with the annual Waco State Basketball Coaches Clinic. The addition of an all-star game will be "another feather in our cap," he said.

NCAA sanction of the game has yet to be received, but he said he foresees no problems. It is necessary to have an un-

derwriter or sponsor before the sanction can be applied for.

Participants will be two 10-man squads selected from the two junior college regions in Texas, Evans said. Selections among sophomores will be made jointly by junior college coaches and the Waco Chamber of Commerce.

Coaches attending the clinic will buy tickets along with registrations. Expenses for the game of \$5,474 will break even with 1,100 attending, but 1,750 spectators are expected, Evans said. Income is anticipated to be \$7,575.

If this game is successful, a girls all-star game will be considered, Evans said.

Baseballers End Fall Season

The Highlander baseball team split four games with Temple Jr. College Saturday in Temple. The action ended the fall season for the baseballers.

"I was real pleased with our effort throughout the day. Our pitchers and defense played especially well and there was a lot of team spirit and desire. We played in adverse conditions but we came through in great shape," said Coach Rick Butler.

MCC won the first five-inning contest 3-0. Oscar Tibbs won his third one-hitter of the fall season while striking out three and walking one. Tibbs had already defeated Southwestern and Texas Wesleyan by allowing just one hit. Louis Rendon, who has really been hitting the ball well lately, rapped two doubles and batted in one run. Scott Nichol and Glenn Mead each had a single and batted in a run.

TJC came back to take the second game 1-0. Kevin Wiebold suffered the loss, giving up four hits, walking one and striking out one. The Highlanders collected no hits.

Butler played most of his regulars in the third game and the result was a 4-2 MCC win. Ricky Craft gave up three hits and struck out one on his way to victory. Rusty Erwin batted in Rendon with an inside-the-park home run to highlight the Highlanders hitting attack. Nichol and Mead collected two hits each and Doug Hudspeth batted in a run.

Aided by a wild throw in a pick-off attempt by MCC, the Leopards won the fourth game 2-1. Steve Tucker was charged with the unearned run and thus absorbed the loss.

James Sampley and Andy Nesesta collected MCC's only hits in the fourth game.

The Highlanders will now employ their off season program until the spring season begins. Defensive and offensive situations will be worked on as will fundamentals. Handball and paddleball will be played so the Highlanders can remain in shape.

Ram-Ex Schwartz Hustles For Highlanders

By Glenn Vrba

On this year's 1976-77 edition of the MCC Highlander basketball team there is only one local player returning cager Martin Schwartz.

Schwartz was raised from Richfield High School. At Richfield, Schwartz played on the Ram's basketball team and helped the Rams achieve a 28-6 record his senior year.

Coach Johnny Carter showed immediate interest in the lanky, 6'4" prospect after his graduation.

Schwartz talked about his coming to MCC: "I liked basketball and wanted to keep playing. So, Coach Carter introduced me to Vinnie (Johnson), Ed (Marshall) and several of the other players he had already recruited. I liked them and Coach Carter's style of basketball. He is an easy-

going coach and creates a good atmosphere during practice and at games."



Sophomore
Martin Schwartz

Schwartz shared his thoughts about this year's team: "This year we're more coachable, more of a team. Everyone has a good attitude, and we are really

quick. But, most of all, those of us who went to the national tournament last year were really touring. Last year we wanted to get to nationals. This year our goal is to win it."

"Martin is a very dedicated player, and he works real hard.

He has improved his ability since he came here. He has great desire and gives me 100 per cent at all times. What more can I ask of any player," Carter said.

Besides his basketball talents, Schwartz displays a

knowledge of other sports. His love for sports has driven him to become a sports fanatic. He spends much of his time reading current sports news.

Schwartz is a business marketing major and hopes to continue his education at the University of Texas.

Recreational Programs Begin For Fall

The Waco Parks and Recreation Department Athletic Division announces basketball and volleyball as the amateur athletic programs scheduled for fall and winter. These programs are for both men and women interested in forming teams to play in coordinated leagues. There will

be leagues for open teams, church teams and company teams.

Tournament play at regional and state level will be offered. These tournaments are held through a combined effort of the Parks and Recreation and the Texas Amateur Athletic Federati...

For more information about Parks and Recreation athletic activities call Patrick Hittmeier at 753-0237.

Volleyball organizational meeting will be Nov. 8th. The volleyball entry deadline is Nov. 23rd. Meetings will be held at Bledsoe-Miller Community Center at 7 p.m.