

# COMMUNIQUE

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## Journalist's lecture to highlight Black History Month

Bloomsburg will observe Black History Month in February with a series of lectures and discussions.

Renowned print and television journalist Tony Brown, as part of the Provost's Lecture Series, will present a lecture titled "Team America: A Plan for the 1990s," on Thursday, Feb. 3, at 8 p.m. in Gross Auditorium, Carver Hall. He will give a workshop titled "Responsibility in Reporting Social Issues" at 4 p.m. in Gross Auditorium.

A journalist and an investigative reporter for 15 years, Brown writes a newspaper column which is syndicated in over 100 newspapers.

His television series, "Tony Brown's Journal," is seen every week by an audience of five million viewers on more than 240 public television stations. It is the nation's longest-running and top-ranked black affairs series and was selected as one of the top 10 televi-

sion shows of all time that presents positive black images.

The recipient of numerous civic awards, Brown was chosen as one of the "Top 50 National Black News Makers of the Year" by the National Newspaper Publishers Association and one of the "100 Most Influential Black Americans" by *Ebony* magazine.

Brown's role as founder and dean of Howard University's School of Communication is considered one of his most important contributions. Concerned with the shortage of African-Americans in the communication industry, he initiated an annual careers conference at Howard, which remains highly successful in securing jobs for qualified black persons in communications. For his efforts, he received the Frederick Douglass Liberated Award for pioneering the development of the university's new school.

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Tony Brown

## Banquet to honor Martin Luther King

A banquet commemorating Martin Luther King Jr. will be held Thursday, Jan. 27, at 6 p.m. in the Kehr Union Ballroom.

The theme of the banquet, "Creating Ties That Bind," was chosen as a tribute to Dr. King's legacy of brotherhood and unity among all peoples. Featured speakers will be George Agbango, assistant professor and chairperson of the department of political science; Peter Bohling, professor of economics; and Brigitte Callay, professor of languages and cultures.

Entertainment will be provided by the Zion Baptist Church Choir of Wilkes-Barre, directed by Roosevelt Newson, associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences; Bloomsburg University Concert Choir, directed by B. Eric Nelson, assistant professor of music; Bloomsburg Players, directed by Michael Collins, assistant professor of com-

munication studies and director of theater; and Image, advised by Ellen Blamick, instructor of health, physical education and athletics.

The highlight of the banquet will be the presentation of the Martin Luther King Jr. Humanitarian Service Award to the Bloomsburg faculty member whose service to the university best exemplifies the realization of Dr. King's dream.

The banquet is sponsored by the Martin Luther King Day committee, Black History Month committee and Black Cultural Society.

Cost of the banquet is \$11 per person, or \$63 for a table of six. Reservations may be made by contacting Susy Robison, marketing manager for the Scranton Commons, at 4485 by Thursday, Jan. 20.



**COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS** — Pennsylvania State Treasurer Catherine Baker Knoll addresses graduates at Bloomsburg's winter commencement. For story and photos see page 3.

## Black History Month

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In 1985, Brown founded the "Buy Freedom" campaign and, as its chairman, led the campaign to stimulate black businesses and create new jobs.

Brown's first feature film, *The White Girl*, released in 1988, referred simultaneously to the white middle-class lifestyle and to the street name for cocaine. The film was unique for at least one reason: Almost the entire crew of actors, technicians and stage hands were black.

Brown believes that self-hatred is "the essence of most of our social ills." The main character in the film was a "composite of young black people I've met over the last 10 or 15 years. I've run into an army of unhappy, frustrated black students who are not psychologically equipped to deal with white institutions. They've never had the experience of the civil rights struggle. They're lost."

As the recipient of the National Association of Market Developers Communications Award, Tony Brown has, as one writer described him, "consistent wisdom in public affairs, both on TV and in print ... An incisive mind, political acumen, an objective outlook and a deep compassion for the understanding for the needs of black people."

Black History Month events will continue

with a series of lectures which will run from 7 to 9 p.m.

On Tuesday, Feb. 8, there will be a panel discussion titled "African American Contributions to American Culture and Civilization" in the Kehr Union Ballroom. Presenters will include: Bonita Franks, associate professor of curriculum and foundations; Walter Howard, assistant professor of history; Stephen Ekema Agbaw, assistant professor of English; George Agbango, assistant professor of political science. The moderator will be Kambon Camara, assistant professor of psychology.

On Wednesday, Feb. 16, a lecture titled "The Recovery of Africanity: African Americans and Africa, 1954-1994" will be given by William Scott, professor of history and director of the United Negro College Fund/Mellon Foundation Programs at Lehigh University,



William Scott



Earl Picard

Bethlehem. The lecture will be held in McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum.

On Monday, Feb. 21, a lecture titled "African Americans and the Democratic Party" will be given by Earl Picard, professor of political science and director of the International Management Institute at Clark Atlanta University, Atlanta, Ga. The lecture will be held in the Kehr Union Ballroom.

On Monday, Feb. 28, state Rep. Dwight Evans, chairperson of the House Appropriations Committee, Pennsylvania General Assembly, will give a lecture titled "America's 21st Century Agenda: One People With a Common Destiny." The lecture will be held in McCormick Center for Human Services.

## Martin Luther King Day events include lecture by *Ebony* editor

The highlight of Bloomsburg University's observance of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day on Monday, Jan. 17, will be a lecture by Lerone Bennett Jr., executive editor of *Ebony* magazine and an internationally known author.

Bennett will speak at 7 p.m. in Kenneth Gross Auditorium in Carver Hall on "Understanding the Place of Dr. King in History." The overall theme of Bloomsburg's celebration is "Continuing the Struggle for Freedom and Human Dignity."

The day's events will include a candlelight vigil at Carver Hall at noon and a Unity March beginning at 1 p.m. at Carver Hall.

At 1:30 p.m. in the Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room A, there will be a panel discussion and video interview with Derrick Bell, who teaches at New York University of Law.

The discussion will be facilitated by Bruce Rockwood, professor of finance and business law. Bell's books include *Faces at the Bottom of the Well: The Permanence of Racism* and *And We Are Not Saved*.

At 3 p.m., the film *Martin Luther King: From Montgomery to Memphis* will be shown in Haas Auditorium.

Keynote speaker Bennett has been an editor at *Ebony* since 1954. Among Bennett's many books, *What Manner of Man: A Biography of Martin Luther King Jr.*, was awarded the Patron Saints Award of the Society of Midland Authors.

In honor of King, Bloomsburg classes will not meet on Jan. 17. Organizations sponsoring the day's events include the Black Caucus, Program Board, committee on protected class issues and Black Cultural Society.

### COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

Bloomsburg is committed to providing equal educational and employment opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, life-style, sexual orientation, handicap, Vietnam era veteran, or union membership.

The university is additionally committed to affirmative action and will take positive steps to provide such educational and employment opportunities.

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Please submit story ideas, news briefs and calendar information to COMMUNIQUÉ, University Relations and Communication Office, Waller Administration Building, Room 104A Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA 17815. Four-digit phone numbers listed in the COMMUNIQUÉ are on-campus extensions. To use the numbers off-campus, dial 389 first. The area code is 717.

# Tough times teach us to become stronger, says speaker

Baccalaureate degrees were conferred on 594 candidates and 75 master's degrees were awarded at the December commencement convocation.

"You have reached a major achievement," interim president Curt English told the graduates in his opening remarks. "I urge you to help others less fortunate as you leave Bloomsburg."

English cited four elements of success: confidence, getting along with others and learning to work in teams, honesty and the ability to cope with constant and rapid change.

Janice Michaud, a graduating senior and member of the Board of Governors of the State System of Higher Education, challenged her classmates to stop resisting one another. "We need to stop fighting one another. We need to stop alienating one another," said the former president of the Community Government Association. "We need to show the world what Americans can do."

She recalled how racial tensions, the stress of final exams and other "tough times have

taught us how to work together, to become stronger."

Additional student remarks were presented by Matthew Fidler, president of the senior class. "Strive for excellence. Remember, Bloomsburg University only produces quality graduates. You have unlimited opportunities," he said.

Catherine Baker Knoll, treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, delivered the commencement address. "Your graduation may mark the end of your college career, but it is only the beginning of your continuing education and personal development," said the fourth woman to be elected to statewide office in the history of the Commonwealth.

"As students we often think we know it all, but as educated adults, we sometimes feel that the more we learn, the less we really know. Recognizing both our knowledge and our limitations is a sign of maturity and wisdom," said Baker Knoll.

She reminded the graduates that their greatest tests will come in the face of adversity.

"There will be moments of sublime elation and triumph, but there also will be periods of profound disappointment and sorrow. How you accept success and cope with defeat will tell you much about the person you are — and the person you would like to be," she said.

She challenged the graduates not to give up, not to allow themselves to be a victim of forces that appear to be beyond their control. "Be resilient. Be resourceful. Be confident in yourself. But most of all, be persistent," said the woman who ran three times for the office of state treasurer.



Dr. Curtis R. English

"As a woman, I always had to work much harder than my male counterparts," she said. "At times, it was demoralizing, but I never gave up my goals."

In closing, Baker Knoll admonished the audiences to give something back to their communities and to do the right thing. She concluded with remarks originally made by Dr. Harold E. Hyde, president of New Hampshire's Plymouth State College, during a commencement address:

"Know yourself — Socrates. Control yourself — Cicero. Give yourself — Christ."

— Susan M. Schantz



**RECOGNIZING EXCELLENCE** — At the awards luncheon held on commencement day, Howard Macauley, dean of the College of Professional Studies, presents a medallion to Jenelle Rementer for having the highest grade point average in the college. Rementer, of Langhorne, graduated with a bachelor of science degree in early childhood education and elementary education.



## FAREWELL SPEECH —

Janice Michaud, a member of the State System's Board of Governors, addresses the graduating class at Bloomsburg's December commencement. Michaud, of Lawrenceville, N.J., received a bachelor of science degree in secondary education.



**PRESIDENTIAL SEARCH COMMITTEE**

The presidential search committee has tentatively scheduled on-campus visits with three to five finalist candidates for the first two weeks of February. Shown from left are search committee members and the constituencies they represent. First row: David Minderhout, professor of anthropology, faculty; John J. Haggerty, trustee; James T. Atherton, trustee; Pamela Wynn, associate professor of management, faculty; Earl McGuire III, students. Second row: Rosemary McGrady, mail room supervisor, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees; Gail Zurick, trustee;

Nancy Edwards, alumni; Aaron Polonsky, assistant professor of library acquisitions/ collection development, faculty; Anita Lamar Hakim, secretary to the committee; Lynda Michaels, residence director of Lycoming Residence Hall, State College and University Professional Association; Edward P. Kelley Jr., vice chancellor for employee and labor relations, State System; Tony Ianiero, interim vice president for university advancement, management; David McFarland, president of Kutztown University; Ronald Stead, consultant, Academic Search Consultation Service.

# Trustees endorse investment plan for Foundation, CGA

At its December meeting, the Council of Trustees endorsed the intention of the Community Government Association, Inc. and the Bloomsburg University Foundation, Inc. to invest part of the monies in their investment portfolio with The Common Fund.

"We plan to take 50 percent of the \$8.4 million portfolio and invest it in this non-profit membership investment organization operated by and for some 1,300 member colleges universities and independent schools," said Robert Parrish, vice president for administration.

The Bloomsburg funds have been invested through the state and returns have dropped to 6.5 percent compared to returns of 26.5 percent earned by The Common Fund last year. "We will be cautious and prudent. We are eager to take advantage of the fund's most attractive return on investment," Parrish said.

The Common Fund was organized in 1971 and currently is the largest pool of educational endowment and operating funds in the world. There are more than \$15 billion in assets under management.

In other business, the trustees voted to

waive the \$2 academic transcript fee for all seniors participating in the pilot outcomes assessment program. The waiver applies to requests for five or fewer transcripts. It is expected about 100 students will take part in the study.

Kevin O'Connor, president, indicated the trustees would conclude all public meetings with a period for public comment. This procedure is in compliance with newly instituted regulations of the Sunshine Law.

O'Connor announced he had received communication from various campus constituencies requesting the chairperson convey to the chancellor their desire to retain Interim President Curt English in the permanent position of president. "I hope the new president is as effective as you've been the past few months," O'Connor told English as he agreed to honor the request.

Trustee John McDaniel introduced a motion to recognize and endorse the service of Thomas Davies Jr., associate professor/administrator serving in the capacity of director of career development. Davies retired Dec. 24. He completed 38 years in education, 29

of which were at Bloomsburg. "He has guided many students and has done a tremendous job," McDaniel said.

Jennie Carpenter, interim vice president for student life, and the trustees expressed their pride in the women's field hockey and men's cross-country teams. The field hockey team captured its 5th national championship in 11 years under coach Jan Hutchinson. Coach Lanny Connor led the men's cross-country team to qualify for the national championships. Both coaches were named Coach of the Year by the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference.

Doug Hippenstiel, director of alumni af-



Jan Hutchinson



Lanny Connor

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# Town-gown committee planning community event

The Bloomsburg town-gown committee met in December to discuss a number of priority topics and endorse a proposal to hold a "Meet Your Neighbor Day."

Co-chairs of the committee, mayor-elect Dan Bauman and interim vice president for university advancement Tony Ianiero, mutually established agenda topics which included off-campus security and safety, campus parking and construction, alcohol and partying and communication.

**"We'd like to see a day which  
heightens awareness of community."**

— Marie Conley

Marie Conley, a senior representing the executive board of the university's Community Government Association, proposed the committee sponsor a "Meet Your Neighbor Day" in April. "We'd like to see a day which heightens awareness of community. This could open lines of communication between town residents and student neighbors," she said. "We're not expecting miracles, just an opportunity to establish a rapport."

Larry Smith, chief of the town police, supported Conley's suggestion. He requested the committee sponsor the event in April and again annually in September. "I think this is an excellent program to have when the students return in the fall and are moving in to neighborhoods," he said.

Bauman and Ianiero will appoint a task force of town and university representatives to plan the events.

Conley also expressed student concerns related to off-campus safety and security. She acknowledged students need to take responsibility for their safety and security. She told committee members the CGA plans an aggressive letter-writing campaign to off-campus students. The letters will outline recommended off-campus safety precautions.

Bauman indicated he plans to add more police foot-patrols after he takes office in January.

Robert Parrish, vice president for administration, presented a brief report on campus parking and construction. "Because of all the construction, commuter student parking is temporarily a major problem," he said. "Despite the recent addition of two new commuter parking lots, with about 80 new spaces, there is a temporary net loss of spaces due to

construction. We have 11 construction projects and 15 contractors on campus. It's going to take time and patience to work through the problems created by these projects."

Parrish explained the town-university's joint project to install new storm sewers on College Hill and Second Street continues to run behind schedule. Concern was expressed that the contractor was not able to pave the streets before winter.

Parrish indicated he is investigating loud noises related to the recently installed boiler on campus. Town officials said they have received complaints about excessive noise. Parrish felt the problem could be resolved and will report back to the committee at its next meeting.

A lengthy discussion on parking problems near the campus led to the decision to seek a legal opinion. Town members would like the university to expand its policy prohibiting non-commuting freshmen from having a vehicle on-campus to off-campus as well. University officials expressed concern they would not legally be able to enforce such a restriction. A legal opinion will be sought. "Extending the prohibition to off-campus would free-up badly needed parking spaces near the campus," Smith said.

There was a general consensus among committee members that the new landlord ordinance will help reduce incidents related to alcohol and partying which disturb town residents. The policy requires landlords to be licensed and ties the loss of license to the behavior of their tenants. Conley said students felt the ordinance would make landlords "more responsible and more receptive to tenant needs."

Conley said the CGA is deeply concerned about alcohol-related problems. As part of their on-going awareness program, the CGA plans to conduct an extensive letter-writing campaign aimed at on and off-campus students. "We want them to be aware of the problems related to excessive alcohol use and encourage them to be more responsible and respectful to the community in which they live," Conley said.

"We support what the police do with regard to alcohol violations and complaints related to loud parties," said Jennie Carpenter, interim vice president for student life. "When our students are cited for violations

downtown, they are also disciplined on campus."

Town resident Katy Miller expressed her long-standing frustration regarding excessive noise and vandalism on the part of some of her student neighbors. "We had to file criminal charges before anything was done," she said.

Time constraints limited discussion on communication issues. Jerry Depo, town manager, expressed a desire to raise issues publicly to foster better understanding. There was unanimous agreement that effective communication was central to the success of the committee's work.

The committee will meet again in January.

— Susan M. Schantz

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## Trustees

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fairs, presented the university advancement report in the absence of Tony Ianiero, interim vice president. Hippenstiel told the trustees an advisory group on marketing has been meeting regularly to develop marketing strategies for the university. The group will work closely with the planning and budget committee.

At the invitation of Taiwan graduates of Bloomsburg's master of business administration program, Hippenstiel, Carol Matteson, interim provost, and John Olivo, interim dean, College of Business, recently traveled to Taiwan to organize the first international alumni chapter. "It was a good meeting and there is great potential for future support for Bloomsburg," Hippenstiel said.

He explained there are 65 MBA alumni in Taiwan. As a result of the visit, several Taiwanese business persons have agreed to underwrite the cost of airfare and housing for undergraduate student exchange and internship programs. "This gives our students a tremendous advantage," Hippenstiel said.

English reported the five-year Middle States periodic review is under way. "The various committees are hard at work. I am confident we will submit a quality report on schedule," English said.

— Susan M. Schantz

## Spring holidays listed

Occasionally students request exemptions from class attendance and other university obligations for purposes of religious observance. University personnel may be unsure as to which holy days may merit excusable absence. The following listing specifies those holy days of the major world religions from which observance may require a student to depart from his/her normal routine at the university. An asterisk (\*) indicates days on which members of a faith group may be absent if those days are not general holidays. The following information was released by the affirmative action office:

### Key to religious groups

B — Buddhist  
C — Christian (general)  
I — Islamic  
Ja — Jain  
O — Eastern Orthodox  
RC — Roman Catholic

Ba — Baha'i  
H — Hindu  
J — Jewish  
M — Mormon  
P — Protestant  
S — Sikh

### January

17 — Benjamin Franklin's Birthday; Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday (observed)

### February

Black History Month  
8 — Scout Day  
10 — Chinese New Year (Year of the Dog)  
12 — Ramadan (30 days) - I; Benjamin Franklin's Birthday  
14 — St. Valentine's Day  
15 — \*Nehan-e (Death of Buddha) — B; Vasant Panchami (Advent of Spring) — H, Ja; Susan B. Anthony's Birthday  
16 — Ash Wednesday - P, RC  
20-26 — Brotherhood/Sisterhood Week  
21 — George Washington's Birthday (observed)  
25 — Purim (Lots) - J

### March

Women's History Month  
5 — Crispus Attucks Day  
10 — Harriet Tubman Day  
14 — Eastern Orthodox Lent begins - O; Idul-Fitr (End of Ramadan) - I  
17 — St. Patrick's Day - C  
21 — Higan-e (First day of spring) — B; \* Naw-Ruz (Baha'i and Iranian New Year)  
25 — Annunciation - C  
27 — Palm Sunday - P, RC; \*First day of Passover (8 days) - J; Holi (Spring Festival) - H, Ja  
31 — Maunday Thursday - P, RC  
March-April — Mahavir Jayanti

(Birth of Mahavir) - Ja (Date depends on lunar calendar)

### April

1 — Good Friday - P, RC  
3 — Easter - P, RC  
8 — \* Hanamatsuri (Birth of Buddha) — B; Yom Hashoah (Holocaust Remembrance Day) - J  
13 — \* Baisakhi (Brotherhood) - S; Huguenot Day - P  
16 — Yom Ha'atzmaut (Israel Independence Day) - J  
20 — \* Ramavani (Birth of Rama) - H  
21 — \* Ridvan (Declaration of Baha'u'llah, 12 Days) - Ba  
24 — Armenian Martyr's Day; Palm Sunday - O  
29 — Holy Friday - O

### May

1 — Easter - O  
5 — Cinco de Mayo  
13 — Ascension Day - P, RC  
16/17 — \* Shavuot (Weeks) - J  
21 — Idul-Adha (Day of Sacrifice) - I  
22 — Pentecost - P, RC  
23 — Victoria Day (Canada)  
30 — Memorial Day

### June

9 — Ascension Day - O  
10 — Muharram (Islamic New Year) - I; Ratha-yatra (Hindu New Year) - H  
12 — Anne Frank Day  
14 — Flag Day  
19 — Pentecost - O  
24 — Nativity of St. John the Baptist - P, RC

## News briefs

■ The Secretarial Roundtable and the office of human resources and labor relations are sponsoring two workshops to help employees covered by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees learn more about their health and welfare benefits.

The Secretarial Roundtable is sponsoring a session on Wednesday, Jan. 26, from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. in McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum. The office of human resources and labor relations is sponsoring a session on Jan. 26 from 1 to 2 p.m. in the Forum.

The facilitator for the programs will be Joseph Kleman, representing the Pennsylvania Public Employees Health and Welfare Fund. Health and welfare benefits include vision, dental, hearing and prescription drug benefits.

To register, contact Deb Schell, secretary for developmental instruction, at 4492, or Bob Wislock, training specialist, at 4414.

■ Thomas A. Davies, recently retired director of the career development center, was honored during the annual December awards luncheon in recognition of his 28 years of service at Bloomsburg.

A plaque was presented on behalf of Bloomsburg students by John Trathen, director of student activities and the Kehr Union. "You are sincerely loved by everybody here and we will miss you dearly," Trathen said.

"This is the first time in my life I've ever been speechless," Davies said. "These are the greatest kids in the world." In his remarks, Davies told the graduating seniors being recognized for academic, leadership and service achievements to learn to know the "art" as well as the science of their chosen professions. "Remember to love people," he said.

## Husky Club and Magee's sponsor blues concert on Jan. 20

Queen Bee and the Blue Hornet Band, one of the East Coast's most popular blues bands, will perform Thursday, Jan. 20, at 9:30 p.m. at Magee's Main Street Inn, Bloomsburg. The concert is sponsored by the Bloomsburg University Husky Club and Magee's.

Queen Bee and the Blue Hornet Band has recorded four albums, and their most recent release, *Dealin' the Blues*, has reached #19 on the international blues airplay charts. The album has also been nominated for a Grammy for Contemporary Blues Album of the Year. The State College-based band com-

pleted a European tour last summer.

Tickets for the event are \$5 per person. Individuals must be at least 21 years of age. Advance tickets are available at the Kehr Union Information Desk and Magee's Main Street Inn. For more information, telephone 4413 or 4128.

## Correction

The titles of Bernice Long and Ann Mariano were listed incorrectly on page 3 of the Dec. 9, issue of *Communiqué*. Long and Mariano should have been identified as secretaries.

## Eight new faculty appointed to tenure-track positions

At their December meeting, the Council of Trustees noted the appointments of eight faculty members to full-time, tenure track positions.

•Solange Garcia-Moll, formerly of New London, Conn., has been named assistant professor of languages and cultures. Garcia-Moll previously served as an instructor at Saint Joseph's University in Philadelphia.

She holds bachelor's and master's degrees in Spanish from the University of Puerto Rico and a doctorate in Spanish literature from Temple University in Philadelphia.

•Margie Eckroth-Bucher of Nescopeck has been named instructor of nursing. Most recently, she served as a charge nurse/supervisor for Stat Nurse, Inc. located in Berwick.

She holds a bachelor's degree in nursing from Wilkes University in Wilkes-Barre, a master's degree in psychiatric nursing from the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia and a certificate in nursing management from The Pennsylvania State University Schuylkill Campus in Schuylkill Haven.

•Robert Gates, formerly of Milo, Maine, has been named assistant professor of curriculum and foundations. For the past nine years, he served as principal of Penquis Valley High School in Orono, Maine.

Gates holds a bachelor's degree in English from the University of Maine at Farmington; a master's degree in social sciences and a doctorate in educational administration, both from the University of Louisville in Louisville, Ky.

•William Green of Danville has been appointed assistant professor of mass communications. For the past two academic years, he served in a temporary position as associate professor of mass communications at Bloomsburg.

Green holds a bachelor's degree in English literature from Heidelberg College in Tiffin, Ohio. He earned his master's degree and doctorate in En-

glish literature from the University of Toledo in Toledo, Ohio.

•Fredda Massari-Novak of Berwick has been named an instructor of nursing. For the past two years, she served as an instructor at Saint Luke's School of Nursing in Bethlehem.

She holds a bachelor's degree in nursing from Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C. and a master's degree in nursing from Allentown College of Saint Francis de Sales in Center Valley, Pa.

•Susan Ross, formerly of Springfield, Mass., has been appointed assistant professor of nursing. For the past 11 years, Ross served as an assistant professor at American International College in Springfield, Mass.

She holds a bachelor's degree in psychology from Wilson College in Chambersburg and a bachelor's degree in nursing from Columbia University in New York City. She earned her master's degree in child nursing from the University of Utah in Salt Lake City.

•Timothy Rumbough, formerly of Tallahassee, Fla., has been appointed assistant professor of communication studies. Most recently, he served as coordinator of public speaking at Florida State University in Tallahassee.

Rumbough holds bachelor's and master's degrees in speech from the University of Central Florida in Orlando.

•Viola Supon of Sugarloaf has been named assistant professor of curriculum and foundations. She was employed in the same position in a temporary capacity during the 1992-93 academic year.

Supon holds a bachelor's degree in elementary education from Bloomsburg University, a master's degree in elementary education from Trenton State College in Trenton, N.J., and a doctorate in vocational education from Temple University in Philadelphia.



**FOOD DRIVE WORKERS** — Bloomsburg University employees nearly doubled their contributions to the annual holiday food drive held in November and December as compared to 1992. More than 1,600 food items were collected, helping 15 families from the region. Shown from left are employees who helped with the drive: Linda Long, secretary in the alumni affairs office; Debbie Schell, secretary in the department of developmental instruction; Bonita Rhone, payroll manager; Cindy Hack, secretary in the department of business education and office administration; Dang Labelle, storeroom clerk; Bob Wislock, employee training specialist; and Audra Halye, secretary in budget and administrative services.

### Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

December 1993

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Vandalism	2	0
Disorderly Conduct	4	2
Liquor Law Violations	0	0
Public Drunkenness	1	1
Sexual Offenses	0	0
Rape	0	0
Drug Violations	0	0
Simple Assaults	0	0
Aggravated Assaults	1	1
Murder	0	0
Arson	0	0
Weapons Possession	0	0
DUI	1	1
Vagrancy	0	0
Robbery/Burglary	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Theft From Buildings	12	0
Theft From Vehicles	1	0
Other Thefts	0	0

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** During winter months, carry a survival kit in your vehicle. Include a blanket, flashlight, candles and matches, shovel, salt/cinders and non-perishable food.

# Calendar

## Friday, January 14

◆ Wrestling hosts Clarion, Nelson Field House, 7:30 p.m.

## Saturday, January 15

◆ Women's basketball hosts Pitt-Johnstown, Nelson Field House, 6 p.m.

◆ Men's basketball hosts Mercyhurst, Nelson Field House, 8 p.m.

## Monday, January 17

◆ Martin L. King Day—no classes.

◆ Candlelight vigil, Carver Hall, front steps, noon.

◆ Unity March, beginning at Carver Hall, 1 p.m.

◆ Panel discussion and video interview with Derrick Bell, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room A, 1:30 p.m.

◆ Film, *Martin Luther King: From Montgomery to Memphis*, Haas Auditorium, 3 p.m.

◆ Men's and women's swimming hosts Indiana (Pa.), Nelson Field House, 2 p.m.

◆ Lecture—Lerone Bennett Jr., editor of *Ebony* magazine, "Understanding the Place of Dr. King in History," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 7 p.m.

◆ Men's basketball hosts District of Columbia, Nelson Field House, 7:30 p.m.

## Tuesday, January 18

◆ Classes begin at 8 a.m.

## Wednesday, January 19

◆ Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee (BUCC) meeting, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.

## Thursday, January 20

◆ Art Exhibit—paintings by Barbara Strohman/computer art by Gary Clark, Haas Center for the Arts, Haas Gallery, through Feb. 25.

## Wednesday, January 26

◆ Celebrity Artist Series—New York City Opera National Company presents "Madame Butterfly," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 8 p.m.

◆ Women's basketball hosts Mansfield, Nelson Field House, 6 p.m.

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# New York City Opera to perform 'Madame Butterfly' Jan. 26

The New York City Opera National Company will perform "Madame Butterfly" at Bloomsburg on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 8 p.m. in Mitrani Hall. The performance is part of Bloomsburg's Celebrity Artist Series.

The opera will be sung in Italian, with English supertitles projected above the stage.

Set in Japan at the turn of the century, the opera is the tale of a young Japanese girl, Cio-Cio-San (better known as Madame Butterfly), who renounces family and religion in order to become the bride of a handsome American lieutenant, Benjamin Franklin Pinkerton.

Eager to embrace the customs of her husband's country, Cio-Cio-San's faith in Pinkerton remains unshaken even throughout his ensuing three-year absence, though everyone around her insists that he had regarded the marriage as only a temporary

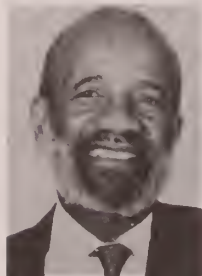
diversion. When the lieutenant finally returns to Japan, he brings with him his American wife — whom he considers his real "wife."

To add to her anguish, Pinkerton wants Cio-Cio-San to give him the son that she bore him after his departure. Shunned by her own people and facing the loss of her child, Cio-Cio-San ends her life.

Based on a play by American impresario David Belasco and John Luther Long, "Madame Butterfly" was a labor of love for composer Giacomo Puccini.

He spent three years of painstaking effort on the work. In that time he researched Japanese musical styles, consulted with a well-known Japanese actress and incorporated authentic folk melodies into the opera.

For more information, call 4409.



Lerone Bennett Jr.

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◆ Martin Luther King Commemorative Banquet, Kehr Union Ballroom. Tickets required. For information call 4638.

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◆ Men's basketball hosts West Chester, Nelson Field House, 8 p.m.

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## Thursday, February 3

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## Saturday, February 5

◆ Men's and women's swimming host West Chester, Nelson Field House, 1 p.m.

## Sunday, February 6

◆ Chamber Music Recital, Carver Hall,

## Sunday, February 6 (continued)

Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 2:30 p.m. Admission is free.

## Monday, February 7

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◆ Men's basketball hosts Pitt-Johnstown, Nelson Field House, 8 p.m.

## Tuesday, February 8

◆ Black History Month — Panel discussion, "African American Contributions to American Culture and Civilization," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

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## Employees brave week of frigid weather to clear snow

The one-two punch of heavy snowfall followed by a blast of frigid air from the arctic circle kept Bloomsburg University officially closed for much of the week of Jan. 17. However, scores of university employees — essential personnel such as police officers, grounds crew and equipment operators — braved slick streets and freezing weather to get the job done.

Because of heavy snowfall, nearly two-feet when it finally stopped, the university closed at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 17, and was closed on Tuesday, Jan. 18.

Later in the week, arctic air blasted the state, increasing demand on electricity for heating. Complying with Gov. Robert Casey's call to conserve energy, Bloomsburg closed Wednesday, Jan. 19, at 3 p.m. and remained closed on Thursday and Friday.

"Our people did a great job," says Robert Parrish, vice president of administration. "The snow crew operation and the custodians who helped out did an excellent job given the snow fall of record-breaking proportions. I also want to recognize the volunteers from other trades who came in and helped."

Interim president Curt English was impressed by the team work exhibited by employees during the emergency. "I'm proud of the way employees worked together during a difficult time. They are to be commended for their dedication. Many worked long hours under difficult circumstances and we are very grateful for their efforts."

Heaps of snow were only half of the challenge university workers faced in the week. Cold — cold so bitter that the Governor declared a state of a emergency — was no friend to people, equipment or buildings.

"We worked the whole week," says Tom Messinger, director of maintenance and energy management.

Early in the week, snow removal was top priority, says Messinger. Later in the week crews would have to repair and clean up as the cold took its toll on buildings.

"We had frozen pipes all over the place because of the excessive cold," says Messinger. Workers had to repair roof leaks caused by snow and ice blocking gutters.

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**SWEEPING SNOW** — Stanley Bankes of the university's grounds crew was one of the many employees who worked to clear campus sidewalks, streets and parking lots of nearly two-feet of snow during the week of Jan. 17.

## News briefs

■ Employees will have the opportunity to examine their personnel records on Wednesday, Feb. 9, from 10 to 11 a.m. or from 1 to 2 p.m. in Waller Administration Building, Room 140.

Jim Michael, assistant director of human resources and labor relations, will be available to answer questions or address concerns employees may have about their files. To ensure that ample time is available for employees to ask questions, each session is limited to 15 people.

To reserve a time to review and update your files, call 4414 by Friday, Feb. 4.

■ Employees are invited to a human resources and labor relations forum on Thursday, Feb. 17, from noon to 1 p.m. in McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum.

Margaret Manning, director of human resources and labor relations, will answer questions on topics such as labor relations, payroll, benefits, safety, classification and training.

Employees are invited to bring their lunch with them. To enroll in the forum, call 4414 by Monday Feb. 14.

### COMMUNIQUÉ

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Bloomsburg is committed to providing equal educational and employment opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, life-style, sexual orientation, handicap, Vietnam era veteran, or union membership.

The university is additionally committed to affirmative action and will take positive steps to provide such educational and employment opportunities.

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## New Multicultural Center to be dedicated Jan. 31

Bloomsburg will dedicate its Multicultural Center on Monday, Jan. 31, at 2 p.m.

Located in the former President's Lounge of the Kehr Union, the Multicultural Center will sponsor and cosponsor programs which focus on the contributions of those Americans who represent diverse cultures at Bloomsburg.

The keynote speaker for the dedication will be Byron A. Wiley, State System director of social equity. Roosevelt Newson, associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, will open the dedication. Newson chaired a 30-person task force which made recommendations to the provost regarding the establishment of the center. Other speakers will include Curt English, interim president; Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president for academic affairs; Jennie Carpenter, interim vice president for student life; and John Leh, president of the Community Government Association.

"The cooperative effort between academic affairs and student life gives our center a dual focus which we believe is crucial for its success," says Matteson. The program will include a

reading of Maya Angelou's presidential inaugural poem, "On the Pulse of the Morning," by various student organizations. Refreshments will follow the ceremony.

Marcei Woods, coordinator of minority student affairs, has been named interim director of the Multicultural Center. A search will be conducted for a permanent director.

The mission of the Multicultural Center is multifaceted. It will provide students from diverse cultures with opportunities to develop a stronger self image through increased self-awareness of themselves and others. The center will also provide all Bloomsburg students with opportunities to increase the knowledge of and respect for different cultures. By increasing knowledge, the center will help create a community which is more tolerant and accepting of people with different cultures.

Among the first events scheduled to take place in the Multicultural Center itself are screenings of Provost's Lecture Series speaker Tony Brown's film "The White Girl." The film will be shown on Monday, Jan. 31, and Tuesday, Feb. 1, at 5 and 7 p.m.

## Russell A. George, custodian supervisor, dies Jan. 21

Russell A. George Jr., 61, of Berwick, R.R. 2, died late Friday evening, Jan. 21, at Geisinger Medical Center, where he was a patient for 12 days. He was ill for two months.

Born Jan. 21, 1933, in Slocum, he was the son of the late Russell A. Sr. and Louise Stewart George.

He was a custodian supervisor at Bloomsburg, where he had worked for 22 years. George was previously employed as a supervisor at Cabinet Industries, Danville.

Surviving are his wife, the former Renna Paden, with whom he celebrated a 38th wedding anniversary on April 9; daughters, Mrs. Andrew (Sharon) Barnes, Almedia; Mrs. Thomas (Michele) Burke, Nescopeck; three grandchildren and a brother, Lawrence George of Lightstreet.

A sister, Ethel Ruth, died in 1985. Burial was in Pine Grove Cemetery, Walnut Street, Berwick.

# Tony Brown lecture to kick off Black History Month events

Bloomsburg's observance of Black History Month in February will begin with a lecture by renowned print and television journalist Tony Brown.

As part of the Provost's Lecture Series, Brown will present a lecture titled "Team America: A Plan for the '90s," on Thursday, Feb. 3, at 8 p.m. in Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. He will give a workshop titled "Responsibility in Reporting Social Issues" at 4 p.m. in Gross Auditorium.

Brown's film "The White Girl," will be shown on Monday, Jan. 31, and Tuesday, Feb. 1, in Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, at 5 and 7 p.m. each day.

A journalist and an investigative reporter for 15 years, Brown writes a newspaper column which is syndicated in over 100 newspapers.

Histelevisonseries, "Tony Brown's Journal," is seen every week by an audience of five million viewers on more than 240 public television stations. It is the nation's longest-running and top-ranked black affairs series and was selected as one of the top 10 television shows of all time that presents positive black images.

Black History Month events will continue with a series of lectures which will run from 7 to 9 p.m.

On Tuesday, Feb. 8, a panel discussion will feature "African American Contributions to American Culture and Civilization" in the Kehr Union

Ballroom. Presenters will include: Bonita Franks, associate professor of curriculum and foundations; Walter Howard, assistant professor of history; Stephen Ekema Agbaw, assistant professor of English; George Agbango, assistant professor of political science. The moderator will be Kambon Camara, assistant professor of psychology.

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## New Jack Scholars to give history lesson Feb. 8

Bloomsburg University will host "New Jack Scholars: Hip-Hop History" on Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 8 p.m. in the Kehr Union Ballroom. Sponsored by Bloomsburg's Program Board, the presentation is free and open to the public.

Taking the name "New Jack" from urban African-American vernacular for "up and coming talent," the New Jack Scholars call themselves "knowledge gangsters." They blend a Pan-

African nationalist philosophy and contemporary popular culture to create a blend of information and entertainment.

## Correction

Debbie Stolz, administrative assistant for the College of Business, was incorrectly identified as Cindy Hack in a cutline on page 7 of the Jan. 13 issue of *Communique*.

## Campus notes

**Salim Qureshi**, associate professor of marketing, and **Charles Hoppel**, associate professor of computer and information systems, have written a paper titled "Profiling Computer Dispositions" which has been accepted for publication in the fall 1995 issue of the *Journal of Professional Services Marketing*.

**Mehdi Haririan**, associate professor of economics, presented a paper titled "A Non-Accelerating Price Level for Necessities During Initial Marketization Period in the Former Socialist Countries" at the 63rd annual conference of the Southern Economic Association held recently in New Orleans, La. At the conference, he also chaired a session titled "Economic Fluctuations" and was a discussant for a session titled "Trade Reforms."

**Egerton Osunde**, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, presented two papers at the 73rd Annual Conference of the National Council for the Social Studies held recently in Nashville, Tenn. One of the papers, titled "The Persisting and Common Stereotypes in the Teaching of Content on Africa in Public Schools in the United States: A Study of Pre-service Social Studies Teachers," was co-written and jointly presented with Neil Brown, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, and Josiah Tlou, associate professor of curriculum and instruction at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University in Blacksburg.

## Cold

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Even with office and classroom buildings closed, simply providing heat to campus was a challenge.

"We have been hauling coal from the upper campus because our outside suppliers couldn't get it to us," says Parrish. Area coal breakers wouldn't work, and stored piles of coal were often frozen solid, he explains. "Heating plant personnel sprayed steam on the frozen coal so it would go through the feeding mechanisms of the boilers.

"In those extreme temperatures, even with all four boilers running, we had difficulty maintaining the desired heating level in high-rise buildings like Elwell and Columbia halls," says Parrish. "We were burning a record 60 tons of coal a day."

Even with the snow cleared, and the cold spell over, the cleanup continued for maintenance crews last Monday.

"We have 12-foot-long icicles hanging from the roof of Old Science Hall which have to be removed," says Messinger.

At *Communique* press time, crews were once again removing fresh-fallen snow from campus roadways.

— Eric Foster

# Calendar

## Thursday, January 27

- ◆ Art exhibit, works by Gary Clark and Barbara Strohmman, Haas Gallery, Haas Center for the Arts, through Feb. 25.
- ◆ Martin Luther King Commemorative Banquet, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 6 p.m. Tickets required. For information, call 4638.
- ◆ Film, "Malice," Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

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## Tuesday, February 1

- ◆ Film, Tony Brown's "The White Girl," Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 5 and 7 p.m.
- ◆ Sound Stage with Jane and Julia (folk rock), Kehr Union, Hideaway, 8 p.m.

## Wednesday, February 2

- ◆ Blood drive, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- ◆ Forum meeting, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.
- ◆ African and American Dance Workshop, Kehr Union, Hideaway, 6:30 p.m. (No partners needed.)
- ◆ Film, "Cool Runnings," Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Thursday, February 3

- ◆ Blood drive, Kehr Union Ballroom, 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- ◆ Artists's reception for Barbara Strohmman and Gary Clark, noon, Haas Gallery, Haas Center for the Arts.
- ◆ Provost's Lecture Series Workshop—Tony Brown, "Responsibility in Reporting Social Issues," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 4 p.m.

# Musical satire *Forbidden Broadway* coming to Bloomsburg Feb. 8

The Broadway satire *Forbidden Broadway: Volume II*, will perform on Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 8 p.m. in Mitrani Hall.

Every year, Gerard Alessandrini updates his scathing homage to Broadway's hottest musicals. Now in its triumphant 10th year off-Broadway, the show's targets include *Miss Saigon*, *Grand Hotel*, *Camelot*, *Guys and Dolls* ("I know I've seen this show before, in a high school gym or a basement floor."), *The Goodbye Girl* (Bernadette Peters is skewered as the "good cry girl"), and the venerable *Phantom of the Opera* (in which star Michael Crawford's once high, crackly voice is now a dramatically altered basso profundo).

Also on the burner are Julie Andrews doing a painful "I Couldn't Hit That Note" (to

the tune of *My Fair Lady's* "I Could Have Danced All Night"); Robert Preston (*The Music Man*); and Tommy Tune, as well as sendups of Broadway grande dames Ethel Merman and Mary Martin. Back from past shows are *Les Miserables*, *Evita* and *Annie*.

"Pretension, pomposity and sheer star power are always ready for a comeuppance," writes *New York Times* critic Mel Gussow of the show.

The *New York Post's* Clive Barnes calls *Forbidden Broadway* "One of the very best shows, with one of the very best casts, on Broadway, off-Broadway, under Broadway, or even two or three avenues to the right of Broadway."

Tickets are \$15 and \$10 and are available by calling 4409.

## Thursday, February 3 (continued)

- ◆ Provost's Lecture Series—Tony Brown, "Team America: A Strategic Plan for the '90s," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 8 p.m.

## Friday, February 4

- ◆ Rap concert, "A Tribe Called Quest" and "De La Soul," Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts, 9 p.m. General admission tickets are \$15 with a Community Activities Sticker and \$17.50 for others and are available at the Kehr Union Information Desk.

## Saturday, February 5

- ◆ Men's and women's swimming host West Chester, Nelson Field House, 1 p.m.
- ◆ Film, "Cool Runnings," Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts, 7 and 9:30 p.m.
- ◆ Chamber Music Recital, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 2:30 p.m. Admission is free.

- ◆ Film, "Cool Runnings," Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts, 7 p.m.

## Monday, February 7

- ◆ Women's basketball hosts Susquehanna, Nelson Field House, 6 p.m.
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## Tuesday, February 8

- ◆ Black History Month — Panel

## Tuesday, February 8 (continued)

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- ◆ Middle Eastern Dance Workshop, Kehr Union, Hideaway, 6:30 p.m. (No partners needed.)

- ◆ Film, "Rudy," Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Thursday, February 10

- ◆ New Jack Scholars: African and African-American History, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 8 p.m.

## Friday, February 10

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## Saturday, February 12

- ◆ Wrestling hosts Bloomsburg Duals, Nelson Field House, 9 a.m.
- ◆ Women's basketball hosts Kutztown, Nelson Field House, 6 p.m.
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## Varied program celebrates Women's History Month

Observance of Women's History Month at Bloomsburg this March might be described as a smorgasbord.

Women's contributions to the world will be celebrated by lectures, art exhibits, films, discussion and a dance.

"Too often in the history of our nation, women's work, women's truth, women's history and women's voices have been muted and misinterpreted, producing inaccurate accounts of women's lives," says Kara Shultz, assistant professor of communication studies and chairperson of the Women's History Month Committee. "We want to give people the opportunity to explore women's issues such as health, and to be exposed to women's contributions in art, philosophy, film, history, literature, etc. And so with women's history month, we have attempted to offer a great deal of variety across the spectrum of women's lives."

The theme of this year's national Women's History Month is "In Every Generation, Action Frees Our Dreams."

A highlight of the observance will be talks by filmmaker and writer Elena Featherston as part of the Provost's Lecture Series on Thursday, March 10. Featherston will give a workshop titled "Sex, Lies and Stereotypes: Images in the Media," in Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, at 4 p.m. At 8 p.m., she will give a lecture titled "Women's Rights as Human Rights" in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

Featherston's writing has appeared in *San Francisco FOCUS Magazine*, *Women of Power Magazine*, *Black International Cinema Journal*, and the books *Coming Into Our Fullness* and *Sexual Harassment: Women Speak Out!*. Her book, *Skin Deep: Women on Race and Color in America*, will be published by The Crossing Press this year.

She is the producer and director of the award-winning documentary "Alice Walker: Visions of the Spirit."

On Monday, March 14, feminist poet Melanie Kaye/Kantrowitz will use her poetry to explore issues from a Jewish activist perspective during a presentation in Hartline Science Center, Kuster Auditorium, 4 to 5:30 p.m. A nationally-known speaker, Kaye/Kantrowitz is the executive director of Jews for Racial and Economic Justice. She is the author of *The Issue Is Power: Essays on Women, Jews, Violence and Resistance* and *My Jewish Face and Other Stories*. An early teacher of women's studies, Kaye/Kantrowitz has taught on the undergraduate and graduate level at universities across the country.

Shultz stresses that the Women's History Month events are not for women only. "One of the reasons they established Women's History Month is historically we don't have a very good record of women's contributions to society," says Shultz. "I encourage everyone to come to these events so they can learn more."

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**SPEAKER FOR WOMEN'S RIGHTS** — Writer and filmmaker Elena Featherston will speak for Women's History Month as part of the Provost's Lecture Series.

## Presidential candidates to visit campus

The Presidential Search Committee has invited four outstanding candidates to visit the campus and the greater Bloomsburg community.

Students, faculty, staff and residents of the Town of Bloomsburg are invited to meet the candidates in a series of open forums from 4:15 to 6 p.m. in Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts.

Those invited to campus and the time of their open forum include:

- Jessica Kozloff, vice president for academic and student affairs at the State Colleges in Colorado since 1990. She received her doctorate in political science from Colorado State University. Her forum was held Monday, Feb. 7

- Frank G. Pogue Jr., vice chancellor for

student affairs and special programs at the State University of New York, central administration, at Albany since 1986. He earned his doctorate in sociology from the University of Pittsburgh. — Forum, Thursday, Feb. 10.

- Philip W. Conn, vice president for university advancement at Central Missouri State University at Warrensburg since 1985. He received a doctorate in public administration in 1991 from the University of Southern California. — Forum, Thursday, Feb. 17.

- Robert L. Burns, president of Peru State College in Nebraska since 1991. He received his doctorate in English renaissance drama from the University of Louisville. — Forum, Monday, Feb. 21.

## News briefs

■ The academic grievance coordinators for the 1993-94 academic year and summer 1994 have been appointed. The coordinators, their colleges, departments and telephone extensions are: Julie Schrader, College of Business, assistant professor of marketing (4135); Henry Dobson, College of Professional Studies, associate professor of curriculum and foundations (4024); Scott Lowe, College of Arts and Sciences, associate professor of philosophy (4784). Students wishing to file an academic grievance should be directed to one of the above individuals.

■ A limited number of appointments for anonymous HIV tests on campus will be available in March. The testing is done by the state's Department of Health. No records are maintained at the university and no information is given to the university. Confidentiality is upheld between the practitioner and the client. Appointments can be made by calling the Student Health Center at 4451. When calling, ask to speak to Nancy. Use only your first name or a fictitious name. She will inform you of the exact time, place and date of testing. For those persons who have had significant exposure and who want assurance of total anonymity, appointments can be made at the Department of Health in Danville by calling 275-7092.

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## QUEST plans spring courses

QUEST, an outdoor experiential education program at Bloomsburg, will offer the following courses during the spring semester.

Canoe I — Saturday, April 16, and Sunday, April 24, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Canoe/Kayak II — Sunday, May 1, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Caving — Saturday, Feb. 19, Sunday, Feb. 27, and again on Saturday, March 5, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Cross-Country Skiing — Saturday, Feb. 19, Feb. 26, Sunday, March 6, and again on Saturday, March 12, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

High Ropes — Sunday, March 13, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and April 17, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Ice Climbing — Sunday, Feb. 13, Feb. 20, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Kayak Rolling — Every Wednesday, through April 6, 9 to 11 p.m. in Centennial Gymnasium. Kayak Rolling is a prerequisite for QUEST's Kayak II courses.

Kayak I — Sunday, April 17, and Saturday, April 23, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Rappelling — Saturday, March 19, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Saturday, April 16, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Rock Climbing — Sunday, March 20, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and April 10 and 24, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Rock Climbing II — Saturday, April 30, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Waterfall Day Hike — Saturday, Feb. 12, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Whitewater Rafting — Saturday, April 30, and Saturday, May 7, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

QUEST provides transportation, equipment and instruction for the courses.

Over spring break, March 25 to April 3, QUEST will sponsor a trip to the south for whitewater rafting on several rivers as well as some climbing.

For more information, call the QUEST office at 4323.

## Black History Month events include lecture by state legislator

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House Appropriations Committee, Pennsylvania General Assembly, will give a lecture titled "America's 21st Century Agenda: One People With a Common Destiny." The lecture will be held in McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum.

## King banquet rescheduled

Bloomsburg's banquet commemorating Martin Luther King Jr. has been rescheduled from January to Thursday, Feb. 24, at 6 p.m. in the Kehr Union, Ballroom.

The banquet is sponsored by the Martin Luther King Jr. Day committee, Black History Month committee and Black Cultural Society.

Tickets for the event have sold out. To make a cancellation, call Campus Dining Services at 4484.

# More than 100 attend Multicultural Center dedication

*Actions will give the center meaning, says keynote speaker Byron Wiley*

"Multiculturalism does not divide people who are united, but unites people who are already divided," Byron Wiley, director of social equity for the State System of Higher Education, told over 100 members of the university community who gathered on the last day of January for the opening of the Multicultural Center.

The center is located in the former President's Lounge on the second floor of the Kehr Union. "This is just a room, a beautiful one, but just a room," Wiley said. "What will give this room meaning is what you do here."

The center is designed to provide an additional forum for the total education of Bloomsburg students, according to Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president for academic affairs. "The cooperative effort between academic affairs and student life gives our center a unique dual focus we believe is crucial for its success. To be successful, diversity-focused initiatives must involve all elements of the campus community," Matteson said.

Father Chet Snyder, Catholic campus minister, recalled the words of St. Augustine who said the world is a reflection of the "diversity of God's brilliance."

"This center is indicative of the progress we've made here at Bloomsburg and as a nation in learning to have respect for each other," said Curt English, interim president.

Roosevelt Newson, chairperson of the Multicultural Task Force and associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, observed that we all have at least one culture as part of our heritage. "This center is one place where we can all come together to learn more about one another and to grow in mutual respect."

Jennie Carpenter, interim vice president for student life, cited the opening as a "truly historic day" in Bloomsburg's history. "We pride ourselves on being a community at Bloomsburg. This Multicultural Center is the cornerstone of that community," Carpenter said.

"Our job has only just begun," said John Leh, president of the Community Government Association. The center will provide students, faculty and staff, as well as area residents, with an opportunity to increase their knowledge of their respective cultures while developing a greater appreciation and respect for different cultures.

"Our center will be inclusive, not exclusive," said Carpenter. "It's important to understand the center was not established to house or accommodate the needs of specific minority groups or organizations on campus. We already have facilities for these purposes. The center is a place where all people can come together to learn from each other. We will have a variety of planned programs and art exhibits, as well as daily opportunities for informal gatherings."

Wiley echoed Carpenter's views, telling the audience, "This space is for everyone. We can't exist without each other."

He challenged the audience to infuse the Multicultural Center with the vitality it merits. "This center is a public commitment by Bloomsburg University, a declaration of what is important to the university. It is not an

ending, but a beginning."

Wiley observed that problems and issues won't go away because the university has a multicultural center. "The world is changing. Last year there was a 60 percent increase in the number of hate crimes in our state. According to the 1990 census, one in every four Americans is a person of color. We will either have to learn to live in a changing world or find another place to live and I don't think there is one."

Marcella Woods, interim director of the center and coordinator of minority affairs in residence life, introduced 11 students representing various student groups. The students read sections of Maya Angelou's inaugural poem, "On The Pulse of the Morning."

A reception followed the opening program.

— Susan M. Schantz

## Forum endorses revisions to academic grievance policy

The Forum unanimously endorsed revisions to the Academic Grievance Policy at its February meeting. The revisions were adopted to better accommodate students enrolled in summer sessions and to increase the number of Academic Grievance Board members to expedite the hearing process.

Forum members heard a motion outlining a proposed change in the format of Forum meetings to allow standing committee reports to be presented first on the agenda, rather than after action and discussion items as Rule 10 dictates. The standing committees are BUCC, general administration, planning and budget, student life and university advancement. Forum members will vote on this suggestion at the March 16 meeting.

Other items of business included:

- Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president for academic affairs, reported there were no present plans to adjust the academic calendar as a result of weather-related cancellations. However, if additional cancellations are necessary, the matter will be reexamined.

In a related matter, Matteson said a draft of a proposed compressed schedule, to be effective if the university's opening is delayed

until 10 a.m., is being circulated. Copies are available in the deans' offices. The compressed schedule will be finalized once various constituencies have had an opportunity to review it.

- It was announced the Integrity in Research Policy, previously endorsed by the Forum, was currently under review by Meet and Discuss.

- There was a lengthy discussion on the desirability of university police carrying firearms. Questions were raised regarding the role and function of police officers as compared to that of security personnel. There was no action on this matter.

- Forum members viewed "These Are the Days," a recently produced promotional video about Bloomsburg University. Copies may be borrowed by calling Tom Joseph, director of TV and radio services, at 4710.

- It was announced the University Foundation has received \$2.185 million in donations, pledges and planned gifts, or 92 percent of the original \$2.375 million fund-raising goal, to build the new library. The goal has been revised to \$3.375 million in order to complete the fourth floor.

— Susan M. Schantz

## Campus notes

**Leon Szmedra**, assistant professor of health, physical education and athletics, presented a paper titled "Catecholamine Response of Patients with Coronary Artery Disease Stratified by Gender Following Short-Term Training" when the Mid-Atlantic Regional Chapter of The American College of Sports Medicine convened recently at Ithaca College in Ithaca, N.Y. Bloomsburg University was also represented by a record number of nine students attending. **Jennifer Rinehimer** and **William Shearn**, graduate assistants in the Human Performance Laboratory, presented papers at the meeting. Rinehimer presented the paper "Relationship of Body Composition and Age to Performance in Competitive Runners" while Shearn presented "Relationship of Muscular Power and Endurance to Performance in Trained Cyclists."

**Sharon Swank**, administrative assistant in the College of Arts and Sciences, recently won a merchandise award for a charcoal drawing she had entered in the York Art Association's 23rd Annual Open Juried Exhibition. Swank's drawing, titled "The Studio," was among 150 works exhibited in the York Art Association's gallery in York.

**Jack Couch**, associate professor of physics, presented a paper titled "Changing the Public's Perception of Nuclear Energy Through Education" at a recent northeast regional American Association of Physics Teachers meeting held at Keene, N.H. He served on a nuclear energy discussion panel at the meeting, and also presented a research paper co-written by Bloomsburg seniors Brent Albertson and Phil Young titled "An Improved Inverse Square Law Experiment Using Ionizing Radiation."

**Donald A. Vannan**, professor emeritus of curriculum and foundations, has had an article titled "Science Projects and Your Television Set" published in the December, 1993, issue of *Elementary Teacher Ideas*.

**David E. Washburn**, professor of curriculum and foundations, has an article titled "Reinventing the Social Foundations of Education" published in the Fall 1993 edition of *Educational Foundations*, a refereed journal of the American Educational Studies Association.

**Patricia Torsella**, assistant professor of nursing, presented her research, titled "Quantity, Quality, and Impact of Mentoring Relationships Among Nurse Faculty in Academia," in poster format at the 12th Annual Meeting of the National League for Nursing Council for Research in Nursing Education which met in Orlando, Fla.

## Women's History Month

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As part of the month's observance, Bloomsburg will also host the day-long Columbia/Montour Women's Conference, "Many Voices, One Dream," on Saturday, March 12. For information or to register for the conference, contact Shell E. Lundahl, director of the department of counseling and human development, at 4255.

Additional Women's History Month Events include:

- Wednesday, March 2 — Women's History Month Reception, Haas Gallery, Haas Center for the Arts, noon to 2 p.m. Artist Rhonda Smith will discuss her paintings which will be exhibited throughout the month.

- Thursday, March 3 — "Women's Role in Unions," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 8:30 p.m.

- Saturday, March 5 — Line dancing, Centennial Gymnasium, 10 a.m. to noon. Participants will learn the Western art of line dancing, which has become very popular in recent years.

- Monday, March 7 — "Women's Diaries: Personal Expression as Public Record," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Two area scholars, Doris Dysinger and Katherine Faull, will present their research on women's diaries and memoirs from the 18th and 19th centuries.

- Tuesday, March 8 — "Women's Health Care for the '90s," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, noon to 1:30 p.m. Co-sponsored by the Secretarial Roundtable, the event will feature a panel of experts who will explore a variety of health care issues, such as Clinton's health care plan and heart disease in women.

- Tuesday, March 15 — "Black Women: Past, Present and Future," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 9 p.m. The video "Ida B. Wells and Sonny Lou Hammer," will be shown, followed by a discussion exploring the myths and realities of African-American women throughout history.

- Thursday, March 17 — "A Cultural Comparative Perspective on

Women in Literature and Philosophy," Hartline Science Center, Kuster Auditorium, 4 to 5 p.m. Three Bloomsburg faculty members will provide comparative perspectives on women writers and philosophers from various cultures. Z. Fang, instructor of English, will present "Three Stories of Women from Three Cultures: A Look at Status." Amarilis Hidalgo De Jesus, assistant professor of languages and cultures, will present "A New Approach to Latin American Women Writers: From Colonial Period to Present." Luke Springman, assistant professor of languages and cultures, will present "Karoline von Gunderrode: Perspectives on Women in German Philosophy."

- Friday, March 18 — Bloomsburg University Women's Student Leadership Conference, "In Every Generation Action Frees Our Dreams." Co-sponsored by student life, residence life and the Commission on the Status of Women, this conference for all Bloomsburg students will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Kehr Union. For information, students should contact Lynda Michaels, director of Lycoming Residence Hall, at 4324 or Linda Sowash, director of residence life, at 4089.

- Monday, March 21 — "Self-Esteem for Today's Woman," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 4 to 5 p.m. A roundtable discussion about self-esteem will include the presentation of some surprising findings from research on women and self-esteem.

- Tuesday, March 22 — "When Life Gives You Lemons: Women in European and American History," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 2 to 3:30 p.m. Four faculty members from the history department will discuss women's history. Nancy Gentile Ford, assistant professor, will present "Recreating Their Worlds: Immigrant Women and Strategies for Survival." Jeanette Keith, associate professor, will present "Equal or Special: Ideological Justifi-

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Official Notice  
from the Provost's Office

**Bloomsburg University**  
**Delayed Opening Compressed Schedule**

Due to bad weather, it is necessary occasionally to delay opening the university. When it has been decided to delay opening, the university will follow a compressed schedule rather than cancelling early morning classes entirely.

The schedule below will be followed when a compressed schedule is announced by the media:

Compressed Schedule

Monday, Wednesday and Friday		Tuesday and Thursday	
Regular Meeting Time	Adjusted Meeting Time	Regular Meeting Time	Adjusted Meeting Time
8:00 a.m.	10:00 — 10:40 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	10:00 — 11:00 a.m.
9:00 a.m.	10:50 — 11:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.	11:10 — 12:10 p.m.
10:00 a.m.	11:40 — 12:20 p.m.	11:00 a.m.	12:20 — 1:20 p.m.
11:00 a.m.	12:30 — 1:10 p.m.	12:30 p.m.	1:30 — 2:30 p.m.
Noon	1:20 — 2:00 p.m.	2:00 p.m.	2:40 — 3:40 p.m.
1:00 p.m.	2:10 — 2:50 p.m.	3:30 p.m.	3:50 — 4:50 p.m.
2:00 p.m.	3:00 — 3:40 p.m.	5:00 p.m.	5:00 — 6:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m.	3:50 — 4:30 p.m.		
4:00 p.m.	4:40 — 5:20 p.m.		
5:00 p.m.	5:30 — 6:10 p.m.		

**On days when the compressed schedule is used, all night classes will begin at 6:30 p.m.**



## Alumnus serving in S.O.L.V.E. office as service corpsmember

The Bloomsburg University S.O.L.V.E. (Students Organized to Learn Through Volunteerism and Employment) Office has been chosen as a placement site for a Pennsylvania Service Corpsmember.

Amy Cunningham, a recent graduate of Bloomsburg University, began her year of service at Bloomsburg in August, 1993. As a Pennsylvania Service Corpsmember, she coordinates service efforts for Bloomsburg University and tries to expand S.O.L.V.E.'s community service focus. Cunningham works with Barbara Barnes, coordinator of the S.O.L.V.E. office.

The Pennsylvania Service Corps is a partnership founded through the Governor's Office of Citizen Service, the Pennsylvania Association of Colleges and Universities and PennSERV. Participants are placed individually in community organizations and schools ranging from kindergartens to universities.

Participants receive a post-service stipend of \$5,000 which can be used for college, student loans, or as a down payment for a home. For more information regarding volunteerism at Bloomsburg University, or the Pennsylvania Service Corps, call Amy Cunningham at 4455.

## Campus notes

**Irem Ozkarahan**, associate professor of management, recently presented a paper titled "A Hospital Resource Scheduling System" at the National Decision Sciences Institute's conference held in Washington, D.C. The paper was published in the conference proceedings.

**Reza Noubary**, professor of mathematics and computer science, has written a paper titled "Estimation of Failure Probability Based on Significant Damages" which was published in the journal *Soil Dynamics and Earthquake Engineering*, vol. II. He presented the paper "Theory of Records and Its Application to Sport Data" to the department of mathematics at Dickinson College in Carlisle. He also presented "Do All Seismic Data Have the Same Information Content" at the 65th annual meeting of the Seismological Society of America (Eastern Section) recently at Boston College.

**Medhi Haririan**, associate professor of economics, recently presented a short course on airport privatization titled "Carry-forward Budgeting" at the American Association of Airport Executives' 34th annual meeting in Monterey, Calif. He spoke on a panel titled "The Evolution of Airport Ownership and Management."

**Robert Wislock**, personnel analyst and education and training specialist for the office of human resources and labor relations, was one of 11 students nominated by Pennsylvania State University in University Park for inclusion in the 1994 edition of *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges*. Wislock is a candidate for a doctorate of education at Penn State University.

**Dale A. Bertelsen**, associate professor of communication studies, recently presented a paper titled "McLuhan, Media, and Politics" at the Speech Communication Association's national convention held in Miami, Fla. He also gave a presentation on the status of communication studies in Pennsylvania to the States' Advisory Council and chaired the business meeting of the Kenneth Burke Society, Speech Communication Association Chapter.

**Zahira S. Khan**, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science, recently presented a paper titled "Issues in Performance Comparisons Across Parallel Architectures" at the First Annual Conference on Performance Evaluation of Parallel Systems at the University of Warwick, Coventry, U.K. The paper was published in the conference proceedings.

## Psychology plans colloquium series

The psychology department is sponsoring a series of colloquia during spring semester. Unless otherwise noted, all presentations are at 3 p.m. in McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum.

The talks include:

- Friday, Feb. 18 — "Social Perspective-Taking and Young Adult Moral Development," by Marion Mason, assistant professor of psychology and winner of the Association for Moral Education's 1993 Dissertation Award.
- Friday, March 4 — "Rural Community Psychology in Tanzania and Pennsylvania," Dennis Murray, Mansfield University.
- Monday, March 14 — "Enhancing Problem-Solving Skills to Prevent

Substance Abuse," Maurice Elias, Rutgers University, winner of the Society for Community Research and Action's 1993 Distinguished Practice in Community Psychology Award, in McCormick Center for Human Services, Room 2148.

- Friday, March 18 — "Neurobiology of Successful Aging," Robert Isaacson, State University of New York, Binghamton.
- Wednesday, April 6 — "Pain, Stress, Immunity and Cancer," Timothy Cannon, University of Scranton.
- Friday, April 22 — "Behavioral Momentum," Steven Cohen, professor of psychology.
- Friday, April 29 — Student presentations.

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cation for American Women's Rights." William Hudon, professor, will present "The Literary Lioness and the Obedient Girl: Women Constructing Identity in Early-Modern Italy." Michael Hickey, assistant professor, will present "Strategies for Coping with Patriarchy: Rural Women in Late 19th

- Early 20th Century Russia."

- Thursday, March 24 — Sexual Harassment Workshop, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Co-sponsored by the APSCUF Gender Issues Committee, the workshop will explore the so-called "gray areas" of sexual harassment.

# Committee works to improve campus climate

The university's committee on protected class issues identifies matters of importance to equity group members and works with the university community to improve the campus climate. To fulfill its mission, the committee is seeking more input from faculty, staff and students.

"The committee seeks to find areas of mutual concern and to find resolutions that create win-win situations," says Kambon Camara, committee chairperson and assistant professor of psychology. "Our goal is to help members of various protected classes feel comfortable, feel included and feel valued in the classroom and in social settings of the university."

Protected class persons include racial/ethnic minorities, women and other groups with special needs such as Vietnam era veterans.

"Our group is charged with making recommendations to the president on how to solve problems related to protected class members of the campus community," says Sue Jackson, a committee member and chairperson of the department of sociology and social welfare.

The committee was created in February, 1989. Camara says his overall impression is that there has been some improvement in the area of protected class issues. "I think the university is moving in the right direction," he says.

Issues the committee has brought to the president's attention include the desire to institutionalize the observance of Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday, the need for retreats with students of diversity and a recommendation that students' evaluation of faculty be expanded to include items related to classroom climate.

Those with protected class concerns may contact any member of the committee to have the matter placed on the meeting agenda. Anonymous concerns can be expressed by using the boxes located on the first floor near the main entrance to Sutliff Hall and McCormick Center for Human Services.

"We have the opportunity to build bridges if people will bring their concerns and issues to us," Jackson says. "We want to encourage dialogue that will create a more supportive climate and a more supportive structure to meet students' needs," Camara adds.

Much of the committee's work focuses on

issues related to racism. Camara defines racism as the assumption or belief in the inherent superiority of white people and the creation of institutions and agencies, intellectual and philosophical systems that support this basic assumption.

"No one is without these impressions," he says. "Racism operates below our level of consciousness. We all have to be constantly examining ourselves. Most people on this campus are genuine and decent people."

Both Camara and Jackson see the committee's role as facilitating the preparation of people to live in the world and deal with life as it is.

Other responsibilities of the committee include:

- measuring outcomes of the university's affirmative action plan to determine if the plan is effective and if the climate of the university is changing in positive ways;
- serving on an advisory basis to the president, vice presidents, human relations committee and the affirmative action director; and
- collecting and assessing data and conducting surveys to determine what is going

on in the university community with regard to protected class issues, to discover attitudes toward those issues and to obtain recommendations for improvement.

Members are appointed by the president for a one-year term and meet at least monthly. In addition to Camara and Jackson, committee members include: Elissarh Ballard, student; Frank Davis, professor of computer and information systems; Patricia Dorame-Holoviak, assistant professor of languages and cultures; Sophia Fair, community member; Mary Harris, associate professor of curriculum and foundations; Zahira Khan, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science; Howard Kinslinger, associate professor of management; James Lauffer, professor of geography and earth science; Hai Ly, student; Gail Derck Mullen, acting director of affirmative action; Jerry Smith, maintenance repairman, physical plant; Tracy Walker, student; Peter Walters, coordinator, tutorial/504 services; Irvin Wright, assistant professor of developmental instruction; Marsha Lane, student; and Pamela Wynn, associate professor of management.

— Susan M. Schantz

## Employees promoted, reclassified

During its December meeting, the Council of Trustees reviewed recent employee reclassifications and promotions.

The following administrators have been reclassified:

- John Bieryla, administrator 2 serving in the capacity of assistant director of financial aid, to administrator 3.
- Roy Smith, administrator 3 serving in the capacity of director of experiential education/Corporate Institute, to manager 4.
- Linda Sowash, administrator 3 serving in the capacity of director of residence life, to manager 5.
- Donald Young, administrator 2 serving in the capacity of director of student standards in residence life, to administrator 3.
- Gail Derck Mullen has been appointed executive assistant to the president. In addition, she serves as acting director of affirmative action.

The following non-instructional employees have been promoted:

- Robert Coombe, custodial worker 1 to custodial worker 2.
- Kevin Murdock, utility plant operator 1 to utility plant operator 2.
- Carla Rodenhaver, clerk typist 1 in human resources and labor relations to clerk typist 2 in administrative services.

The following have been appointed to permanent non-instructional positions:

- A. Renee Matrishion of Selinsgrove, clerk typist in the office of human resources and labor relations.
- Gary Melnick of Tresckow, electronic systems technician in the office of administrative services.
- Maria McGuire of Bloomsburg, part-time nurse in the Student Health Center.

Resignations were accepted from the following faculty members: Marjorie Clay, professor of philosophy; M.A. Rafey Habib, assistant professor of English; and Karen Visscher, instructor serving as assistant director of the Upward Bound Program.

## Dance marathon to help children with illness go to summer camp

Bloomsburg's Interfraternity Council and Panhellenic Council will sponsor the Second Annual Camp Victory Dance Marathon from Friday, Feb. 25, at 7 p.m., to Saturday, Feb. 26, at 7 p.m. in Centennial Gymnasium.

The marathon will raise funds for Camp Victory in Millville, a camp designed for handicapped children. The specialized camp gives children with life-threatening illnesses a place to enjoy summer outdoor activities with other children with similar health problems, and with medical equipment close at hand.

Last year's dance marathon raised over \$4,000 for Camp Victory. Advisers for the marathon are Jeanne Kapsak, coordinator of Greek life at Bloomsburg, Samuel Slike, professor of communication disorders and special education, and students Matt Teter, representing the Interfraternity Council, and Lisa Zilinsky, representing the Panhellenic Council. Besides being marathon adviser, Slike is a member of the Camp Victory board, along with Douglas Hippenstiel, director of alumni affairs at Bloomsburg.

"The dance marathon is an opportunity for Bloomsburg University to participate in an event that will greatly support our local community," says Slike. "In the long run, I also see Camp Victory as a place where students from Bloomsburg University can gain valuable experience with children who have special needs."

"This is only one of the positive things that the students in the Greek system can get involved in," says Kapsak. "That's what a lot of fraternities and sororities were founded on—the ideal of helping others."

The marathon is open to all students and community members. Six bands will entertain the dancers. There will also be karaoke, an all-request disc jockey, games and refreshments. Each dancer must raise at least \$25 in pledges and pay a \$5 registration fee. All individuals interested in the dance marathon are encouraged to attend a meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 15, at 9 p.m. in Hartline Science Center, Kuster Auditorium.

For more information, call Slike at 4436, or Kapsak at 4898.

## Campus notes

**Nancy Gentile Ford**, assistant professor of history, recently presented a paper titled "Mindful of the Traditions of His Race: Dual Identity and the Foreign-Born Soldiers in the First World War American Army" at the American Historical Association Conference in San Francisco, Calif. The paper was presented as part of a panel titled "Twentieth Century Civil-Military Connections Revisited: The Ethnic, Political, and Labor History Perspective."

**Yixun Shi**, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science, recently had a paper titled "Solving Linear Systems Involved in Constrained Optimization" accepted for publication by *Linear Algebra and Its Application*. He also presented a paper titled "On the Convergence Rate of Brent's Root Finding Algorithm" at the recent annual joint meeting of the AMS and MAA in Cincinnati, Ohio.

**Donald A. Vannan**, professor emeritus of curriculum and foundations, has had an article titled "Snowfall in Your Classroom" published in the January issue of *Elementary Teacher Ideas*.

## News briefs

■ Applications for Paul Douglas Teacher Scholarships for the 1994-95 academic year are now available at the College of Professional Studies, McCormick Center for Human Services, room 3106.

The scholarships provide up to \$5,000 to academically talented students who plan to enter the pre-school, elementary or secondary teaching fields. Recipients must sign an agreement to teach for a period of two years for each year he or she received the scholarship.

To be eligible, students must be Pennsylvania residents who were in the top 10 percent of their high school graduating class and who are pursuing certification to teach. They must file a 1994-95 academic year Free Application for Federal Student Aid. The deadline for returning completed applications to the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency is May 1.

### Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

January 1994

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Vandalism	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	2	1
Liquor Law Violations	1	3
Public Drunkenness	1	1
Sexual Offenses	0	0
Rape	0	0
Drug Violations	0	0
Simple Assaults	2	0
Aggravated Assaults	0	0
Murder	0	0
Arson	0	0
Weapons Possession	1	1
DUI	1	1
Vagrancy	0	0
Robbery/Burglary	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Theft From Buildings	1	1
Theft From Vehicles	1	0
Other Thefts	0	0

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** There seems to be a strong coincidence between visits by book buyers and office burglaries. Know what the policy is on book buyers and call university police to check buyers out.

# Calendar

## Thursday, February 10

- ◆ Open forum for presidential candidate Frank G. Pogue Jr., Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 4:15 to 6 p.m.
- ◆ New Jack Scholars: African and African-American History, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 8 p.m.

## Friday, February 11

- ◆ Film, "Rudy," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Saturday, February 12

- ◆ Wrestling hosts Bloomsburg Duals, Nelson Field House, 9 a.m.
- ◆ Women's basketball hosts Kutztown, Nelson Field House, 6 p.m.
- ◆ Men's basketball hosts Kutztown, Nelson Field House, 8 p.m.

## Sunday, February 13

- ◆ Film, "Rudy," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 p.m.

## Tuesday, February 15

- ◆ Mathematics and Computer Science Lecture, "Mathematical Models for Particles," by Reza Noubary, Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 105, 3:30 p.m.
- ◆ Film, "For Love or Money," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Wednesday, February 16

- ◆ Black History Month Lecture, "The Recovery of Africanity: African Americans and Africa, 1954-1994" William Scott, history professor at Lehigh University, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 9 p.m.
- ◆ Jim Karol, The Psychic Madman, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 9 p.m.

## Thursday, February 17

- ◆ Open forum for presidential candidate Philip W. Conn, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 4:15 to 6 p.m.
- ◆ Sound Stage with Rhythm Face (alternative), Kehr Union, Ballroom, 8 p.m.
- ◆ Black History Month Films, Kehr Union, 8 p.m.

## Friday, February 18

- ◆ Psychology Lecture, "Social Perspective-Taking and Young Adult Moral Development," Marion Mason, assistant professor of psychology, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.

### JERRY LEWIS PERFORMANCE —

Comic performer, singer and actor Jerry Lewis will perform on Thursday, March 3, at 8 p.m. in Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts. French film critic Robert Benayoun says "I consider Jerry Lewis, since the death of Buster Keaton, to be the foremost comic artist of the time. He corresponds to his era, both reflecting and criticizing our civilization." Tickets for the performance are selling quickly. Those with community activities cards may pick up their tickets at the Kehr Union Information Desk beginning at noon on Friday, Feb. 18. Those who would like to purchase tickets should call 4409.



## Friday, February 18 (continued)

- ◆ Film, "For Love or Money," Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Saturday, February 19

- ◆ Women's basketball hosts East Stroudsburg, Nelson Field House, 6 p.m.
- ◆ Men's basketball hosts East Stroudsburg, Nelson Field House, 8 p.m.

## Sunday, February 20

- ◆ Film, "For Love or Money," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 p.m.

## Monday, February 21

- ◆ Open forum for presidential candidate Robert L. Burns, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 4:15 to 6 p.m.
- ◆ Black History Month Lecture, "African Americans and the Democratic Party," Earl Picard, political science professor at Clark Atlanta University, Kehr Union Ballroom, 7 to 9 p.m.

## Wednesday, February 23

- ◆ Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee (BUCC) meeting, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.
- ◆ Women's basketball hosts Millersville, Nelson Field House, 6 p.m.
- ◆ Men's basketball hosts Millersville, Nelson Field House, 8 p.m.
- ◆ Theater, "Our Young Black Men Are Dying and Nobody Seems to Care," Kehr Union, Ballroom, 8 p.m.

## Thursday, February 24

- ◆ Martin Luther King Jr. Banquet, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 6 p.m. Reservations required.
- ◆ Film, "My Life," Haas Center for the

## Thursday, February 24 (continued)

- Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Friday, February 25

- ◆ Second Annual "Camp Victory" Dance Marathon, Centennial Gymnasium. Continues through Saturday, Feb. 26 at 7 p.m.

- ◆ Film, "My Life," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

- ◆ Wrestling hosts Lock Haven, Nelson Field House, 7:30 p.m.

## Sunday, February 27

- ◆ Film, "My Life," Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts, 7 p.m.

## Monday, February 28

- ◆ Black History Month Lecture, "America's 21st Century Agenda: One People with a Common Destiny," state Rep. Dwight Evans, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 9 p.m.

## Tuesday, March 1

- ◆ Art Exhibit—Paintings by Rhonda Smith (artist's gallery talk at noon), Haas Gallery, Haas Center for the Arts, through March 31.

## Wednesday, March 2

- ◆ Women's History Month Reception, Haas Gallery, Haas Center for the Arts, noon to 2 p.m. Artist Rhonda Smith will discuss her paintings which will be exhibited throughout the month.
- ◆ Film, "The Three Musketeers," Kehr Union, Ballroom, 7 and 9:30 p.m.
- ◆ Theater, Bloomsburg Players present "Dancing at Lughnasa," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 8 p.m.

## Mason honored for study of moral development

Marion Mason, assistant professor of psychology, has been chosen by the Association for Moral Education as the winner of the 1993 Dissertation Award.

Mason was presented the award during the Association's annual conference held at Florida State University in Tallahassee in November. She presented the findings of her dissertation research at the annual meeting of the Jean Piaget Society in June, 1993; and in an article titled "Role-Taking Opportunities and the Transition to Advanced Moral Judgment" in the *Moral Education Forum*.



Marion Mason

Mason's research examined four factors as contributing to developing advanced moral judgment: being challenged on issues, involvement in organizations, work responsibility and involvement with peers. Mason used standardized tests to evaluate the moral judgment of 490 people with an average age of 19. When the tests were completed, she then conducted personal interviews with 10 subjects who showed the most mature and 10 subjects who showed the most immature moral judgment.

Mason believes that any effort that helps

people examine issues from perspectives other than their own is likely to increase their moral judgment. "I think the movement towards diversity classes and towards trying to teach a global perspective is very good. Anything that gets us to see other people's perspectives — but more than passive classroom instruction."

The tests placed the study's subjects into one of six levels of moral reasoning or judgment that were developed by the psychologist Lawrence Kohlberg in the 1960s.

Stage one and two reasoning are typical of children. People who use stage one moral reasoning may explain that they don't steal because "I might get caught and be punished." People who use stage two reasoning may explain that they don't steal because "If I don't steal from other people, no one will steal from me."

In stage three, morality is defined in terms of what is approved by those around a person. People who use stage three moral reasoning may explain that they don't steal because, "My parents will be proud." However, they could also reason that they do steal because "It's cool in the gang."

Stage four is characterized by consideration for the social system and by a conscience. People who use stage four moral reasoning may explain that they don't steal because "Society will fall apart if everyone

breaks the rules."

Stage five moral reasoning is comprised of people who develop a hierarchy of values. For example, they may say, "Laws are generally good, but you may have to break them to save a life."

Stage six moral reasoning involves a few self-chosen ethical principals that people apply to all aspects of their life.

"We found that the most important factors

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## BloomSBurg leads System in fund raising

The Council of Trustees unanimously approved a resolution to transfer 50 percent of the \$8.4 million portfolio of the Community Government Association, Inc. and the BloomSBurg University Foundation, Inc. to The Common Fund during a special meeting/work session this month in the Multicultural Center.

The BloomSBurg funds had been invested through the state, and returns have dropped to 6.5 percent compared to returns of 26.5 percent earned by The Common Fund last year. This matter was discussed at length during the trustee's December meeting.

Development office milestones continue to dominate fund raising in the State System of Higher Education, reported Tony Ianiero, interim vice president for advancement. As of Dec. 30, BloomSBurg led the State System in monies raised toward projects designated as part of the governor's Operation Jump Start initiative. As of that date, BloomSBurg

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### Senior awarded Fulbright Scholarship

BloomSBurg student Melissa Repas, a senior languages and cultures major, has been selected as a Fulbright Scholar recipient for a teaching assistantship in France.

Repas, of Norristown, is waiting for placement in an assistantship from the French government. She is the first BloomSBurg student to receive a Fulbright Scholarship, according to Madhav Sharma, coordinator of international education and BloomSBurg institutional representative for the Fulbright Scholarship Program.

Repas is planning on graduating from BloomSBurg in May.

## News briefs

■ Joe Quinn, purchasing director, requests that all maintenance and service contract needs for the coming fiscal year be submitted to the purchasing office by Wednesday, March 2.

■ Official figures at Bloomsburg University for the spring semester indicate a full-time equivalency (FTE) enrollment of 6,243 students. FTE is calculated by the total amount of credit hours generated per semester and divided by 15 credit hours to equal the average number of full-time undergraduate students, or by 12 credit hours to equal the average number of full-time graduate students.

The university has a total head count of 7,023 students. There are 5,953 undergraduate degree students and 499 undergraduate non-traditional students for a total undergraduate enrollment of 6,452. There are 571 graduate students.

■ University employees are reminded to notify, via an official transcript, the office of human resources and labor relations of any new academic degrees that they receive.

### COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

Bloomsburg is committed to providing equal educational and employment opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, life-style, sexual orientation, handicap, Vietnam era veteran, or union membership.

The university is additionally committed to affirmative action and will take positive steps to provide such educational and employment opportunities.

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## Professor TejBhan Saini dies

Economics professor TejBhan S. Saini, 72, of West Park Street, Bloomsburg, died Monday, Feb. 14, at Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, where he had been a patient for one week.

Born in Raiwind, India, he was a son of the late Puran and Kishen Kaur Singh.

He resided in Bloomsburg since 1968. He received his bachelor's degree from Government College, Lyallpur, India, in 1941 and a master's degree in economics from Forman Christian College, Lahore, India, in 1943.

He was awarded a doctorate in forestry (economics) from Duke University in Durham, N.C., in 1958 and a doctor of philosophy in economics degree from the New School for Social Research in New York in 1972. He had 30 years of teaching experience and was a full professor for 25 years.

From 1968 to 1977, he served as chairperson of Bloomsburg's economics department. He was acting associate vice president for academic affairs at Bloomsburg from December 1981 to August 1982.

He established the Center for Economic Education in 1972 and founded the Easter Economic Association in 1973, covering the eastern United States and Canada but with a worldwide membership.

He founded the Eastern Economic Journal in 1973, the Congress of Political Economists International in 1989 and the Journal of Economic Democracy International in 1989. He established the Economics Club at Bloomsburg in 1969 and the first chapter of the Economics Honor Society in the State System of Higher Education in 1973.

Professor Saini served on the Governor's Economic Advisory Committee from 1976-78. He was president of the Pennsylvania Conference of Economists in 1974; vice president from 1971-73 and served on the executive committee from 1969-92.



TejBhan Saini

He received a certificate of excellence in teaching in 1977 and was designated a Commonwealth Teaching Fellow in 1978.

He received the Commonwealth Distinguished Chair in 1978 and was awarded the International Award of HIND RATAN, in recognition of his significant contributions to the enrichment of life in the country of his adoption, the United States. The later award was presented by a former president of the Republic of India at New Delhi on Nov. 23, 1990.

He was a member of the Columbia Montour Torch Club, serving as president in 1989-90. He previously served as vice president and program chairperson.

He was elected a member of the Board of Directors of Torch International in 1991, representing region 2, which extends from Delaware to Rhode Island.

He was a member of the Sikh Community and professed Sikhism as a religion.

Surviving are his wife, Betty A. Saini, with whom he celebrated a 32nd wedding anniversary on Jan. 4; three daughters, Kiran K. Saini, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Maninder K. Saini, New York City; and Pummy Kaur, Vancouver, British Columbia; a son, Romi K. Singh, Montreal, Canada; six grandchildren; brothers, H.S. Dilger and Pitamber Singh, both of Chandigarh, India; Dr. R.K. Janmerja Singh, Walnut Creek, Calif.; and sisters, Jaswant Kaur, Patiala, India, and Bhagwant Kaur, Chandigarh, India.

A Sikh religious service was held at Dean W. Kriner Inc. Funeral Home, Market Street, Bloomsburg.



# Filmmaker to speak for Women's History Month

Talks by filmmaker and writer Elena Featherston as part of the Provost's Lecture Series will be a highlight of Bloomsburg's observance of Women's History Month.

On Thursday, March 10, Featherston will give a workshop titled "Sex, Lies and Stereotypes: Images in the Media," in Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, at 4 p.m. At 8 p.m., she will give a lecture titled "Women's Rights as Human Rights" in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

Featherston's writing has appeared in San Francisco FOCUS Magazine, *Women of Power Magazine*, *Black International Cinema Journal* and the books *Coming Into Our Fullness* and *Sexual Harassment: Women Speak Out!*. Her book, *Skin Deep: Women on Race and Color in America*, will be published by The Crossing Press this year.

She produced and directed of the award-winning documentary "Alice Walker: Visions of the Spirit." She has lectured on social theory at colleges and universities throughout the United States and Europe since 1982. Her film will be shown on Monday, Feb. 28, in the Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, at 5 and 7 p.m. The showings will be repeated on Tuesday, March 1, at 5 and 7 p.m.

The theme of this year's national Women's History Month is "In Every Generation, Action Frees Our Dreams."

On Monday, March 14, feminist poet Melanie Kaye/Kantrowitz will use her poetry to explore issues from a Jewish activist perspective during a presentation in Hartline Science Center, Kuster Auditorium, 4 to 5:30 p.m. A nationally-known speaker, Kaye/Kantrowitz is the executive director of Jews for Racial and Economic Justice. She is the author of *The Issue Is Power: Essays on Women, Jews, Violence and Resistance* and *My Jewish Face and Other Stories*. An early teacher of women's studies, Kaye/Kantrowitz has taught on the undergraduate and graduate level at universities across the country.

As part of the month's observance, Bloomsburg will also host the day-long Columbia/Montour Women's Conference, "Many Voices, One Dream," on Saturday, March 12. For information or to register for the conference, contact Shell E. Lundahl, director of the department of counseling and human development, at 4255.

Women's History Events also include:

- Wednesday, March 2 — Women's His-



**WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH SPEAKERS** — Writer and filmmaker Elena Featherston, left, and feminist poet Melanie Kaye/Kantrowitz will be featured speakers for Bloomsburg's observance of Women's History Month in March.

tory Month Reception, Haas Gallery, Haas Center for the Arts, noon to 2 p.m. Artist Rhonda Smith will discuss her paintings which will be exhibited throughout the month. There also be ongoing exhibits of women's works in the Bloomsburg University Bookstore and the Andruss Library.

- Thursday, March 3 — "Women's Role in Unions," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 8:30 p.m.

- Saturday, March 5 — Line dancing, Centennial Gymnasium, 10 a.m. to noon. Participants will learn the Western art of line dancing, which has become very popular in recent years.

- Monday, March 7 — "Women's Diaries: Personal Expression as Public Record," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Two area scholars, Doris Dysinger and Katherine Faull, will present their research on women's diaries and memoirs from the 18th and 19th centuries.

- Tuesday, March 8 — "Women's Health Care for the '90s," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, noon to 1:30 p.m. Co-sponsored by the Secretarial Roundtable, the event will feature a panel of experts who will explore a variety of health care issues, such as Clinton's health care plan and heart disease in women.

- Tuesday, March 15 — "Black Women: Past, Present and Future," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 9 p.m. The video "Ida B. Wells and Sanny Lou Hammer," will be shown, followed by a

discussion exploring the myths and realities of African-American women throughout history.

- Wednesday, March 16 — Annual Take Back the Night March. Participants will meet outside Centennial Gymnasium (at the door facing McCormick Center for Human Services) at 4:15 p.m.

- Thursday, March 17 — "A Cultural Comparative Perspective on Women in Literature and Philosophy," Hartline Science Center, Kuster Auditorium, 4 to 5 p.m. Three Bloomsburg faculty members will provide comparative perspectives on women writers and philosophers from various cultures. Z. Fang, instructor of English, will present "Three Stories of Women from Three Cultures: A Look at Status." Amarilis Hidalgo De Jesus, assistant professor of languages and cultures, will present "A New Approach to Latin American Women Writers: From Colonial Period to Present." Luke Springman, assistant professor of languages and cultures, will present "Karoline von Gunderröde: Perspectives on Women in German Philosophy."

- Friday, March 18 — Bloomsburg University Women's Student Leadership Conference, "In Every Generation Action Frees Our Dreams." Co-sponsored by student life, residence life and the Commission on the Status of Women, this conference for all Bloomsburg students will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Kehr Union. For information, students should contact Lynda Michaels, di-

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## News briefs

■ The Bloomsburg chapter of Sigma Tau Delta, the national English Honor Society, and the English Club are planning an April "Readathon" to raise funds for the new library. In March, faculty will be asked if they would like to sponsor a public reading of some literary, philosophical, or scientific work. They will be able to choose the readings from a list of about 200 selections (each item on the list will have a price, ranging from one to five dollars); or they can request a work that does not appear on the list. Sponsoring faculty members will be given a choice of times for the reading over the two afternoons of the Readathon, which will be held in mid-April.

■ Bloomsburg's National Student Speech-Language-Hearing Association will hold its 5th annual Spring Symposium on Friday, Feb. 25, in Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room A, from 8:30 a.m. to noon. Faculty, student and professionals in the field are welcome to attend. Speakers will include John Page, director of the Speech and Hearing Clinic at Sacred Heart Hospital in Allentown, and Ann Hunter, a private practitioner from York.

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rector of Lycoming Residence Hall, at 4324 or Linda Sowash, director of residence life, at 4089.

• Monday, March 21 — "Self-Esteem for Today's Woman," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 4 to 5 p.m. A round-table discussion about self-esteem will include the presentation of some surprising findings from research on women and self-esteem.

• Tuesday, March 22 — "When Life Gives You Lemons: Women in European and American History," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 2 to 3:30 p.m. Four faculty members from the history department will discuss women's history. Nancy Gentile Ford, assistant professor, will present "Recreating Their Worlds: Immigrant Women and Strategies for Survival." Jeanette Keith, associate professor, will present "Equal or Special: Ideological Justification for American Women's Rights." William Hudon, professor, will present "The Literary Lioness and the Obedient Girl: Women Constructing Identity in Early-Modern Italy." Michael Hickey, assistant professor, will present "Strategies for Coping with Patriarchy: Rural Women in Late 19th - Early 20th Century Russia."

• Thursday, March 24 — Sexual Harassment Workshop, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Co-sponsored by the APSCUF gender issues committee, the workshop will explore the so-called "gray areas" of sexual harassment.

## Library offers new document delivery service for faculty

The Harvey A. Andruss Library is now offering a rapid document delivery service, QuikDoc.

A supplement to traditional interlibrary loan, QuikDoc provides rapid access to articles in over 24,000 journals, magazines, conference proceedings, newspapers and government documents. The service is being offered at no cost to individual faculty members on an experimental basis with funds furnished from the office of the provost.

"Even though we are planning a new library, in the interim we are continuously finding new ways to help faculty access important documents that we don't have on campus," says Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president for academic affairs.

While documents can be obtained through regular interlibrary loan in four to 10 days, faculty members can obtain documents in only one to three days through QuikDoc.

"This is an important advance as the emphasis of the Harvey Andruss Library becomes more towards gaining access to information," says J. Daniel Vann III, dean of library ser-

vices. "It is not a substitute for in-house resources."

Requests for materials should be made to the faculty reference librarian. Weekday requests presented before 12:30 p.m. will be processed on the same day. An additional day may be required to receive materials from requests received after 12:30 p.m.

Requests received after 4 p.m. and on weekends will be processed on the next weekday and should be available within three days thereafter.

Questions about the new service should be directed to Stephen Wiist, coordinator of access services, at 4217, or Josephine Crossley, library technician for interlibrary loan, at 4218.

Because of the cost of the service, averaging \$25 for a document, the reference librarian on duty will, in consultation with the requestor, decide whether the request should be processed using QuikDoc or interlibrary loan. To ensure that the service is only used when it is necessary, Wiist explains that "detailed records of orders and the time it takes for materials to be picked up will be kept."

— Eric Foster

## Diversity discussion planned

The Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee (BUCC) subcommittee on diversity invites faculty to a lunch and discussion session on Friday, March 11, in the Kehr Union, Multicultural Center at noon.

The following articles will be discussed: Paula Rothenberg's "Integrating the Study of Race, Gender, and Class: Some Preliminary Observations;" Gloria Yamato's "Something About the Subject Makes It Hard to Name;" Theresa Perry and James W. Frazer's "Reconstructing Schools as Multiracial/Multicultural Democracies: Toward a Theoretical Perspective;" and "Why Race and Power Matter." Three discussion groups are

planned, facilitated by Jim Dalton, professor of psychology; Gloria Cohen, assistant professor of political science, and Gene Gordon, associate professor of computer and information systems. Each group will discuss the Perry and Fraser article and one other article.

Those interested in attending should contact Mary Harris, associate professor of curriculum and foundations, at 4281 so that lunch may be ordered. The articles will be sent to those who attend the session, and others who are interested but unable to attend.

Session organizers are Gordon, Harris and Ekema Agbaw, assistant professor of English.

# Americans need to work as a team, says Tony Brown

"We all belong to the only race there ever has been — the human race. Racism is not a problem of the black people. It's not a problem of the white people. It's a problem of the American people," journalist Tony Brown said in opening his recent lecture in Carver Hall titled "Team America: A Strategic Plan for the '90s." His visit to campus was part of the Provost's Lecture Series.

Our ability to be productive as a nation and reap the rewards of a healthy economy, according to Brown, depends on our willingness to change and to sacrifice. "The only constant we have is the state of change," said the host of public television's "Tony Brown's Journal," the nation's longest-running and top-ranked black affairs series.

Brown recalled the years following World War II when he described the United States as a country that enjoyed enormous wealth, a monopoly on new technology, the farming capacity to feed the rest of the world and the world's greatest human capital — an educated class with the initiative to make society productive. "We were sitting on top of the world and we went off to play golf," he said.

America's complacency opened the door for countries like Germany and Japan to move ahead. "They changed and sacrificed and became competitive as a group while America began to decline," Brown said.

Brown cited statistics which indicate by the year 2000 over 50 percent of the workforce will be comprised of women and people of color. "In the next century, it is women who will determine the future. There simply weren't enough males born during the '60s to make it otherwise," he said. "Males' survival will depend on their ability to develop new relationships with women."

In addition to writing a newspaper column which is syndicated in over 100 newspapers, Brown is currently working on his first book, *No Black Lies, No White Lies, Only the Truth*. The book will examine his "Team America" concept and discuss cultural diversity as America's industrial salvation.

Brown says "Team America" would make it possible for everyone to play on the same field. "We simply have no choice but to put the best team on the field to win the game. You don't have to like people to work with them, but you do have to respect them," he said. "The only thing we have in common is



Tony Brown

our differences.

Brown advocates economic policies which foster competitiveness and self-reliance. "We can't limit our talent pool to any one cultural group because there simply is no 'fat' left," he said. "We didn't all come over on the same ship, but we're all in the same boat. That means we must understand diversity."

Brown feels necessity will drive the United States to become an egalitarian society. "We need to focus on all of us as people, not simply on issues we label 'race relations'." He feels it is essential to understand the past if we are to confront the future.

Brown wants affirmative action programs to follow the need-based approach utilized by the National Basketball Association. "During the draft, the worst team gets to select the best player. Therefore the overall league becomes stronger and on any given day any team can beat any other team. It's a win-win situation," he said.

"If you strengthen the person most in need, you strengthen the rest of the group."

The best way to strengthen those most in need is to help them receive an education. "We must give people the tools they need to find employment. We can eliminate marginality with education," Brown said. "A country's standard of living is based on its ability to educate its people, to give them the skills to earn a living."

Brown's lecture was funded by the Community Government Association, a grant from the State System of Higher Education and the Provost's Lecture Series.

— Susan M. Schantz

## Mason

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in a person's moral development were opportunities when they had been challenged in their beliefs," says Mason. "The second most important factor was being involved with groups of people — not being isolated."

Peer involvement was among the least important factors in moral development, found Mason, who conducted the research in Columbus, Ohio. "Our best hypothesis for that finding is that we often choose friends who are similar to us."

The study included 190 males and 300 females comprised of 385 randomly chosen college-age participants and 105 selected participants from five adult sub-samples. The sub-groups included graduate students in education, people from a military base and students at a "peace school" in the community where individuals met to discuss and

learn about alternatives to war.

"When controlling for education and employment, males and females achieved the same levels of moral judgment," says Mason. The subjects used moral reasoning ranging from stage two to stage five, with most of them at stage three.

"It was difficult to find 10 people in the highest levels of moral judgment to do the life experience interviews," says Mason. "The interviews indicated that the more advanced moral judgment participants did much more reading, demonstrated a global perspective and were concerned with seeking the truth and with spirituality," says Mason. "The stage three moral judgment participants were concerned with conformity, interpersonal relationships and the role of guilt."

— Eric Foster

# Berninger and Buckingham join Foundation board

Jan S. Berninger and Boyd F. Buckingham were recently appointed to the Bloomsburg University Foundation board of directors.

Berninger, of Bethlehem, has pursued a career in banking since graduating from Bloomsburg in 1977 with a degree in business administration. In her present position as president of the Lehigh Valley Division of Meridian Bank, she is responsible for all commercial lending activities, including corporate, business and private banking, cash management, CRA lending and community relations.



Jan Berninger

Before her promotion to the Lehigh Valley Division, Berninger held three positions at Delaware Valley Division. Following her initial appointment in 1986 as senior vice president — suburban commercial lending, she then became senior vice president — commercial real estate lending, and later executive vice president — corporate and commercial banking. Her first positions were with Montgomery County in corporate banking and the field audit department.

Berninger is a member of Robert Morris Associates and the National Association of Executive Females. In 1992, she was cited for board service to Project Rainbow, Philadelphia, an organization which provides transitional housing for homeless women and their children. She earned an MBA degree from James Madison University in Harrisonburg, Va., in 1982.

Buckingham, a 1943 graduate and vice president for administration emeritus at Bloomsburg, has been active in various community organizations and has been publicly recognized for his dedicated service.

A native of York, Buckingham served in World War II as a second lieutenant, B-17 combat bomber pilot in the European Theater of Operations. He taught for two years in the Athens (Pa.) High School and six years in the Sayre (Pa.) Area High School.

He joined the Bloomsburg State Teachers College faculty where he taught for seven years. Leaving his position as associate professor, Buckingham served for 15 years as director of public relations and development. In 1970 he was promoted to associate vice

president for development and external relations, and in 1974 he became vice president for administration, a position he held until his retirement in 1981.

Buckingham's community service has included presidencies of the Bloomsburg Chapter of the American Red Cross, and the Bloomsburg Chamber of Commerce. He has served as chairperson of the Bloomsburg Town Planning Commission.

He was a member of the board of directors of the Columbia County Housing Authority for 13 years, and he is presently a long-time member of the board of directors of the Bloomsburg Area Industrial Development Association and the advisory board of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association.

A member of the Caldwell Consistory, Valley of Bloomsburg and past commander-in-chief, he has been active in various Masonic organizations for more than 40 years in Bloomsburg, Shamokin and Athens. A 33rd degree member of Supreme Council, An-



Boyd Buckingham

cient Accepted Scottish Rite, he has also been an active member for Pennsylvania, Supreme Council, since 1989. Since his retirement, he has traveled extensively throughout the United States on behalf of Masons.

He is also a member of the Bloomsburg Elks Club and has been an elder, trustee, and deacon at First Presbyterian Church, Bloomsburg.

He was presented with the Distinguished Service Award by the Bloomsburg University Alumni Association in 1976 and the Distinguished Service Award from the Bloomsburg Area Chamber of Commerce in 1980.

In 1986, the Boyd F. Buckingham Maintenance Center on campus was dedicated in his honor. Buckingham holds a master's degree from Bucknell University in Lewisburg. He and his wife, the former Joanna Fice '43, have a son, Boyd Jr.; daughter, Gail Worthington; and four grandchildren.

The Foundation is responsible for securing private funds to help maintain and enhance the quality and excellence at Bloomsburg by cultivating and soliciting individuals, corporations and foundations.



**APSCUF DONATES TO LIBRARY FUND** — The Bloomsburg chapter of the Association of Pennsylvania State College and University Faculty (APSCUF) recently made a \$4,000 pledge to Bloomsburg's library campaign. Shown from left at the pledge presentation are Curtis English, interim president; Oliver Larmi, professor of philosophy and APSCUF president; and Anthony Ianiero, interim vice president for advancement. "On behalf of APSCUF and the faculty of Bloomsburg University, I am pleased to make this financial commitment to our library fund. It reflects our loyalty to Bloomsburg and our dedication to teaching, learning and scholarship," says Larmi. Ianiero notes that "the gift from APSCUF represents more than a financial commitment. It's indicative of a cooperative campus spirit united to make 'the library of the future' a reality for Bloomsburg and its students. We are grateful to every member of the university family who has supported the library campaign."

# Newson recital March 11 to feature Brahms' works

Concert pianist Roosevelt Newson will perform at Bloomsburg on Friday, March 11, in Carver Hall, Kenneth S. Gross Auditorium, at 8 p.m. as part of Bloomsburg's Celebrity Artist Series.

A pianist who has earned the respect of musicians far and near, Newson is also associate dean of Bloomsburg's College of Arts and Sciences.

Newson originally planned to present an all-Brahms recital, but recently changed his program because his concert season has turned out to be busier than expected. In January, he performed with the Cleveland Philharmonic Orchestra and in April, Newson will be the featured soloist with the Howard University Symphony in Washington, D.C.

The first half of his concert at Bloomsburg will feature programming of a traditional nature. The second half will be devoted to the works of Brahms.

"Brahms is my favorite composer," says Newson. "I identify with what he does compositionally. As Brahms is a neo-classicist, form and structure are of greater importance to Brahms than to his contemporaries in the Romantic period. I enjoy form and structure in music. They are the canvas on

which composers develop their melodic material. It is an adventure for me to follow a composer's treatment of the basic elements of a piece of thematic material."

The program includes: Sonata in F by Mozart (1756-1791), Chaconne in D Minor by J.S. Bach (1685-1750) and transcribed by Ferruccio Busoni (1886-1924), and "L'isle Joyeuse" by Claude Debussy (1862-1918). The Brahms (1833-1897) works which will be performed are: "Scherzo," Opus 4; "Six Klavierstücke," Opus 118; and "Variations on a Theme by Paganini," Opus 35.

"For this particular program, I plan to comment on each of the works," says Newson. "What one tries to do in most programs is perform music which spans different historical periods. Since art is a reflection of life, society reflects its values in its art, regardless of whether it is the visual or performing arts.

"In the second half of the concert, I plan to focus on how Brahms' style changed while his basic signature remained unchanged."

"A piano is an orchestra unto itself," says Newson. "You can take a single note from a chord and voice it as you please to make it louder or softer. I'm not only the performer, I'm the conductor and the interpreter."



Roosevelt Newson

Tickets for Newson's performance are \$10 and may be purchased by calling 4409. Community activities cardholders may pick up their tickets for the performance beginning Friday, Feb. 25, at noon at the Kehr Union Information Desk.

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had raised \$2,212,242 toward construction of the library. This represents 96 percent of the original fund-raising goal.

Ianiero also reported Bloomsburg's Parents' Fund is the most successful in the State System. Last year, over 2,000 parents contributed \$84,564.47. As of Feb. 7, the ongoing parents' campaign had received \$160,012 in income and pledges. Also as of that date, alumni had donated \$1,502,353 in income and pledges.

Ianiero acknowledged the \$75,000 gift to the library by the Community Government Association and indicated the night study patron lounge would be named in the group's honor. He also announced that the senior class has pledged a \$50,000 gift to support the library campaign. An outside reading area would be named in the class's honor. He expressed his appreciation for a \$4,000 gift

in support of the library from APSCUF. "We are grateful to all those in the university community who have so generously and enthusiastically supported the library campaign. It's wonderful to see how we can all pull together for this crucial project," Ianiero said.

In accordance with the Sunshine Law, a period for public comment was included in the agenda. Coleen Honeywell, president of C.B. Honeywell, a subcontractor for the Recreation Center, outlined alleged difficulties she was experiencing with the general contractor, Miller Brothers. Subcontractors have contracts with the general contractor, not the university, according to Robert Parrish, vice president for administration.

In a related matter, Parrish reported occupancy of the Recreation Center is not expected until January 1995. There are cur-

rently 24 construction/maintenance projects on campus.

In other business, the trustees

- were informed a room in the southeast corner of Carver Hall would be available for their use during campus visits;

- were advised the national search for a director of social equity is being conducted under the direction of committee chairperson, Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president of academic affairs;

- heard a report indicating over 100 people attended an "after-hours" reception in Buckelow Place, hosted by Interim President and Mrs. Curt English and sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce;

- reviewed plans for the football team to play its opening game against New Haven University of West Haven, Conn. on Thursday, Sept. 1.

—Susan M. Schantz

# Calendar

## Thursday, February 24

◆ Martin Luther King Jr. Banquet, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 6 p.m. Reservations required.

◆ Teleseminar, "Comparative Strategies for Changing Industries," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 6:30 to 9 p.m. Sponsored by the College of Business. Reservations required.

◆ Film, "My Life," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Friday, February 25

◆ Second Annual "Camp Victory" Dance Marathon, Centennial Gymnasium, 7 p.m. Continues through Saturday, Feb. 26 at 7 p.m.

◆ Film, "My Life," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

◆ Wrestling hosts Lock Haven, Nelson Field House, 7:30 p.m.

## Sunday, February 27

◆ Film, "My Life," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 p.m.

## Monday, February 28

◆ Film, "Visions of the Spirit: Portrait of Alice Walker," Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 5 and 7 p.m.

◆ Black History Month Lecture, "America's 21st Century Agenda: One People with a Common Destiny," state Rep. Dwight Evans, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 9 p.m.

## Tuesday, March 1

◆ Film, "Visions of the Spirit: Portrait of Alice Walker," Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 5 and 7 p.m.

◆ Art Exhibit—Paintings by Rhonda Smith (artist's gallery talk at noon), Haas Gallery, Haas Center for the Arts, through March 31.

## Wednesday, March 2

◆ Women's History Month Reception, Haas Gallery, Haas Center for the Arts, noon to 2 p.m. Artist Rhonda Smith will discuss her paintings which will be exhibited throughout the month.

◆ Film, "The Three Musketeers," Kehr Union, Ballroom, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

◆ Theater, Bloomsburg Players present "Dancing at Lughnasa," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 8 p.m.

## Thursday, March 3

◆ Billiard and trick shot artist Jack White, Kehr Union, 11:30 a.m.



**ART EXHIBIT** — Gary Clark, assistant professor of art, and Barbara Strohmman, associate professor of art, exhibited their works in the Haas Gallery of Art in February. The exhibit ends Friday, Feb. 25. Above is a painting from Strohmman's "Earth and Sky Tryptic," while at left is Clark's computer art "Ground Rules."

## Thursday, March 3 (continued)

◆ "Women's Role in Unions," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 8:30 p.m.

◆ Celebrity Artist Series—Jerry Lewis, Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts, 8 p.m. Tickets required. Call 389-4409.

◆ Theater, Bloomsburg Players present "Dancing at Lughnasa," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 8 p.m.



Jerry Lewis

## Friday, March 4

◆ Psychology Lecture, "Rural Community Psychology in Tanzania and Pennsylvania," Dennis Murray, Mansfield University, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.

◆ Film, "The Three Musketeers," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

◆ Theater, Bloomsburg Players present "Dancing at Lughnasa," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 8 p.m.

## Saturday, March 5

◆ Line dancing, Centennial Gymnasium, 10 a.m. to noon.

◆ Theater, Bloomsburg Players present "Dancing at Lughnasa," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 8 p.m.

## Sunday, March 6

◆ Film, "The Three Musketeers," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 p.m.

◆ Theater, Bloomsburg Players present "Dancing at Lughnasa," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 2 p.m.

## Monday, March 7

◆ Women's History Month Lecture, "Women's Diaries: Personal Expression as Public Record," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 8:30 p.m.

## Tuesday, March 8

◆ Women's History Month Discussion, "Women's Health Care for the '90s," Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, noon to 1:30 p.m. Co-sponsored by the Secretarial Roundtable, the event will feature a panel of experts.

◆ Midterm begins at 10 p.m.

## Wednesday, March 9

◆ Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee (BUCC) meeting, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.

◆ Film, "Fried Green Tomatoes," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Thursday, March 10

◆ Brass Chamber Music Potpourri with featured guest quintet Commonwealth Brass, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, Carver Hall, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

## Friday, March 11

◆ Diversity discussion, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, noon, call 4281 for reservations.

◆ Film, "Fried Green Tomatoes," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

◆ Chamber Series—Roosevelt Newson, pianist, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, Carver Hall, 8 p.m. Tickets required. Call 4409.

## Sunday, March 13

◆ Student Flute/Piano Recital, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, Carver Hall, 2:30 p.m. Admission is free.

## Chemistry enhances program with Foundation aid

When the chemistry department faculty decided to reorganize the curriculum last year, they needed some financial help to make the innovative transition possible. The Bloomsburg University Foundation's gift of \$6,237 and an equal donation from the provost's office made the advancement possible.

"We felt it was in our students' best interests to switch the curriculum's first year emphasis from general chemistry to inorganic and organic," says Larry Mack, chairperson. "Organic chemistry is the most organized branch of chemistry in terms of the knowledge base."

"The real beneficiaries are the students," says Tony Ianiero, interim vice president for university advancement. "This is just one example of how gifts to the Foundation make a significant difference in the classroom."

This curriculum approach is generally found in private schools and large universities where Mack says it has proven successful. "It's unusual to find a program such as ours in the State System," Mack says.

Student demand for organic chemistry has nearly doubled since the new curriculum began. The increased interest created a drastic need for additional laboratory supplies.

At the same time, as a means to cut expenses and reduce waste, the department decided to switch to microscale laboratory glassware.

Much smaller than traditional flasks and test tubes, microscale glassware translates into significant savings. These savings are not only in needed supplies, but in time required for laboratory experiments and staff time.

It takes about \$600 to adequately equip each chemistry student for laboratory study. Each of the microscale chemistry kits costs about \$150. Some 60 drawers of glassware and other supplies must constantly be replaced. Not to mention the need for hot

plates, melting apparatus, stirrers and heaters and other equipment.

"Without the financial support of the foundation and the provost's office, we would not have been able to move forward with this important advance in our program," Mack says. "It truly made all the difference."

Late in February, two senior chemistry majors were discussing their post-graduation plans as they worked on their individual research projects.

Kirsi Turbedsky of Bloomsburg had just received her acceptance letter to attend graduate school at Princeton University. J. Scott Griffith of Mifflinburg was making plans to attend the University of Pittsburgh's Dental School.

Microscale equipment, an innovative curriculum and dedicated faculty help build "macroscale" futures for Bloomsburg's chemistry students.

— Susan M. Schantz



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**CHEMISTRY ON A SMALL SCALE** — Larry Mack, chairperson of the chemistry department, guides Kathryn Hurst, a junior clinical chemistry major from Danville, in working with microscale equipment.

## Response to Middle States review to be discussed at open hearings

A series of open hearings will be held for the university community to comment on a draft of the report for the Middle States review team.

The report details Bloomsburg University's response to recommendations from Middle States after Bloomsburg completed its self-study. The report also addresses new initiatives that the university has undertaken.

The report is available for inspection in the library, deans' offices or by contacting the provost's office.

The report will be discussed at the following meetings:

■ Special Meeting of Planning and Budget Committee — Thursday, March 10,

McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3:30 p.m.

■ University Forum — Wednesday, March 16, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.

■ Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee (BUCC) — Wednesday, March 23, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.

"It is critical that this draft receive university review in order to accurately represent the institution," says Nancy Gilgannon, professor of curriculum and foundations and co-chairperson of the Middle States steering committee.

## News briefs

■ A lunch-hour low-impact aerobics class is now offered as part of intramural sports.

The class, instructed by Rasa Krokys, will run from noon to 1 p.m. in Centennial Gymnasium. On Monday and Wednesday the class will meet in the main gym, and on Thursday and Friday, the class will meet in the dance studio. Faculty, staff and students are welcome to attend.

■ The Fulbright Scholar program for faculty lecturing and research is open for the 1995-96 academic year. Each year over 1,000 Fulbright grants are awarded to U.S. faculty and professionals in the humanities, social sciences, physical sciences and in applied fields such as business and law.

Faculty of all ranks, including emeriti, are eligible to apply. For more information and application forms, contact Madhav P. Sharma, coordinator of international education, at 4830, or visit the lower level of Luzerne Residence Hall. The application deadline of Aug. 1, 1994, is strictly enforced.



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**WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH PLANNERS** — Kara Schultz (center), assistant professor of communication studies and chairperson of the Women's History Month committee, talks with Gloria Cohen (left) and Marla Brettschneider (right), assistant professors of political science, at the recent Women's History Month reception in the Haas Gallery of Art. Artist Rhonda Smith, whose work is on exhibit in the gallery through March 31, spoke at the reception.

## Poet Melanie Kaye/Kantrowitz to speak on women's activist issues

Feminist poet Melanie Kaye/Kantrowitz will speak at Bloomsburg as part of the university's observance of Women's History Month in March.

Kaye/Kantrowitz will use her poetry to explore issues from a Jewish activist perspective during a presentation on Monday, March 14, in Hartline Science Center, Kuster Auditorium, from 4 to 5:30 p.m. Kaye/Kantrowitz is the executive director of Jews for Racial and Economic Justice. She is the author of *The Issue Is Power: Essays on Women, Jews, Violence and Resistance* and *My Jewish Face and Other Stories*. An early teacher of women's studies, she has taught on the undergraduate and graduate level at universities across the country.

Filmmaker and writer Elena Featherston will speak for Women's History Month as part of the Provost's Lecture Series.

On Thursday, March 10, Featherston will give a workshop titled "Sex, Lies and Stereotypes: Images in the Media," in Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, at 4 p.m. At 8 p.m.,

she will give a lecture titled "Women's Rights as Human Rights" in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

Featherston is the producer and director of the award-winning documentary "Alice Walker: Visions of the Spirit." Her book, *Skin Deep: Women on Race and Color in America*, will be published by The Crossing Press this year.

The theme of this year's national Women's History Month is "In Every Generation, Action Frees Our Dreams."

Bloomsburg will also host the day-long Columbia/Montour Women's Conference, "Many Voices, One Dream," on Saturday, March 12. For information or to register for the conference, contact Shell E. Lundahl, director of the department of counseling and human development, at 4255.

Additional Women's History Month events include:

- Tuesday, March 15 — "Black Women: Past, Present and Future," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 9 p.m. The video

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### COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

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## Women's History

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"Ida B. Wells and Sanny Lou Hammer," will be shown, followed by a discussion exploring the myths and realities of African-American women throughout history.

- Wednesday, March 16 — Annual Take Back the Night March. Participants will meet outside Centennial Gymnasium (at the door facing McCormick Center for Human Services) at 4:15 p.m.

- Thursday, March 17 — "A Cultural Comparative Perspective on Women in Literature and Philosophy," Hartline Science Center, Kuster Auditorium, 4 to 5 p.m. Three Bloomsburg faculty members will provide comparative perspectives on women writers and philosophers from various cultures. Z. Fang, instructor of English, will present "Three Stories of Women from Three Cultures: A Look at Status." Amarilis Hidalgo De Jesus, assistant professor of languages and cultures, will present "A New Approach to Latin American Women Writers: From Colonial Period to Present." Luke Springman, assistant professor of languages and cultures, will present "Karoline von Gunderrrode: Perspectives on Women in German Philosophy."

- Friday, March 18 — Bloomsburg University Women's Student Leadership Conference, "In Every Generation Action Frees Our Dreams." Co-sponsored by StudentLife, residence life and the Commission on the Status of Women, this conference for all Bloomsburg students will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Kehr Union. For information, students should contact Lynda Michaels, director of Lycoming Residence Hall, at 4324 or Linda Sowash, director of residence life, at 4089.

- Monday, March 21 — "Self-Esteem for Today's Woman," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 4 to 5 p.m. A round-table discussion about self-esteem will include the presentation of some surprising findings from research on women and self-esteem.

- Tuesday, March 22 — "When Life Gives You Lemons: Women in European and American History," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 2 to 3:30 p.m. Four faculty members from the history department will discuss women's history. Nancy Gentile Ford, assistant professor, will present "Recreating Their Worlds: Immigrant Women and Strategies for Survival." Jeanette Keith, associate professor of history, will present "Equal or Special: Ideological Justification for American Women's Rights." William Hudon, professor of history, will present "The Literary Lioness and the Obedient Girl: Women Constructing Identity in Early-Modern Italy." Michael Hickey, assistant professor of history, will present "Strategies for Coping with Patriarchy: Rural Women in Late 19th - Early 20th Century Russia."

- Thursday, March 24 — Sexual Harassment Workshop, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Co-sponsored by the APSCUF gender issues committee, the workshop will explore the so-called "gray areas" of sexual harassment.



**SCHOLAR ATHLETES** — Shown from left are scholar athletes honored at a recent luncheon with the faculty members of their choice: Shonna Wueschinski with Constance Schick, professor of psychology, and Lawrence Tanner, assistant professor of geography and earth science, with Dan Pszeniczny.

## Student athletes recognized for scholarly excellence

Bloomsburg University honored 49 individuals at the Fifth Annual Scholar Athlete Luncheon recently in Scranton Commons. Students being honored accumulated a 3.25 grade point average over the previous two academic semesters. The honorees were accompanied by faculty members of their choice who have played a major role in their educational experience at Bloomsburg.

"This is a celebration of athletic accomplishments and academic accomplishments," commented Brian Johnson, the faculty athletics representative at the university and master of ceremonies. "Today we are looking for tomorrow's success."

Seniors Dan Pszeniczny of Benton and Shonna Wueschinski of York were honored as the top scholar athletes for the year. Both are members of the cross country and track teams. Pszeniczny, an earth and space science major, graduated in December with a 3.45 grade point average.

Lawrence Tanner, assistant professor of geography and earth science, Pszeniczny's guest at the luncheon, attributed Dan's success to setting standards and goals.

"On a field trip to New York, after a long day of work, Dan insisted on going for a run when everyone else

was exhausted from the day's activities," noted Tanner. "That's what dedication in the academic and athletic arenas is all about."

Pszeniczny also credited much of his success to setting goals and staying involved. "Sometimes I wonder what college students do if they're not involved. I had to set goals and stick to them. There was no time to coast." Wueschinski, carrying a 3.86 grade point average in psychology, plans on entering graduate school and was accompanied by Constance Schick, professor of psychology.

"It's nice to hear people congratulate you," said Wueschinski addressing the crowd. "It's even nicer to hear it from someone who has done what you have in terms of the practices, the long hours, the trips to the meets and everything that goes along with being a student athlete. I congratulate you."

There were 15 athletes being honored for a second or third time in which 16 of the school's 18 sports were represented in 21 major disciplines. Also honored were the members of the 1993 national championship field hockey team whose starting players combined for a 3.29 grade point average. That squad also had the most honorees with eight.

# King's dream remembered at commemorative banquet



Bonita Franks, chairperson of the Martin Luther King Jr. banquet, reflects on King's commitment to creating "ties that bind."

"We share tonight in the same spirit of unity, peace and harmony championed by the man we honor," said George Agbango, chairperson of the Black History Month committee, in welcoming over 300 guests to the first annual Martin Luther King Jr. Commemorative Banquet.

Agbango, chairperson of the political science department, entreated the audience to treat and judge people not by the color of their skin, but by their character. "We must work together to make Bloomsburg a better place, not just for us, but for generations to come," he said.

The banquet, postponed from its original January date because of weather, was held in the Kehr Union Ballroom late last month. The event was sponsored by the Black History Month committee in alliance with the Martin Luther King Jr. Day committee.

Curt English, interim president, spoke in support of the call by King's widow, Coretta Scott King, "for every American to reach out and make a difference." English hailed her advocacy of the "concept of service" as the cornerstone to her husband's philosophy. The observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day should be a time of peace and unity for all Americans, English said.

"Dr. King was a virtual master of creating 'ties that bind,'" said Bonita Franks, chairperson of the banquet and associate professor of curriculum and foundations, referring to the banquet's theme. "We need to remember all of our futures, black and white, are tied together."

Peter Bohling, professor of economics, and Brigitte Callay, professor of languages and cultures, joined Agbango in reflections on the theme,

"Creating Ties That Bind." More than ever before, Bohling said, people of all races must meet King's challenge to be neighborly. "We must be able to communicate with other cultures. We need to learn from each other and accept others' mistakes," Bohling said. "We need to understand and interact. This creates the 'ties that bind.'"

Callay, a native of Belgium, recalled sitting with her family in front of the television in 1957 and hearing about civil rights battles in Little Rock. "My father was in (a concentration) camp," Callay said. "He knew what it meant to struggle. This bound us together with the struggle of the people in Little Rock."

Callay described truth as the ability to assess with wisdom what is good and right. "As long as hurt is in one part of our humanity, we all suffer," Callay said in reminding the audience that King empowered truth with the power of the spoken word.

The banquet featured musical performances by the Mt. Zion Baptist Church Choir, conducted by Roosevelt Newson, associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences. Wayne Whitaker, assistant director of admissions, was one of the soloists.

Additional musical selections were presented by the Bloomsburg University Concert Choir under the direction of Eric Nelson.

Several students reflected on King's contributions and related issues in a video which included highlights of King's life. Alicia McKay, a senior mass communications major from Washington, D.C., served as mistress of ceremonies. The sponsoring committees hope to make the banquet an annual event.

— Susan M. Schantz



Wayne Whitaker (above), assistant director of admissions, sings a solo as part of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church Choir, directed by Roosevelt Newson (left), associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.



George Agbango, assistant professor of political science, Peter Bohling, professor of economics, and Brigitte Callay, professor of languages, reflected on the banquet theme, "creating ties that bind."



George Agbango



Peter Bohling



Brigitte Callay



The Bloomsburg University Concert Choir, directed by B. Eric Nelson, assistant professor of music, sings a South African song at the Martin Luther King Jr. Commemorative Banquet.

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Mary Harris, associate professor of curriculum and foundations, is presented with Bloomsburg's Martin Luther King Jr. Humanitarian Award by Walter Howard, assistant professor of history.

## Mary Harris receives Humanitarian Award

Mary Harris, associate professor of curriculum and foundations, was awarded the first annual Martin Luther King Jr. Humanitarian Award during the King commemorative banquet.

Walter Howard, assistant professor of history, explained that the award was presented to the faculty member whose ideals and conduct exemplified King's commitment to equity and racial justice. "Mary Harris has helped bridge

the gap at Bloomsburg," Howard said.

Howard cited Harris' work with S.T.A.R.T. (Students Together Alleviating Racial Tension), a multi-ethnic organization of students who want to address and overcome the barriers between people and work together to effectively fight racism and inequality.

The award was also based on Harris' work with the PRIDE (Personal Responsibility in Developing Excellence) Program. PRIDE serves Harrisburg middle and high school students from low-income households who show academic potential but are at risk of dropping out of high school. Beginning with students completing the sixth grade, about 100 students spend a week at Bloomsburg's campus each summer until they graduate from high school. The program is designed to work with students early, before they lose interest in education.

Harris teaches Education in Urban Society, another example Howard cited of her qualifications to receive the award plaque. The class prepares students to teach in an urban setting, and in addition provides understand-

ings, materials and lessons useful to future teachers as they discuss and foster understanding of multicultural issues.

"I never think of myself as a humanitarian," Harris said accepting the award, "I am a teacher. That's what I do best, that's where I'm most comfortable, that's where I belong."

Harris said her students are the true humanitarians. "It is our students who push me and I want to pay tribute to them. Our students give me hope."

Harris joined Bloomsburg's faculty in 1989. She has served on various campus committees, including the Commission on the Status of Women, Committee on Protected Class Issues, Urban Initiatives Committee, Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee, where she chairs the subcommittee on diversity, and the APSCUF Executive Committee. In addition, she was appointed an Urban Fellow by the Pennsylvania Academy for the Profession of Teaching. She has served on the National Urban Conference Planning Committee and the state Teacher Development Center Planning Committee.

## Construction

Robert Parrish, vice president for administration, has reported the following construction, renovation and maintenance projects:

**Student Recreation Center** — Work within the building perimeter is being suspended until better weather. All utility links to Waller Administration Building and Buckingham Maintenance Center are complete. Swisher Circle is open.

**Centennial Gymnasium and Andruss Library** — Masonry restoration is 95 percent complete. Low temperatures are delaying completion. The job is shut down during winter. Completion is scheduled for April or May.

**Storm Sewer Installation** — The project was 90 percent complete by Jan. 28. Restoration of lawn and walks will be postponed until spring. The job is shut down during the winter. Road maintenance continues, with restoration planned for spring.

**Montour Hall** — Rewiring job complete. Closeout papers are being processed.

**New Library** — The project is under review by the state's Department of General Services for a mandated value engineering evaluation.

**Steamline Project** — Final design is being reviewed by the Department of General Services prior to bid. The Department of General Services expects the project to be undertaken over 1994-95 because of winter delays.

**Lycoming Hall Roof Project** — Contract development is planned for March. Maintenance is reviewing the project.

**Elwell Hall Air Conditioning** — The study has been received and accepted. The project will be activated with construction staffing resources become available.

**Montour and Schuylkill Halls Water Tank Replacement** — Bids were opened in February. Work is planned for this summer.

**Schuylkill Hall Rewiring and Windows** — Bids were opened in February. Work is planned for summer.

**Lycoming, Luzerne and Schuylkill Halls Elevator Project** — Bids were opened in February. Work is planned for this summer.

**Mailroom Project** — Construction work order completed and given to maintenance for scheduling.

## News briefs

■ Campus Dining Services is recruiting energetic staff and faculty members to audition to perform in "Monday Night Live," an entertainment show to celebrate the first day of spring. Musicians, singers, dancers, jugglers, comedians and other entertainers are invited to audition. The show will be held Monday, March 21, at 7 p.m. in the Kehr Union Ballroom. For more information, contact Susy Robison, marketing manager of campus dining services, at 4485.

## System faculty come to Bloomsburg to study interactive technology

Faculty from throughout the State System are traveling to Bloomsburg in 1994 to learn how to use interactive technology to improve teaching and learning.

The Institute for Interactive Technologies (IIT) has received a \$68,950 grant for a project titled "Advancing Teaching and Learning through Technology: Phase II."

Phase I of the project, funded by a \$30,000 State System grant in 1992, involved training 28 faculty members, two from each State System university, to create interactive media programs.

Melding video images with computer applications, interactive media programs allow the users to direct the progress and pace of a program.

Phase II of the project, which began in January, will bring last year's participants back to Bloomsburg to attend advanced seminars on interactive media. Additionally, two new faculty members from each university will attend Bloomsburg to learn how to create interactive media. The four faculty members from each State System university will form a team to create an interactive program. A Bloomsburg graduate assistant will be assigned to each system university to help the faculty with their project.

Phase II will help advance several State System goals, says Hank Bailey, director of the Institute for Interactive Technologies. "It helps bring technology into the teaching process, it enables graduate students to become involved in faculty research, and it impacts the entire system."

Faculty from a variety of disciplines will participate in the project. "It's nice to have diversity because you get different ideas on how technology can be used," says Bailey.

For example, last year's project from Edinboro University enables students to see and hear musical instruments from around the world.

Bloomsburg faculty members G. Donald Miller, professor of communication disorders and special educa-

**"When the program is finished the faculty involved will know how to design and develop interactive programs. The advanced people will know how to establish and maintain a center for interactive technology on their campus."**

— Hank Bailey

tion, and Vishakha Rawool, assistant professor of communication disorders and special education, are returning to this year's project from last year. The new participants from Bloomsburg are Robert Obutelewicz, assistant professor of economics, and Karen M. Trifonoff, assistant professor of geography and earth science.

"When the program is finished, the faculty involved will know how to design and develop interactive programs," says Bailey. "The advanced people will know how to establish and maintain a center for interactive technology on their campus. Ultimately, I'd like to see Bloomsburg become the host center for satellite centers across the state."

Besides being used in the classroom, Bailey hopes that the programs created through the project will be demonstrated at national conferences, helping to highlight the technology available at Bloomsburg and throughout the State System.

The grant will also fund the purchase of a Quadra 840 AV computer system, a large screen projector and software. Each campus will receive Authorware Professional software for multimedia design. This will provide consistent software on all state system campuses.

Dorothy Hobbis, a staff member for the IIT, will coordinate the project. Timothy Phillips and Nancy Thornton, assistant professors of instructional technology, and Bailey will teach the seminars. IIT staff member Kenneth Job will provide technical assistance.

— Eric Foster

## Celebrity Artist Series features St. Louis Symphony Orchestra

The Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra will perform at Bloomsburg on Thursday, March 17, in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, at 8 p.m. as part of Bloomsburg's Celebrity Artist Series.

Musical director and conductor Leonard Slatkin has been recognized internationally for his diverse abilities, not only as a masterful interpreter of the standard repertory, but also as a champion of new works. Since 1978, Slatkin's recordings with the Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra have been nominated yearly for Grammy Awards, winning two in 1985 for a

recording of Prokofiev's Symphony No. 5 and one in 1992 for a recording which included Barber's Piano Concerto with John Browning.

"The Saint Louis Symphony, with its excellent string and percussion sections, has probably risen from regional to international prominence faster than any other American orchestra," writes *Town and Country Magazine*.

Tickets for orchestra's performance are \$25 and \$20 and may be purchased by calling 4409. Community Activities cardholders may pick up their tickets at the Kehr Union, Information Desk.

## 'Good Neighbor Day' planned April 10

The Town-Gown Committee will sponsor "Good Neighbor Day" on Sunday, April 10, from 2 to 4 p.m. "We hope to open lines of communication between town residents and student neighbors," says Marie Conley, a senior representing the executive board of CGA, who is coordinating the event with Shelley Evans, assistant town administrator. "This is an opportunity to heighten awareness of community."

A portion of Lightstreet Road, from Penn to North streets, will be blocked off. Free ice cream will be served by volunteers from the university and town. Prizes will be awarded at a brief

ceremony scheduled for 3 p.m. which will include remarks by Bloomsburg Mayor Dan Bauman and Curt English, university interim president. Tickets for prizes will be widely distributed on campus and in town. Ticket holders must be present to win.

Radio disc Jockeys from the university's WBUQ and WHLM in Bloomsburg will broadcast from the site. Other highlights will include appearances by the Bloomsburg Husky and varsity football team. University students will entertain children from the town with face painting, clowns, balloons and other special activities.

## Presidential Search Committee recommends three candidates

Trustees James T. Atherton and John J. Haggerty, co-chairs of the Presidential Search Committee, report that following the completions of the visits to the Bloomsburg campus of the four finalist candidates, the following three candidates are being recommended unanimously and enthusiastically to the Council of Trustees:

**Philip W. Conn**, vice president for university advancement at Central Missouri State University;

**Jessica Kozloff**, vice president for academic and student affairs at State Colleges in Colorado; and

**Frank G. Pogue**, vice chancellor for student affairs and special programs at the State University of New York, central administration.

The Council of Trustees will receive and act on the report of the Presidential Search Committee at its next meeting on Thursday, March 10.

## Campus notes

**Connie Schick**, professor of psychology, and J. David Arnold, dean of arts and sciences at Clarion University, recently presented "Getting Organized Means Better Education and Less Stress: How to Do It and How to Teach It" at the 16th Annual National Institute of the Teaching of Psychology, in St. Petersburg Beach, Fla.

**Janet Reynolds Bodenman**, assistant professor of communication studies, recently presented "Graduate Student and Graduate Professor: Commuting Between Two Worlds" at the Speech Communication Association Convention held in Miami Beach, Fla. Bodenman also completed two short courses at the convention.

## Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

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Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Vandalism	3	0
Disorderly Conduct	2	2
Liquor Law Violations	9	9
Public Drunkenness	0	0
Sexual Offenses	0	0
Rape	0	0
Drug Violations	0	0
Simple Assaults	0	0
Aggravated Assaults	0	0
Murder	0	0
Arson	0	0
Weapons Possession	0	0
DUI	0	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0	1
Robbery/Burglary	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Theft From Buildings	10	2
Theft From Vehicles	0	0
Other Thefts	0	0

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** All faculty and staff members of the university can help increase security on campus by locking their office doors at the end of the day. If a single door leads to a group of offices, this should also be locked. Theft is everyone's concern, especially if it happens to you.

# Calendar

## Thursday, March 10

- ◆ Brass Chamber Music Potpourri with featured guest quintet Commonwealth Brass, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 8 p.m. Admission is free.
- ◆ Trustees Meeting, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 5 p.m.
- ◆ Comedy night with Al Romas, Kehr Union, 8 p.m.

## Friday, March 11

- ◆ Faculty diversity discussion, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, noon, call 4281 for reservations.
- ◆ Film, "The Fugitive," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.
- ◆ Chamber Series—Roosevelt Newson, pianist, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 8 p.m. Tickets required. Call 4409.

## Sunday, March 13

- ◆ Student Flute/Piano Recital, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 2:30 p.m. Admission is free.
- ◆ Film, "The Fugitive," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 p.m.

## Monday, March 14

- ◆ Women's History Month Discussion, Feminist poet Melanie Kaye/Kantrowitz, Hartline Science Center, Kuster Auditorium, 4 to 5:30 p.m.
- ◆ Psychology Lecture, "Enhancing Problem-Solving Skills to Prevent Substance Abuse," Marise Elias, Rutgers University, McCormick Center for Human Services, Room 2148, 3 p.m.

## Tuesday, March 15

- ◆ Women's History Month Discussion, "Black Women: Past, Present and Future," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 7 to 9 p.m. The video "Ida B. Wells and Sanny Lou Hammer," will be shown, followed by a discussion.
- ◆ Jazz Night—Annual concert of big-band jazz and swing, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

## Wednesday, March 16

- ◆ University Forum, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.
- ◆ Take Back the Night March, Outside Centennial Gymnasium facing McCormick Center for Human Services, 4:15 p.m.
- ◆ Film, "Fried Green Tomatoes," Kehr Union, Ballroom, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

# Music department plans Jazz Night, recital for piano and flute students

The Bloomsburg University Studio Band will give a joint "Jazz Night 1994" concert with Lock Haven University's Jazz-Rock Ensemble on Tuesday, March 15, at 8 p.m. in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

Each ensemble will play individually, then combine to perform "Don't Stop" and "Gotcha' Covered" to conclude the program. The concert will feature selections by a variety of composers such as Billy May, Bob Mintzer, George Gershwin, Matt Dennis, Toots Camarata and Mark Taylor.

This is the fourth in a series of cooperative concerts that the Studio Band has held with jazz ensembles from other universities.

Bloomsburg's Studio Band is directed by Stephen Wallace, chairperson of the music department.

On Sunday, March 13, two Bloomsburg University students will give a recital in Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, at 2:30 p.m.

Mary Beth Mauro will give a piano recital featuring the works of Chopin, Bartok and Beethoven. A senior elementary education major from Tamaqua, Mauro is a student of John Couch, associate professor of music.

Lisa Arndt will give a flute recital featuring works by Burton, Morlacchi and Poulenc. She will be assisted by Donna Gutknecht on piano. A junior from Exton with a double major in early-childhood and elementary education, Arndt is a student of Terry Oxley, associate professor of music.

Both concerts are free and open to the public.

## Thursday, March 17

- ◆ Celebrity Artist Series —Saint Louis Symphony, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 8 p.m. Tickets required. Call 4409.

## Friday, March 18

- ◆ Psychology Lecture, "Neurobiology of Successful Aging," Robert Isaacson, State University of New York, Binghamton, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.
- ◆ Film, "Fried Green Tomatoes," Kehr Union, Ballroom, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Sunday, March 20

- ◆ Student Recital, Soprano music major Melissa Imes, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, Carver Hall, 2:30 p.m. Admission is free.
- ◆ Film, "Fried Green Tomatoes," Kehr Union, Ballroom, 7 p.m.

## Wednesday, March 23

- ◆ Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee (BUCC) open forum, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.

## Saturday, March 26

- ◆ Spring Break begins at noon.

## Monday, April 4

- ◆ Classes resume at 6 p.m.

## Tuesday, April 5

- ◆ Art Exhibit—Sculptures by Ed Love (artist's reception at noon), Haas Center for

**Tuesday, April 5** (continued)  
the Arts, through April 29.

## Wednesday, April 6

- ◆ Film, "The Pelican Brief," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Friday, April 8

- ◆ Film, "The Pelican Brief," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Saturday, April 9

- ◆ President's Ball, 6 to 11 p.m., Kehr Union, Ballroom. Tickets required. Call 4128 for information.

## Sunday, April 10

- ◆ Chamber Series—Audubon Quartet, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 2 p.m. Tickets required. Call 4409.
- ◆ Good Neighbor Day, Lightstreet Road, 2 to 4 p.m., Sponsored by the Town-Gown Committee.
- ◆ Film, "The Pelican Brief," Kehr Union, Ballroom, 7 p.m.

## Thursday, April 13

- ◆ Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee (BUCC) meeting, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.
- ◆ Film, "Philadelphia," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.
- ◆ Spring Weekend begins at 10 p.m.

## Friday, April 15

- ◆ Film, "The Pelican Brief," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

# Trustees forward names of three candidates

## *Board of Governors to name new president April 21*

The Council of Trustees, at its regular quarterly meeting, voted to forward the names of three presidential candidates endorsed by the presidential search committee to Chancellor James McCormick and the Board of Governors. The motion was passed after trustees met in executive session for one hour and 20 minutes. Trustees Kevin O'Connor, Lee Davis and Robert Buehner Jr. abstained from the vote.

The trustees voted to support a "friendly amendment" made by Buehner to require that a trustee and/or member of the search committee accompany Edward Kelley Jr., vice chancellor for employee and labor relations, to visit the campuses of each finalist to conduct site interviews.

The chancellor will make a recommendation to the Board of Governors who will name the new president during its April 21 meeting. The new president will visit Bloomsburg the following day and greet the university community at a reception.

The finalists are Philip Conn, vice president for university advancement at Central Missouri State University, Jessica Kozloff, vice president for academic and student affairs at State Colleges in Colorado, and Frank Pogue, vice chancellor for student affairs and special programs at the State University of New York, central administration.

Various trustees expressed appreciation to the members of the search committee for their service and diligence. Letters of appreciation will be placed in their personnel files. The dedication and hard work of Anita Lamar Hakim, secretary to the committee, was recognized.

In other business, the council voted to increase a number of student fees. Room and board fees will remain the lowest in the State System of Higher Education. The approved double occupancy room fee for Pennsylvania residents will increase from \$788 to \$825 per semester. Meal fees will be increased \$10 for each of the available plans. "Our increases in housing and food service are incredibly small given the quality of the service," said Robert Parrish, vice president for administration.

Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president for academic affairs, explained the academic equipment fee would be calculated on a percentage of tuition rather than a set dollar amount as in previous years. "This is an attempt to bring Bloomsburg to the mid-point range of other universities in the State System," Matteson said. "These fees are used to replace laboratory equipment and to provide other state-of-the-art equipment to our students for hands-on educational experiences. Bloomsburg's fee will increase to \$62 per semester, up from the current \$35."

Matteson pointed out the academic equip-

ment fee at Millersville University is \$141 and at Shippensburg it is \$147. John Leh, president of the Community Government Association, indicated student leaders feel the rate increase is justified in order for the university to stay academically competitive.

Curt English, interim president, reported that as of March 10 the university had been closed for all or part of 11 days due to severe weather and in response to the governor's request during the electrical power emergency. The university implemented its new compressed schedule, English said, on one day.

— Susan M. Schantz

## English to receive honorary degree

Curt English, interim president, will receive an honorary doctorate of pedagogy at the May commencement exercises. The Council of Trustees unanimously approved a motion to honor English's service to the university.

## Electronic registration deemed successful

The electronic registration trial conducted in January has been deemed a success, according to Kenneth Schnure, registrar. Nearly 1,000 undergraduate off-campus and commuting degree students participated in the trial.

A recent review of the process was conducted by the registrar, provost and Computer Center personnel. "As a result of the satisfactory results, we have decided to extend electronic registration to all undergraduate off-campus and commuting degree students beginning with this fall semester," Schnure said.

One of the enhancements of the process comes as a result of student suggestions. The last screen display in electronic registration will display the student's class schedule from which the student may print a copy. Previously, to display the class schedule the student had to leave electronic registration and enter the course selection option of the student information system. "This change will save students time in completing registration and viewing their current class schedule," Schnure said.

Undergraduate students living in campus

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# News briefs

■ In the 1993-95 *Undergraduate Catalog* it is incorrectly listed on page iv, under the academic calendar, that Spring Weekend will be held in April. Spring Weekend is combined with Spring Break, which runs from noon on Saturday, March 26, to 6 p.m. on Monday, April 4.

■ Beginning April 1, university parking hours will be as follows: Monday through Friday, 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. — vehicles must be parked in decal-designated areas; Monday through Friday, 6 p.m. to 2 a.m. — open parking on campus except for reserved areas.

■ The Bloomsburg University Chamber Orchestra and Choir will perform Franz Schubert's "Mass in G Major" at the Catholic Campus Ministry Mass on Sunday, April 10, at 6 p.m. at St. Columba Church, Third and Iron streets, Bloomsburg.

The Chamber Orchestra is directed by Mark Jelinek, assistant professor of music, and the Chamber Choir is directed by Wendy Miller, associate professor of music.

## COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

Bloomsburg is committed to providing equal educational and employment opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, life-style, sexual orientation, handicap, Vietnam era veteran, or union membership.

The university is additionally committed to affirmative action and will take positive steps to provide such educational and employment opportunities.

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**Deadline for submitted material:**  
**Monday, March 28**

Please submit story ideas, news briefs and calendar information to COMMUNIQUÉ, University Relations and Communication Office, Waller Administration Building, Room 104A Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA 17815. Four-digit phone numbers listed in the COMMUNIQUÉ are on-campus extensions. To use the numbers off-campus, dial 389 first. The area code is 717.

## English thanks SECA participants

The 1993 State Employee's Combined Appeal (SECA) again shows Bloomsburg's local and global community spirit. You can take justifiable pride in the results of our campus' generosity. By exceeding the dollar goal our combined caring raised \$31,487.60, the most of any university in the State System. Our 305 participants were also the highest in the system.

While we who pledged or contributed can take personal pride and all of us as a community can take general pride in the results of the 1993 campaign, I present you with what I hope you will accept as a challenging thought. First, think of all the good that will be done for so many people as a result of over 300 members of the Bloomsburg University community participating in SECA; then, think about how much more could be done next year if everyone participated. Much more needs to be done.

Thank you for starting 1994 by helping make it a year when more people in our community and on our planet will have an opportunity to bloom.

Sincerely,  
 Curt English '56  
 Interim President

**P.S.** John C. Thomas, executive director of the Columbia County United Way, has written English a letter thanking the university's employees for their support of the United Way in 1993. In 1993, Bloomsburg faculty and staff contributed \$15,579 to the United Way of Columbia County.

## Native American Indian educators to present programs on April 12

The North American Indian Traveling College will stop at Bloomsburg to give two educational programs on Tuesday, April 12, in the Kehr Union Ballroom. Both programs are free and open to the public.

At a 2 p.m. workshop, members of the Traveling College will give a lecture and demonstrations of Akwesasne Mohawk culture and answer questions from the audience. At 8 p.m., the group will teach the audience about North American Indian culture through song and dance — with the

audience invited to participate.

The program is sponsored by Bloomsburg University's Native American awareness committee.

The North American Indian Traveling College is a non-profit cultural center, based on Cornwall Island in the St. Lawrence River between the United States and Canada, which is dedicated to the preservation of Native American Indian culture.

Robert Owen, assistant professor of marketing, is coordinating the event and can be contacted at 4386.

## Electronic registration

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residence halls will continue to register upon arrival on Aug. 27 and 28. Non-degree and graduate students will continue to register via the mail.

Off-campus and commuting students will register electronically beginning Tuesday, Aug. 23, at 9 a.m. and until Monday, Aug. 29, at 2 p.m.

No in-person registration is required.

In addition to registering electronically at one of the computer labs on campus, students may register from their homes using a personal computer and a telephone modem. (Dial 389-3030 for electronic registration.)



## Conductor's post to be auctioned at Eighth Annual President's Ball

The eighth annual President's Ball, sponsored by The Bloomsburg University Foundation, will be held Saturday, April 9, in the Kehr Union, Ballroom.

Bloomsburg interim president Curt English and his wife Janet will host the affair with music provided by the Bloomsburg Studio Band, the University-Community Orchestra and pianist Cynthia Cole. The event begins at 6 p.m.

An added feature for the evening will be an auction for guests to conduct the University-Community Orchestra. The successful bidder will conduct a march played by the orchestra. Proceeds will be used to help offset the orchestra's expenses for its

summer 1995 tour performance, Symphony at Sea.

"Last year, nearly \$3,000 was raised for the university's general scholarship fund when the event was held at Magee's 24 West Ballroom with 140 university alumni, friends and staff attending," says Susan M. Helwig, acting director of development at Bloomsburg.

The menu will consist of a choice of roast prime ribs of beef or orange roughly with crab stuffing. The cost is \$50 per person and seating is limited. Proceeds from the event benefit the university's general scholarship fund. For additional information, contact Linda Hill at the Development Center at 4705.

## Alumni lecture series begins in April

The Bloomsburg University Alumni Association will conduct a series of luncheon lectures from noon to 1:30 p.m. at The Inn at Turkey Hill. The cost is \$5 and reservations may be made by calling 4058.

The lectures include:

Friday, April 8 — "AIDS Overview: For the Non-Scientist," by James Parsons, associate professor of biological and allied health sciences, who will discuss the threat which is no longer just a "big city" disease.

Monday, April 11 — "Ruining a Good Housewife: Women and Higher Education, Then and Now," by Jeanette Keith, associate professor of history, who will examine 19th century and contemporary attitudes about women and higher education.

Monday, April 18 — "Emotions: The Forgotten Curriculum," by Nancy Gill, associate professor of English, who has been inspired by unhappy students to search for non-traditional ways to reach them.

Tuesday, April 26 — "From the 18th Century to Roving Robots," by Erik Wynters, associate professor of mathematics and computer science, who will outline how graphs first used

in the 1700s now play a key role in machine intelligence and robot motion planning.

Wednesday, May 4 — "Trekking Across the Alaska Brooks Range to the Arctic Ocean," by Roy Smith, director of experiential education and an internationally known excursion leader and storyteller, who will share his unique view of the world.

### Alumni Lecture Series Topics

**AIDS Overview:  
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the Alaska Brooks Range  
to the Arctic Ocean**

## Campus notes

**Tony Ianiero**, interim vice president for advancement, has been appointed to serve on the Bloomsburg Area Industrial Development Association. The 23-member board is comprised of a group of area community and business leaders affiliated with the Chamber of Commerce of Bloomsburg. The board is responsible for developing economic enhancement activities for Bloomsburg.

**Mary-Jo Arn**, assistant professor of English, is organizing the annual ACTA Conference on Food and Drink in the Middle Ages and Early Renaissance to be held at Binghamton University, Binghamton, N.Y., on April 22-23.

**Father Chester Snyder** and **Sister Anita McGowan**, campus ministers, have recently been certified by the Catholic Campus Ministry Association, a national professional association for campus ministers. Certification measures a person's compliance with the association's competency-based standards for campus ministers. Through a process of self-evaluation, reflection, prayer and peer review, the campus minister demonstrates her or his competency in personal, theological and professional areas.

**Joan A. Pallante**, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, has an article titled "Selected Perspectives on Teacher Reform Efforts" published in the Summer 1993 issue of *Action in Teacher Education*, a refereed journal of *The Journal of the Association of Teacher Educators*.

**Patricia Torsella**, assistant professor of nursing, recently received a doctor of nursing science degree from Widener University in Chester. She presented her dissertation research, "The Quantity, Quality and Impact of Mentoring Relationships Among Nursing Faculty in Academia" in post format at the Biennial Convention of Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society in Indianapolis. She received a research poster awards commendation in recognition of the quality of the research presentation.

**Terry A. Oxley**, associate professor of music, recently performed as a featured clarinet soloist with the Rockbridge Symphony Orchestra in Lexington, Va. He performed the Krommer "Concerto for Two Clarinets" with Julius Kline, the principal clarinetist of the State Philharmonic Kosice in Kosice, Slovakia. Oxley has also had an article about Julius Klein accepted for publication in *The Clarinet*, the journal of the International Clarinet Association.

**Salim Qureshi**, associate professor of marketing, recently presented his paper "Reflections on Japanese Marketing Systems" to the Columbia-Montour Torch Club, which met at Magee's Main Street Inn.

## Grants

Seven Bloomsburg faculty members have recently received grants from the State System of Higher Education's Faculty Professional Development Council.

**Elaine J. Anderson**, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, received \$3,800 for her project "The Effect of an Interdisciplinary Team Approach on the Attitudes of Rural Middle School Females, Males, Parents and Teachers Towards Women in Science and Mathematics."

**Dianne H. Angelo**, associate professor of communication disorders and special education, received \$1,224 for her project "Needs, Stressors and Resources of Families with Infants and Toddlers using Assistive Technology: A Statewide Survey."

**Joseph P. Ardizzi**, assistant professor of biological and allied health sciences, received \$1,155 for his project "The Sexual Phase Development of the Fungus *Neurospora Tetrasperma*: A Genetic and Cytological Analysis."

**Mary-Jo Arn**, assistant professor of English, received \$3,767 for her project "Preparation of the Courtly Lyrics Section for a Manual of the Writings in Middle English."

**Gary F. Clark**, assistant professor of art, received \$4,850 for his project "Fractal Landscape Generation, as Mathematics and as Art."

**Sandra J. Kehoe-Forutan**, assistant professor of geography and earth science, received \$2,436 for her project "Planning and Development in the Sea Islands of Beaufort County, South Carolina, Since the 1950s."

**Janice Feimster Walters**, instructor of developmental instruction, received \$1,000 for her project "Individual Faculty Certification and Completion of Supervised Practicum Project in Developmental Education."

## Trustees review employee appointments, reclassification

Several new university appointments and a reclassification were acknowledged recently by the Council of Trustees.

Barbara Barnes has been named state university administrator 1 serving in the grant-funded capacity of coordinator of Students Organized to Learn Through Volunteerism and Employment (S.O.L.V.E.).

Winifred Beard has been appointed to the grant-funded position of instructor serving in the capacity of assistant director of the Upward Bound Program.

Theresa Petruzzelli, has been named clerk steno 2 in the department of curriculum and foundations.

Amber Keefer, state university administrator 1 serving in the capacity of assistant registrar, has been reclassified to state university administrator 2.

## Love to create sculptural installation art work in Haas Gallery April 6-9

Sculptor **Ed Love** will create a sculptural installation art work at Bloomsburg April 6 through 9. The installation will remain on exhibit through April 30.

Working with Bloomsburg University art students, Love will create his sculptural installation utilizing body forms (mannequins), wrapped in silver mylar and clear packing tape. Visitors are welcome to view the creation of the installation. A reception for Love will be held Saturday, April 9, at noon in the gallery.

"The work suspended in the Haas Gallery of Art is intended to be both a provocative and controversial installation — a visualization of violence," says Stewart Nagel, professor of art and director of the gallery.

Love has been creating a world of arresting drawings, paintings and sculptures for more than 25 years. Currently professor of art and director of undergraduate studies at Florida

State University in Tallahassee, Fla., Love has been awarded that institution's highest teaching honor. He served three years as founding dean of visual arts at New World School of the Arts in Miami, Fla., and taught at Howard University in Washington, D.C., from 1968 to 1987.

He is the recipient of many awards and fellowships, including the Guggenheim Fellowship and Pratt Institute Art Educator Award. Love's work has been exhibited throughout the United States, including the Museum of African Art, Tampa, Fla., and the National Black Arts Invitational in Atlanta, Ga.

Love's exhibit is sponsored by Bloomsburg University's art department and human relations committee. Mannequins for the exhibit were donated by Boscov's in Selinsgrove and The Bon-Ton in Bloomsburg. Gallery hours are Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## Foundation funds support student involvement in conferences

Portions of a \$3,000 grant from the Bloomsburg University Foundation to the Campus-Wide Committee on Human Relations (CWCHR) were awarded to two student groups.

The CWCHR approved a \$1,382 request to enable six students to attend the annual conference sponsored by the Pennsylvania Black Conference on Higher Education. The conference was held recently in Mechanicsburg.

"The annual conference provides the opportunity for our students to engage in meaningful dialogue with students and professionals from other colleges and universities," says Irvin Wright, assistant director of developmental instruction. "Students will attend meetings and workshops focusing on issues and their implications to Blacks and other other minorities in higher education," says Wright who

will accompany the students.

Monique Matthews, a sophomore psychology major from Trucksville, was one of seven Pennsylvania students awarded a \$500 scholarship from the conference.

In addition, CWCHR funded a \$250 request to cover a portion of the expenses of members of the Anthropology Club who will attend the sixth annual State System of Higher Education Undergraduate Anthropology Research Conference. The conference will be held in April and hosted by Bloomsburg University.

Anthropology students from the State System universities will present original research papers at the conference. Papers will focus on the four subfields of anthropology: ethnography, archaeology, physical anthropology and linguistics.



**REAL WORLD EXPERIENCE** — Leon Szmedra (left), assistant professor of health, physical education and athletics, works with William Shearer as they use a Beckman Metabolic Cart to monitor John Bolesta's body's response to treadmill running. Shearer and Bolesta are graduate assistants in the Human Performance Laboratory, which is directed by Szmedra. The metabolic cart was donated to the university by Harrisburg Hospital last year.

## Equipment donation enhances students' hands-on experience

This semester, Bloomsburg students are using a Beckman Metabolic Cart to examine the effects of physical activity on the human cardio-respiratory system.

The instrument measures oxygen consumption and carbon dioxide production, which is the best indicator of cardio-respiratory fitness, says Leon Szmedra, assistant professor of exercise physiology. "We're in the process of doing research on individuals ranging from college-aged athletes to members of the general student population and senior citizens."

Donated to the university last year by Harrisburg Hospital, the metabolic cart is valued at \$24,500, and would cost \$39,000 to replace with a new unit. Szmedra, who directs the Human Performance Laboratory in Centennial Gymnasium where the equipment is housed, worked with the hospital for a year to secure the donation.

The equipment is used by approximately 15 graduate exercise physiology majors and 50 undergraduate adult health majors as well as students from other disciplines.

"It's unusual for undergraduate and

graduate students to have hands-on experience in a classroom setting working with a metabolic cart," says Szmedra.

The typical research process first involves the testing of individuals to establish a baseline measure of oxygen consumption as an indicator of their cardio-respiratory efficiency. Subjects are then prescribed an exercise regimen, such as a treadmill running and/or cycle ergometry, and tested periodically to determine if their ability to consume oxygen has improved.

Besides learning from the results of the research, students will benefit from hands-on experience with this type of equipment. "Many of our students are interested in cardiac rehabilitation or corporate fitness and upon graduation may use this type of instrument," says Szmedra. "I've always believed that if students, both graduate and undergraduate, are exposed to the research process, the transfer of knowledge is expedited and more enjoyable. This instrument will have a positive impact on the educational environment of our students."

## Campus notes

**John J. Olivo Jr.**, interim dean of the College of Business and professor of business education and office administration, will be installed as the executive vice president of the Office Systems Research Association at its annual convention March 27-29 in Kansas City, MO.

**JoAnne S. Growney**, professor of mathematics and computer science, has a poem titled "Counting" published in the February issue of *The American Mathematical Monthly*. The poem, as well as other mathematical and non-mathematical verse, appears in Growney's recently published collection, *Intersections*, which is available at the University Store.

**Reza Noubary**, professor of mathematics and computer science, recently had a paper he has co-written titled "Seismic Waves and Correlation Autoregressive Processes" published in the journal *Mathematical Geology*, vol. 25, No. 6. He also presented a paper titled "Theory of Outstanding Values and Its Applications to the Record-Breaking Events"

**Leon Szmedra**, assistant professor of health, physical education and athletics, has a research project "The Investigation of Selected Physiological and Psychological Parameters in Well-Trained Endurance Athletes During Sub-Maximal Treadmill Running" recently featured in the magazine section of *Dagens Nyheter (The Daily News)* of Stockholm, Sweden. The information for the article was obtained by sports medicine journalist Christen Carlsson during an interview with Szmedra at The World University Games, in Buffalo, N.Y., where he presented the research.

**Donald A. Vannan**, professor emeritus of curriculum and foundations, has had a science education article titled "More 'Science With a Pop'" published in the February issue of *Elementary Teacher Ideas*. The article was intended as a collection of classroom ideas for teachers of grades kindergarten through eight dealing with the subject of popcorn.

**Gary Clark**, assistant professor of art, and **Kenneth Wilson**, associate professor of art, were invited to exhibit works in the Pennsylvania Art Education Association Exhibition, which is being held in the Packwood House Museum in Lewisburg. Clark's entry is a computer graphic landscape while Wilson is showing two of his recent narrative watercolor paintings. The exhibit runs through March 27.

# COMMUNIQUÉ Readership Survey

The *Communiqué* needs your help. We want to know if we are meeting the informational needs of faculty and staff. Please take a moment and complete this readership survey prior to April 8. Surveys

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## New library remains focus of employee fund-raising drive

During the next two weeks all employees will be asked to pledge their support to The Library Fund to build the new library. The library continues to be the focus of the annual Faculty and Staff for Excellence campaign. With \$1 million remaining to be raised, everyone's gift is vital.

So far, 216 employees have pledged more than \$72,000 toward a \$100,000 goal for the library. Pledges range from \$10 to \$15,000. Nineteen employees have already pledged at the "tile" (\$1,000) level. (A future issue of the *Communiqué* will report on the \$15,000 pledge.)

More discussion about the status of

The Library Fund campaign and an explanation of the ceramic tile recognition mural are included in the information that each employee will receive.

Individuals who prefer to pledge their support to scholarships, athletics, or other special projects may indicate their choice on a pledge/gift form.

Payroll deduction is available, and gifts are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law. The campaign will extend through April, although contributions are welcome at any time. Questions about the campaign may be directed to Susan Hicks, assistant director of development, at 4525.

## Math department to sponsor lectures

The department of mathematics and computer science is sponsoring a series of lectures during spring semester. The lectures are scheduled on Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m. in Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 105.

The talks, which are free and open to the public, include:

- April 5 — "Prolog and Expert Systems" by Derek Barnes of Monmouth College, West Long Branch, N.J.

- April 12 — "3-D Computer Graphics Using PHIGS" by Erin Farr, Bloomsburg University student.

- April 19 — "A Tribute to Euler" by William Dunham of Muhlenberg College in Allentown and author of *Beyond Genius*.

- April 26 — "Chaos in Medical Sciences" by Bruce Romanic, M.D.

- May 3 — "Magic Tricks, Card Shuffling and Dynamic Computer" by Brent Morris, senior mathematician, National Security Agency.

Videotapes of previous talks are available. For more information, call Scott Inch at 4509 or Helmut Doll at 4031, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science.

## Clark's works exhibited in Senate building

Thirty computer artworks by Gary Clark, assistant professor of art at Bloomsburg University, will be exhibited in the U.S. Senate Russell Office Building Rotunda in Washington, D.C., from March 14 through March 18.

The works were all recently exhibited in Bloomsburg's Haas Gallery in the show "Analog-to-Digital." Using state-of-the-art computer technology,

Clark creates works which depict landscapes that are both fantastic, and yet appear to be photographically real.

"I hope my work will change people's misconceptions of what computer art is like and see how far it's come as a true artistic medium," says Clark.

The Senate show is sponsored by U.S. Sen. Harris Wofford.

## Campus notes

**Julia Bucher**, assistant professor of nursing, will make several presentations this semester. She will present a poster titled "Cancer Homecare Plans: A Guided Problem-Solving Approach for Family Caregivers of Persons with Cancer" on March 30 at the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Public Health Association. She will speak on the same topic on April 14 at the Cancer Patient Educators Conference and sponsored by National Cancer Institute and the Pittsburgh Cancer Institute in Pittsburgh. In addition, she is an invited speaker on May 14 at the 19th Annual Congress on the Oncology Nursing Society in Cincinnati, Ohio, where she will speak on "Collaborative Models for Home Care of Rural Cancer Patients." Bucher recently presented a poster at the 5th Annual Cancer Nursing Conference at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, MD.

**Dale A. Bertelsen**, associate professor of communication studies, recently gave the keynote address at the Speech Communication Association of Puerto Rico annual convention in San Juan. The address, titled "The Media Culture Experience and Puerto Rico," explored the influence of emerging communication technologies on Puerto Rican culture and the Puerto Rican people. **Amarilia Hidalgo-DeJesus**, assistant professor of languages and cultures, was a contributor to Bertelsen's initial research efforts.

**Chang Shub Roh**, professor of sociology and social welfare, recently delivered a lecture titled "Changing Global Population Growth Rate," to the Population Research Institute of East China Normal University, Shanghai, China. He also presented a paper titled "Cross Cultural Dimensions of Social Work Practice in Global Villages" at the First Joint Symposium of Korean Social World Education in the United States and Korea, at the University of California at Berkeley.

**Kathleen Rine**, who recently received a master's degree in nursing from Bloomsburg, has had a research abstract of her thesis, "A Nursing Study of Coping Strategies of Oncology Nurses," accepted for a poster presentation in May at the 1994 National Oncology Nurses Society Congress in Cincinnati, Ohio. The abstract was selected from among 360 submitted. She has also been invited to submit the completed paper in competition for the 1994 ONS/Schering Excellence in Cancer Nursing Research Award. The members of her thesis committee were Mary Gavaghan, committee chairperson and associate professor of nursing, J. Calvin Walker, professor of psychology, and Joan Stone, assistant professor of nursing.

# Calendar

## Thursday, March 24

◆ Women's Lacrosse vs. Ithaca College, upper campus, 4 p.m.

◆ Sexual Harassment Workshop, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 6:30 p.m.

## Saturday, March 26

◆ Spring Break begins at noon.

## Monday, April 4

◆ Classes resume at 6 p.m.

## Tuesday, April 5

◆ Spring Festival, "Culture in the '90s: Everyone Has a Culture 411." Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 3 p.m.

◆ Mathematics and computer science lecture, Derek Barnes, Monmouth College, "Prolog and Expert Systems," Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 105, 3:30 p.m.

## Wednesday, April 6

◆ Blood Drive, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

◆ Softball vs. University of Scranton, double header, lower campus, 3 p.m.

◆ Men's tennis vs. Penn State, lower campus, 3 p.m.

◆ Spring Lecture Series, Kara Shultz, assistant professor of communication studies, "Intercultural Communication," Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 7 p.m.

◆ Film, "The Pelican Brief," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Thursday, April 7

◆ European Festival, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 3 p.m. For more information, call Madhav Sharma, coordinator of international education, at 4830.

◆ Softball vs. Lock Haven University, double header, lower campus, 3 p.m.

◆ Baseball vs. Wilkes University, Litwhiler Field, 3:30 p.m.

## Friday, April 8

◆ Alumni luncheon lecture, James Parsons, associate professor of biological and allied health sciences, "AIDS Overview: For the Non-Scientist," Inn at Turkey Hill, noon to 1:30 p.m. Call 4058 for reservations.

◆ Psychology lecture, Timothy Cannon, University of Scranton, "Pain, Stress, Immunity and Cancer," McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, 3 p.m.

◆ Film, "The Pelican Brief," Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, 7 and 9:30 p.m.

# Audubon Quartet to perform April 10

The Audubon Quartet will perform at Bloomsburg on Sunday, April 10, in Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, at 2 p.m. as part of Bloomsburg's Celebrity Artist Series. The performance was originally scheduled for the evening of Saturday, April 9.

Founded in 1974, the ensemble was the first American string quartet to win the top prize in an international string quartet competition, winning first place at competitions at Evian, France, and the Festival Villa-Lobos in Rio de Janeiro.

A proponent of contemporary composers, the quartet recently performed the West Coast premiere of David Baker's "Quintet for Jazz Violin and String Quartet" with jazz violinist Joseph Kennedy in San Francisco and the New York premiere of Peter Schickele's String Quartet No. 3, "Four Seasons."

Since 1981, the Audubon Quartet has enjoyed an unusual residency at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and University in Blacksburg, Va., where they perform and conduct seminars for students of architecture, engineering and other technical fields.

The Audubon's most recent recording, "Quintets for Oboe and Strings" by Bax and Bliss with oboist Pamela Woods and Britten's "Phantasy," is available on the Telarc label. Other recordings include Peter Schickele's "Quartet No. 1, "American Dreams," Ezra Laderman's Quartet No. 6, "The Audubon," released by RCA Red Seal.

Tickets for quartet's performance are \$10 and may be purchased by calling 4409. Community activities card holders may pick up their tickets at the Kehr Union, Information Desk.

## Saturday, April 9

◆ Art Exhibit—Sculptures by Ed Love (artist's reception at noon), Haas Center for the Arts, through April 30. Work in progress April 6 to 9.

◆ Women's Lacrosse vs. Drew University, upper campus, 1 p.m.

◆ Baseball vs. East Stroudsburg, double header, Litwhiler Field, 2 p.m.

◆ President's Ball, 6 to 11 p.m., Kehr Union, Ballroom. Tickets required. Call 4128 for information.

## Sunday, April 10

◆ Baseball vs. Longwood College, double header, Litwhiler Field, 1 p.m.

◆ Chamber Series—Audubon Quartet, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, 2 p.m. Tickets required. Call 4409.

◆ Good Neighbor Day, Lightstreet Road, 2 to 4 p.m., Sponsored by the Town-Gown Committee.

◆ Film, "The Pelican Brief," Kehr Union, Ballroom, 7 p.m.

## Monday, April 11

◆ Spring Lecture Series, Walter Howard, assistant professor of history, "Malcolm X in the '90s," Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, noon.

◆ Baseball vs. Longwood College, Litwhiler Field, 1 p.m.

◆ Alumni luncheon lecture, Jeannette Keith, associate professor of history, "Ruining a Good Housewife: Women and

## Monday, April 11 (continued)

Higher Education," The Inn at Turkey Hill, noon to 1:30 p.m. Call 4058 for reservations.

◆ Spring Lecture Series Workshop, Carol Hodes, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, "Guidelines for Bias in Texts," Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 2 p.m.

## Tuesday, April 12

◆ Spring Lecture Series Workshop, Carol Hodes, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, "Guidelines for Bias in Texts," Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 2 p.m.

◆ North American Indian Traveling College, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 2 p.m. workshop, 8 p.m. social dance.

◆ Softball vs. Mansfield University, double header, lower campus, 3 p.m.

◆ Women's Lacrosse vs. Frostburg State College, upper campus, 4 p.m.

◆ Mathematics and computer science lecture, Erin Farr, Bloomsburg University student, "3-D Computer Graphics Using PHIGS," Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 105, 3:30 p.m.

◆ Concert, Blues Traveler, Nelson Field House, 8 p.m. Tickets are \$15 with Community Activities Card, \$20 for others. Call 4346 for information.

## Executive committee endorses Kozloff for president

The executive committee of the Board of Governors for the State System of Higher Education has voted to offer Jessica S. Kozloff the presidency of Bloomsburg University. The full board will vote to ratify the action of the committee during the April 21 quarterly meeting at Clarion University.

"I feel on top of the world," Kozloff said shortly after learning of the committee's action. "I'm filled with a sense of awe-

some responsibility and a wonderful feeling regarding my good fortune."

Kozloff will begin her duties at Bloomsburg on July 1. "Coming to Bloomsburg will be like coming home," she said. Kozloff and her physician husband, Stephen, a Pennsylvania native, spent the first four years of their marriage in Philadelphia. "This is a move that seems right for both of us," she said explaining that her husband is discussing professional opportunities with the Bloomsburg medical community.

Learning about Bloomsburg University will be Kozloff's first priority upon arrival. "At the same time, I want us to learn about each other and start talking about things that are important to me," she said.

Kozloff has described her management style as an "open-door" policy that encourages people to be frank and candid. "I consult with people and ask for help. I want honest opinions."

Students will be central to Kozloff's presidential agenda. "People will quickly find out I'm a student-centered person. I need to interact with students," she said.

Kozloff currently serves as vice president for academic and student affairs for the State Colleges in Colorado. The State Colleges in Colorado system comprises the three regional institutions of Western State College,



Jessica Kozloff

Mesa State College and Adams State College, and the urban campus of Metropolitan State College. The Colorado system serves over 26,000 students and has an annual operating budget of more than \$130 million.

As vice president for academic and student affairs, Kozloff coordinates new policies and program proposals that require approval by the Board of Trustees or the Colorado Commission on Higher Education. She also represents the colleges and the system to the Colorado Commission on Higher Education and serves as chief executive officer in the absence of the system president.

Prior to joining the Colorado system,

Kozloff served several positions at the University of Northern Colorado, including executive assistant to the president, assistant to the vice president for academic affairs and assistant dean of students and director of academic advising.

Kozloff has held faculty positions at the University of Nevada-Reno, Colorado State University, the University of Northern Colorado and Metropolitan State College.

She earned a doctor of philosophy degree in political science from Colorado State University in Fort Collins. She holds a master of arts degree in political science and a bachelor of science degree in education from the University of Nevada-Reno. Kozloff also served as an American Council on Education Fellow during the 1985-86 academic year.

An author, lecturer and consultant, Kozloff

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### TYING A BOW FOR GOOD NEIGHBOR DAY

Hai Ly, a sophomore business management major from Bloomsburg, helps Florence Thompson, a member of Town Council, display a bright turquoise bow as a symbol of unity between the two communities in observance of Good Neighbor Day. Story on page 3.

## News briefs

■ The Deans' Council, after much study and consultation, has revised the forms students use for individualized instruction and independent study. Copies of both forms are available from the registrar's office. The new forms should be used now for summer sessions and the fall semester. Previous versions of the forms, which are obsolete, should be destroyed.

■ The Bloomsburg University curriculum committee, in cooperation with representatives from other regional colleges and universities, is planning a conference titled "Getting It Together: A Conference for Diversity in Area Colleges," to be held Sept. 17 at Bloomsburg. The committee planning the conference invites individuals to submit proposals for 30-minute presentations or 60-minute workshops that explore issues related to cultural diversity and globalization throughout the curriculum.

The conference is self-supporting. Presenters must pay the conference fee of \$20. Proposals should be sent by April 14 to: Nancy Gill, associate professor of English, chair of the conference steering committee. For information, call Gill at 4250.

### COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

Bloomsburg is committed to providing equal educational and employment opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, life-style, sexual orientation, handicap, Vietnam era veteran, or union membership.

The university is additionally committed to affirmative action and will take positive steps to provide such educational and employment opportunities.

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Please submit story ideas, news briefs and calendar information to COMMUNIQUÉ, University Relations and Communication Office, Waller Administration Building, Room 104A Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA 17815. Four-digit phone numbers listed in the COMMUNIQUÉ are on-campus extensions. To use the numbers off-campus, dial 389 first. The area code is 717.

## QUEST plans spring courses

QUEST, an outdoor experiential education program at Bloomsburg, will offer the following courses in the coming months. Unless otherwise noted, the courses run from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Canoe I — Saturday, April 16, and Sunday, April 24.

Canoe/Kayak II — Sunday, May 1.

High Ropes — Sunday, April 17, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Kayak I — Sunday, April 17, and Saturday, April 23.

Rappelling — Saturday, April 16.

Rock Climbing — Sunday, April 10, and Sunday, April 24.

Rock Climbing II — Saturday, April 30.

Whitewater Rafting — Saturday, April 30, and Saturday, May 7.

The cost of all courses is \$15, with a Bloomsburg University student ID, and \$35 for all others.

QUEST is planning three overseas walking tours and a leadership trip to Colorado for the summer and the fall.

The trips include:

- Rafting on the Dolores River in Colorado, May 20 to June 12.

- A tour of the Alsace region of France and the mountains of the Vosges; May 23 to June 5.

- A walk across England's north country, July 30 to Aug. 11.

- Walking through the Highlands of Scotland and the Isle of Skye, Sept. 24 to Oct. 6.

For more information on the courses or trips, call the QUEST office at 4323.

## Employees pledge more than \$25,000 to library campaign so far this year

Two weeks into Bloomsburg's 1994 Faculty and Staff for Excellence campaign, 44 employees have contributed \$25,852 toward the library construction project, *A Treasury of Ideas*. This brings the total gifts and pledges to \$81,342 (81% of the \$100,000 goal).

Included in these totals are gifts from retired Bloomsburg faculty and staff. Bloomsburg employees who are alumni of the university are omitted from these figures. Pledges from 48 of these individuals are counted in the totals for the alumni constituency.

Forty-seven employees have reserved tiles on the ceramic mural.

In addition to the library, \$2,080 has been contributed by Bloomsburg employees for various scholarships and other special accounts.

The Faculty and Staff for Excellence campaign will extend through April, through contributions are welcome at any time. Reminders for the 1994 campaign will be sent later this month. Questions may be directed to Susan Hicks, assistant director of development, at 4525.

## Forums scheduled for social equity candidates

The campus community will have the opportunity to meet candidates for the position of special assistant to the president for social equity in a series of open forums in April.

The open forums are scheduled as follows:

Thursday, April 7, candidate Phyllis E. Liddell of Springfield, MO, Kehr Union, Hideaway Lounge, 2 p.m.

Tuesday, April 12, Ricky T. Walker of Boca Raton, Fla., Kehr Union, Hideaway Lounge, 2:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 14, Jocelind Gant of Newton, Mass., Kehr Union, Hideaway Lounge, 2:30 p.m.

Monday, April 18, Judith Kirmmse of Mystic, Conn., Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 2 p.m.



# Trumpet virtuoso David Hickman to speak, perform

Trumpet virtuoso David Hickman will perform and lecture at several events at Bloomsburg in April.

On Sunday, April 24, Hickman will be guest soloist at the spring concert of the Bloomsburg University-Community Orchestra at 2:30 p.m. On Monday, April 25, Hickman will give a master class at 7 p.m. On Tuesday, April 26, Hickman will give a lecture and demonstration titled, "The Golden Age of Brass," at 8 p.m. as part of the Provost's Lecture Series. All three events will be held in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, and are free to the public.

Hickman is known worldwide as a trumpet virtuoso and has appeared with over 200 orchestras in North America. A Regents' Professor of Music at Arizona State University in Tempe, he also serves on the faculty of Banff (Canada) Centre for the Arts.

*The New York Times* writes that Hickman "brings to his playing the kind of subtle shading one hears more frequently from violinists and cellists than from brass players."

The concert with the University-Community Orchestra will include Vivaldi's "Concerto for Two Trumpets No. 1 in C Major, Op. 46; Moussorgsky's "Pictures at an Exhibi-

tion;" and Arutyunian's "Concerto for Trumpet and Orchestra." Hickman will be joined by the orchestra's first trumpet player, Albert Bernath, on the Vivaldi piece.

The University-Community Orchestra is directed by Mark Jelinek, assistant professor of music at Bloomsburg.

## Good Neighbor Day to feature ice cream, family entertainment

Interim President Curt English encourages students, faculty and staff to participate in Good Neighbor Day, Sunday, April 10, from 2 to 4 p.m. on a portion of Lightstreet Road. "This is an important step to establish a positive rapport and mutual understanding between students and residents of Bloomsburg," English said.

Sponsored by the Town-Gown Committee, Good Neighbor Day events will be held on Lightstreet Road from Penn to North streets and will include free ice cream and entertainment by radio disc jockeys from the university's WBUQ and Bloomsburg's WHLM. Children's activities will include face painting, clowns, balloons and games provided by students from various sororities, fraternities and the athletic department. Members of the football team and the Husky mascot will assist with children's events.

Tickets for a variety of prizes donated by area merchants and the university are being distributed throughout the campus and the community. Prizes will be awarded during a brief ceremony at 3 p.m. Ticket holders must be present to win. Mayor Don Bauman and English are among those scheduled to deliver brief remarks.

Volunteers are needed to help serve ice cream and to distribute literature. Anyone wishing to help, should contact Marie Conley at 784-8515.

Conley, a senior from Trevoise, represents the executive board of the Community Government Association on the Town-Gown committee. Shelley Evans, assistant town administrator, and Conley are coordinating Good Neighbor Day.

## Anthropology to host research conference

Bloomsburg is the site of the sixth annual State System Undergraduate Anthropology Research Conference to be held April 15-16.

The conference is hosted by Bloomsburg's anthropology department and the Anthropology Club. Undergraduates from five State System universities, including Bloomsburg, will present research papers. Some of the topics include: citizen band radios and truck drivers, soda pop bottles, cutmark analysis, factors affecting volunteer firefighters and a discussion on an archaeological site in southwestern Pennsylvania.

"This type of research goes beyond the usual undergraduate curriculum. It is unusual for undergraduates to present papers of

this calibre," says Tom Aleto, associate professor of anthropology. "Our students' participation in this type of academic endeavor is testimony to the strength of our program."

Papers will be presented Saturday, April 16, beginning at 8:30 a.m. in the Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room A. "The session is open to the public. We hope many will come and take part in the discussion which will follow the presentation of each paper," Aleto says. "This is an excellent opportunity to learn about other cultures and to better understand issues related to diversity."

For additional information, call Aleto at 4860.

## Kozloff

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is an associate with the Academic Affairs Resource Center of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities, a member of the Colorado Telecommunications Advisory Commission, a Colorado 2000 State Team Member: Project on the National Education Goals and a member of the Technical Advisory Committee to the Higher Education Score Card Project of the Colorado Commission on Higher Education. She is a member of the Denver Mile High Rotary Club and the Colorado District #19 Judicial Nomination Commission.

Kozloff and her husband currently reside in Greeley, Colo., and are the parents of two grown children. — Susan M. Schantz

### Correction

In the April calendar of events pamphlet, it is incorrectly listed that the Provost's Lecture Series speaker David Hickman will have an afternoon workshop on Tuesday, April 26. See story above for the correct times of Hickman's appearances.

# Calendar

## LECTURES

**AIDS Overview: For the Non-Scientist**, James Parsons, associate professor of biological and allied health sciences, Alumni Luncheon Lecture Series, Friday, April 8, noon to 1:30 p.m., The Inn at Turkey Hill. Call 4058 for reservations.

**Pain, Stress, Immunity and Cancer**, Timothy Cannon, University of Scranton, psychology lecture, Friday, April 8, 3 p.m., McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum.

**Malcolm X in the '90s**, Walter Howard, assistant professor of history, Monday, April 11, noon, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

**Ruining a Good Housewife: Women and Higher Education**, Jeannette Keith, associate professor of history, Alumni Luncheon Lecture Series, Monday, April 11, noon to 1:30 p.m., The Inn at Turkey Hill. Call 4058 for reservations.

**Guidelines for Bias in Texts**, Carol Hodes, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, Monday, April 11, Tuesday, April 12, 2 p.m., Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

**3-D Computer Graphics Using PHIGS**, Erin Farr, Bloomsburg University student, mathematics and computer science Lecture, Tuesday, April 12, 3:30 p.m., Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 105.

**African-American Literature**, Steve Agbaw, assistant professor of English, Monday, April 18, 11 a.m., Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

**Emotions: The Forgotten Curriculum**, Nancy Gill, associate professor of English, Alumni Luncheon Lecture Series, Monday, April 18, noon to 1:30 p.m., The Inn at Turkey Hill. Call 4058 for reservations.

**A Tribute to Euler**, William Dunhman, Muhlenburg College, mathematics and computer science lecture, Tuesday, April 19, 3:30 p.m., Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 105.

**A Healthier You: Issues Facing African-American Students**, Wednesday, April 20, 4 p.m. Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

**Behavioral Momentum**, Steven Cohen, professor of psychology, psychology lecture, Friday, April 22, 3 p.m., McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum.

## CONCERTS

**Audubon Quartet**, Sunday, April 10, 2 p.m., Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Tickets required. Call 4409 for information.

**Chamber Orchestra and Choir**, Sunday, April 10, 6 p.m., Catholic Campus Ministry Mass, St. Columba Church, Third and Iron streets, Bloomsburg.

**Blues Traveler**, Tuesday, April 12, Nelson Field House, 8 p.m. Tickets are \$15 with Community Activities Card, \$20 for others. Call 4346 for information.

**Chamber Singers, Women's Choral Ensemble and Husky Singers**, Thursday, April 14, 8 p.m., Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Admission is free.

**Concert Band Spring Concert**, Sunday, April 17, 2:30 p.m., Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Admission is free.

**Bloomsburg University-Community Orchestra**, Sunday, April 24, 2:30 p.m., Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Featuring trumpet soloist David Hickman. Free admission.

**Trumpet Master Class**, David Hickman, orchestra soloist, touring trumpet professional, Monday, April 25, 7 p.m., Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Free and open to the public. Call 4289 for information.

**David Hickman**, trumpeter, lecture and demonstration, "The Golden Age of Brass," Tuesday, April 26, 8 p.m., Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

**Student Recital**, Wednesday, April 27, 7 p.m., Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Admission is free.

## FILMS

**The Pelican Brief**, Friday, April 8, 7 and 9:30 p.m., Sunday, April 10, 7 p.m., Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

**The White Girl**, by Tony Brown, Wednesday, April 13, and Thursday, April 14, 5 and 7 p.m., Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

**Philadelphia**, Wednesday, April 13, and Friday, April 15, 7 and 9:30 p.m., Sunday, April 17, 7 p.m., Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

**Mrs. Doubtfire**, Wednesday, April 20, Friday, April 22, 7 and 9:30 p.m., Sunday, April 24, 7 p.m., Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.



Trumpet virtuoso David Hickman will perform and lecture at Bloomsburg on April 24, 25 and 26 in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. On April 24, he will perform with the university's orchestra at 2:30 p.m., he will give a master class at 7 p.m. on April 25, and a lecture demonstration at 8 p.m. on April 26. For details, see story on page 3.

## ART EXHIBITS

**Sculptures by Ed Love**, Haas Center for the Arts, April 9-30. Work in progress April 6-9. Artist's reception Saturday, April 9, at noon.

**Master's Thesis Art Exhibit**, Haas Center for the Arts, May 2-15.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**European Festival**, Thursday, April 7, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, 3 p.m. For information, call 4830.

**President's Ball**, Saturday, April 9, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 6 to 11 p.m. Tickets required. Call 4128 for information.

**Good Neighbor Day**, Sunday, April 10, 2 to 4 p.m., Lightstreet Road. Sponsored by the Town-Gown committee.

**North American Indian Traveling College**, Tuesday, April 12, 2 p.m. workshop, 8 p.m. social dance, Kehr Union, Ballroom.

**Anthropology Research Conference**, Friday, April 15 to Saturday, April 16. Papers will be presented April 16 at 8:30 a.m. in Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room A. For information, call 4860.

**Health Sciences Symposium**, Kehr Union. Thursday and Friday, April 21-22. For information call 4426.

# COMMUNIQUE

A NEWSLETTER FOR FACULTY AND STAFF AT BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY 21 APRIL 94

## New business minor enhances career readiness

Undergraduate students in any major at Bloomsburg now have the opportunity to gain a background in business through a newly-offered business minor.

"We think the new business minor will be very marketable for students seeking employment," says John Olivo, interim dean of the College of Business. "No matter what discipline students are in, they deal with business at some level during their lifetime. This minor will give them an awareness of what they're dealing with on a daily basis."

The new seven-course minor program enables students to gain an understanding of how businesses operate and the areas of accounting, finance and law, information systems, management and marketing. The minor will provide students with prerequisites needed to enter most MBA programs.

Formal discussion on the possibility of offering a business minor began in the spring of 1993, says Olivo. "I'd like to publicly recognize the College of Business curriculum committee for its work in creating this minor."

The addition of the minor is partly in response to student inquiries about minoring in business and also in response to requests from the chemistry and physics departments for a program which would allow their majors to graduate with a bachelor of science degree and an MBA in five years.

In researching the need for a minor in business, it was found that from the spring semester of 1990 to the fall semester of 1993, between 15 and 50 percent of the students enrolled in the seven courses required for the business minor were non-business majors.

Previously these courses were counted as free electives by the university when taken by non-business majors. Now, as part of a business minor, these courses will enhance Bloomsburg graduates' employment opportunities, Olivo says.

The recommended course sequence for the minor is: Introduction to Business, Introduction to Computer and Information Science, Financial Accounting, Principals of Management, Business Law I, Principals of Marketing and Principals of Finance. The courses Economics I and II are prerequisites for the minor. A minimum of 12 of the 21 credits in the minor must be taken at Bloomsburg.

"This has been a long time coming, as many faculty have stated," says Olivo. Besides benefiting non-business majors by giving them a better-rounded education, Olivo feels that the minor not only will prove to be a great benefit to faculty but to students majoring in business as well.

"Now in our classes," he says, "we'll have people from the College of Arts and Science and the College of Professional Studies who will bring different perspectives to the business classroom."

—Eric Foster

### SMILING IN THE RAIN

Steady rain didn't keep this bird from smiling at the Good Neighbor Day celebrations held along Lightstreet Road Sunday, April 10. The event, sponsored by the Town-Gown Committee, featured free ice cream and face painting.



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PRESS ENTERPRISE

### Evening reception planned for Dr. Kozloff

Faculty, staff and students are invited to a reception welcoming Bloomsburg's 18th president, Dr. Jessica Kozloff on Thursday, April 21, in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall, at 8 p.m.

## News briefs

■ The starting date for summer freshmen orientation has been changed from June 19 to June 25 because, in many areas, snow has delayed the graduation date for high school seniors. Summer freshmen will begin classes on Monday, June 27, at 11 a.m. after registration.

Orientation dates are as follows: April 8, student orientation leader (OWL) application deadline; April 16-17, May 4, June 10-11 OWL training; June 19-20, transfer orientation; June 25-26 summer freshmen orientation; June 26-28, fall freshmen session 1, Act 101-EOP; July 10-12, fall freshmen session 2; July 17-19, fall freshmen session 3; July 24-26, fall freshmen session 4; Aug. 25, adult orientation (6:30-8:30 p.m. for those over 23 years old); Aug. 28, freshmen meeting (1:30 p.m.); Aug. 29, classes begin.

■ Bloomsburg university faculty and staff can begin registering their vehicles for new parking permit hangers on April 26 at the police station, according to university police.

Current registration hangers expire at the end of April. To register for parking, employees must bring their old window hanger and vehicle registration for each vehicle they wish to register for parking.

### COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

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Please submit story ideas, news briefs and calendar information to COMMUNIQUÉ, University Relations and Communication Office, Waller Administration Building, Room 104A Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA 17815. Four-digit phone numbers listed in the COMMUNIQUÉ are on-campus extensions. To use the numbers off-campus, dial 389 first. The area code is 717.

## Francis Gallagher honored for support of internship program

Francis Gallagher, professor of management, has received the first annual Faculty Internship Award for distinguished service to students and employers. The award, sponsored by the office of cooperative education and academic internships, was presented during the third annual recognition luncheon held recently in the Kehr Union Ballroom to honor area businesses which sponsor on-site educational experiences for students.

"Your partnership in these programs is very important to us at Bloomsburg," said Curt English, interim president. "Being able to offer career-related work experiences to our students substantially broadens the university's educational program and provides practical, meaningful linkages between classroom and on-the-job learning."

Representatives from the National Archives and Records Information in Philadelphia, the Auditor General's Office in Harrisburg and the State Civil Service Commission in Harris-

burg were among the more than 20 employer sponsors attending the luncheon. Over 400 organizations participate in internship programs at Bloomsburg.

"We are grateful to the business and industry leaders who sponsor these programs," says JoAnne Day, director. "Practical experience in the work environment is a crucial element of our students' academic preparation." Over 650 students completed internships in the 1992-93 academic year.

"Professor Gallagher's commitment to the internship program has been outstanding. He has done everything possible to develop and maintain quality internships for students in the management major," Day says.

"Assisting students to find credible internships is a labor of love for me," Gallagher says. "Helping students have the opportunity to apply their classroom learning and work in a professional environment is essential for both their personal and career development."

## Robert Bunge, first registrar, dies

Robert L. Bunge, 72, of West Park Street, Carroll Park, Bloomsburg, former assistant to the dean of instruction and first registrar at Bloomsburg University, died Friday, April 1, at his winter home in Mesa, Az.

Born in Roaring Creek Township, he was a son of the late Raymond and Evelyn Feese Bunge and graduated from the former Catawissa High School.

Bunge retired from Bloomsburg in 1983 after 19 years of service to the university. He was awarded faculty emeritus status. Prior to coming to Bloomsburg, he was a guidance counselor at Milton Senior High School for four years, was associated with U.S. Radium Corp. for seven years and taught science in the Catawissa High School for four years. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1943 to 1946.

Bunge earned his bachelor of science degree from Bloomsburg State College in 1947 and a master of science degree in education from Bucknell University in 1949.

Bunge was active in Masonic organizations, having served as master of Washington F&AM Lodge 265 and a most high priest of the Bloomsburg Royal Arch Chapter 218. He was a member of Crusade Commandery of Knights Templar No. 2, Mount Moriah Council No. 10, Caldwell Consistory, Bloomsburg and served as deacon of Shiloh Bible Church in Almedia.

Surviving are his wife of 47 years, the former Dorothy Davis; daughters, Margaret Parry of Allentown and Penny Deets of Bloomsburg.; sister, Margaret Acaley of Perkaspie; and a granddaughter.

A memorial service was held at Shiloh Bible Church.

## Concert Choir to perform Mozart's *Requiem* April 30

Bloomsburg's Concert Choir will perform Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart's *Requiem in D Minor* on Saturday, April 30, at 7:30 p.m. in First Presbyterian Church, 345 Market St., Bloomsburg. The concert is free and open to the public.

Featured in the Oscar-winning film *Amadeus*, the *Requiem* was commissioned anonymously by Count Walsegg, an Austrian noble who wished to pass the work off as his own in memory of his wife. The work was still unfinished at Mozart's death and was completed by his contemporary Franz Xavier Süssmayer.

"This is a piece which students involved in a choral program ought to be exposed to and learn to sing," says B. Eric Nelson, director of the Concert Choir and assistant professor of music. "Not just for its musical beauty, but for its spiritual and philosophical depth as well."

Nelson, who will conduct the nearly hour-long work for the first time, has

been preparing the choir for the performance since February.

An orchestra has been specially assembled to perform the *Requiem* with the choir, and includes regional musicians from as far away as Rochester, N.Y. Guest vocal soloists include: soprano Wendy Miller, associate professor of music; alto Ruth Bayless, a professional soloist from Wilmington, Del.; tenor Richard Kennedy, a voice faculty member at Penn State University at University Park; and bass Milutin Lazich, a native of Yugoslavia now teaching at Clarion University.

The concert will also include two shorter works for organ and choir; Edgar Bainton's "And I Saw a New Heaven" and Benjamin Britten's "Festive Te Deum."

"The *Requiem* is a prayer for eternal peace and eternal rest," says Nelson, "and the work is paired with more contemporary English pieces which mirror that idea."



PHOTO BY JOAN HELFER

**HAVING A BALL** — Interim President Curt English and his wife Janet dance at the President's Ball held Saturday, April 9 in the Kehr Union Ballroom. The event raised approximately \$2,500 for scholarships at the university. Music was provided by the Bloomsburg Studio Band and the University-Community Orchestra.

## Bloomsburg awards grants to eight faculty members

Bloomsburg has awarded eight faculty members individual research and disciplinary grants totaling \$26,870. Funding is provided from monies received from research grants to repay the university for indirect costs associated with grants. "Through the graduate office, these reimbursement funds are awarded to faculty for additional research projects rather than added to the general university budget," says James Matta, director of grants.

Faculty recipients include:

- Julia Bucher, assistant professor of nursing, \$1,341 for her proposal, "Current Knowledge Among Family Caregivers of Persons with Cancer;"
- Michael Hickey, assistant professor of history, \$4,000 for his proposal, "Revolutionary Smolenski: Politics and Society in Provincial Russia, 1917-1981;"
- Scott Inch, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science, \$1,324 for his

proposal, "Estimation of Material Toughness for Reliability Calculations;"

- Neal Slone, assistant professor of sociology and social welfare, \$3,171 for his proposal, "Origins and Expansion of the Welfare State;"

- Peter Stine, assistant professor of physics, \$4,480 for his proposal, "A Search for Radio Stars;"

- Lawrence Tanner, assistant professor of geography and earth science, \$4,966 for his proposal, "Interpretation of Mesozoic Paleoclimates by Geochemical Analysis of Paleosols in the Fundy Basin;"

- Vera Viditz-Ward, associate professor of art, \$5,000 for her proposal, "The Transatlantic Linkage: Sierra Leone and the Gullah/Geechee Connection;" and

- Julie Mount Weitz, assistant professor of communication disorders and special education, \$2,588 for her proposal, "An Examination and Comparison of the Phonological

Process Disorders and Language Impairment."

A special research and disciplinary competition will be held next fall with approximately \$30,000 in funding.

### Bloomsburg Players to present 'The Boys Next Door'

The Bloomsburg Players will present "The Boys Next Door," a play by Tom Griffin, April 21-23 at 8 p.m., and April 24 at 2 p.m. in Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

Directed by Michael Collins, assistant professor of communication studies and director of theater, the play focuses on the lives of mentally handicapped adults and the case worker who is assigned to monitor them.

Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3.50 and senior citizens and students, and free with a Community Activities Card.

## Campus notes

**Wendy Lee-Lampshire**, assistant professor of philosophy, recently presented a paper titled "Decisions of Identity: Feminist Subjects and Grammars of Sexuality" at the Eastern Division Conference of the Society of Women in Philosophy at SUNY-Binghamton.

**Kara Schultz**, assistant professor of communication studies, recently had an article titled "If You Want to Speak: Imagination and Speech Writing" published in the December issue of *IEEE Transactions on Professional Communication*. She also presented a new piece in her research on deaf power titled "Silent No More: Characterizing Voice in the Deaf Power Movement Rhetorically" at the annual convention of the Speech Communication Association of Pennsylvania in Gettysburg.

**H. Benjamin Powell**, professor of history, was recently honored at a reception jointly hosted by the Pennsylvania Historical Association, the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission and the Pennsylvania State University Press for his contribution to the scholarship concerning Pennsylvania history. The reception was held during the 87th annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians in Atlanta, Ga. Powell is recognized as an expert on the business history of anthracite coal in the United States.

**Zahira Khan**, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science, recently presented a paper, "Performance of Hashing Techniques on the Connection Machine," at the International Conference on Computers and their Applications at Long Beach, Calif. The paper was published in the conference proceedings.

**Mark Jelinek**, assistant professor of music, has an article titled "Sailing for a Song" published in the current issue of Yamaha Corporation's *New Ways* magazine. The magazine has a circulation of 125,000 and is mailed to every kindergarten through 12th grade music educator in the United States, as well as college-level music educators, band directors and college music education methods students.

**Mehdi Haririan**, associate professor of economics, recently attended the 20th annual convention of the Eastern Economic Association in Boston, Mass., where he presented a paper titled "Does the Private Sector Provide Correctional Services Less Expensively than the Government?" The paper was written with Thomas Bonomo, associate professor of sociology and social welfare. At the conference, Haririan also chaired two sessions, titled "International Economics" and "Consumer Economics," and discussed a paper titled "Limited Attention and Incomplete Contracts."

## Clinton health plan adviser to speak at Health Sciences Symposium

An adviser to President Clinton's Task Force on Health Care Reform will speak at Bloomsburg's Health Sciences Symposium on April 21 and 22.

Bernadine M. Lacey of the College of Nursing at Howard University in Washington, D.C., will deliver the keynote address, "Health Care Reform: A Mandate for Social Change." Lacey is the director of the W.K. Kellogg Homeless Project, a nurse-managed respite center for adult homeless men in Washington, D.C. Lacey has also served on the Clinton/Gore Transition Team Task Group on Health Care Delivery.

Registration for the third annual

symposium is Thursday, April 21, at 6 p.m. in the Kehr Union. Lacey will begin her address at 7 p.m. Thursday. Friday symposium sessions begin at 9 a.m. and conclude at 2 p.m.

Through a variety of discussions and workshops, the symposium will explore the potential impact of health care reform.

The symposium is supported by the School of Health Sciences, Special Initiatives Fund of the College of Arts and Sciences, the College of Professional Studies, academic affairs and through gifts to the Bloomsburg University Foundation. The symposium is free to students and \$10 for others. For information, call 4423.

## Secretarial symposium April 27 to focus on making positive change

The Secretarial Roundtable will hold its annual symposium on Wednesday, April 27, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. at 24 West Ballroom, Hotel Magee, Bloomsburg.

The theme of the symposium is "Motivation for Positive Change." The program will explore various strategies to enhance readiness for self-improvement, self-esteem and health.

The program presenters will be Richard Jackman, former correspondent for the *Chicago Tribune*; Elise Sinagra, instructor of health, physical education and athletics; William

Green, assistant professor of mass communications and author of the book *Fatigue Free*; and Ann Marie Wishard, a herbalist who has been growing and researching herbs for more than 20 years.

In addition to the speakers, the Bon-Ton will present a fashion and make-up show.

For information on the program, contact Joy Bedosky at 4128, Colleen Hollister at 4385, Emily Ledger at 4263, Deb Schell at 4492, Pat Stockalis at 4498, Bob Wislock at 4414 or Mary Ellen Zeisloft at 4156.

## Weekend features Alumni Day, Renaissance Jamboree, Library Brunch

Alumni will return to Bloomsburg Friday, April 29 and Saturday, April 30, for Alumni Weekend. In addition to events planned specially for alumni, the university and town will bustle with activities for everyone.

From 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, the 17th annual Renaissance Jamboree will be held on Main Street in Bloomsburg. The event will feature

over 200 arts and crafts displays, food, games and entertainment.

On Sunday, Magee's Main Street Inn will hold Bloomsburg University Library Brunch from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. to benefit the library construction campaign. Cost is \$10.95 per person. Reservations can be made by calling 784-3500.

## Tickets required for commencement

The university is modifying its policy on admission to May commencement.

This year will be the first time the university will issue admission tickets to the grandstand at the Bloomsburg Fairgrounds for the May commencement ceremony. Previously, tickets were not required and seating was open. With that policy, many people could not find seats in the grandstand and adjoining bleachers and resorted to sitting in aisles, thereby creating a possible safety hazard.

To avoid hazardous situations, five general admission tickets will be issued for each bachelor's degree and master's degree candidate.

Four of the five tickets will be

marked for "inclement weather." In the event bad weather necessitates that bachelor's degree candidates sit in the center sections of the grandstand instead of on folding chairs on the track, only those specially-marked tickets will be accepted for admission. If there is good weather all five tickets will be accepted for seating.

An announcement on which seating plan will be used will be made on Bloomsburg area radio stations the morning of May 14.

Ticket distribution will be held in the registrar's office from May 2 to 13, weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and at commencement rehearsal, Friday, May 13, at the fairgrounds at 1:30 p.m.

## Electrical service shutdown scheduled

The electrical service shutdown schedule for spring is as follows:

- Sunday, May 15, total lower campus.
- Monday, May 16: Boiler Plant, Old Science Hall, Schuylkill Hall, Montour Hall, Carver Hall, Elwell Hall, Scranton Commons.
- Tuesday, May 17: Apartments 1 and 2.
- Wednesday, May 18: Apartments 3 and 4.
- Thursday, May 19: Apartments 5 and 6.
- Friday, May 20: Modular offices 1 (ROTC), 2 (DGS), 3 (TIP), ground crew trailer, auxiliary greenhouse, ground crew greenhouse, water tanks.

• Saturday, May 21: Sutliff Hall, Centennial Gymnasium, Hartline Science Center, Benjamin Franklin Hall, University Store and Police Station, Navy Hall.

• Sunday, May 22: McCormick Center for Human Services, Waller Administration Building, Bakeless Center for Humanities, Haas Center for the Arts, Andruss Library.

• Monday, May 23: total upper campus, Nelson Field House, Monty's Deli.

• Tuesday, May 24: North Hall, Carpenter Shop, Simon Hall, Kehr Union, Columbia Hall, Lycoming Hall, Luzerne Hall.

## Honorary degree policy clarified

Honorary degrees may be awarded by universities in the State System of Higher Education to recognize distinguished service, creativity, scholarship or other individual accomplishments in the service of humanity, whether in scientific, social, academic, creative, business, public or other appropriate sphere.

At the March meeting of the university's Council of Trustees, a unanimous vote was taken support-

ing a motion to nominate Curt English, interim president, for an honorary doctorate in pedagogy in honor of his service to the university.

According to the policy of the State Board of Education, honorary degrees should not be awarded to former trustees, administrators or faculty members until at least six months after association with the institution has elapsed.

## Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

MARCH 1994

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Homicide	0	0
Sexual Offenses/Rape	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0
Simple Assault	0	0
Weapons Possession	0	0
Drug Violations	4	4
Disorderly Conduct with Drug Violations	4	4
Disorderly Conduct	2	2
Arson	0	0
Terroristic Threats	0	0
Criminal Attempt	0	0
False Alarms to Police	0	0
Vandalism	2	1
Trespass	0	0
Prowling	0	0
Liquor Laws	7	7
Public Drunkenness	2	2
D.U.I.	0	0
Harassment	2	2
Harassment by Communication	0	0
Open Lewdness	0	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0
Robbery	0	0
Burglary	2	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Theft from Buildings	3	1
Theft from Vehicles	0	0
Theft from the Grounds	1	1
Retail Theft	1	1
Book Theft	1	0
Bicycle Theft	0	0

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** Everybody loves weekends, especially thieves. Be sure to follow a few building security tips before starting the weekend. Make sure your office, labs and classrooms (if you have the last class of the day) are secured. Don't volunteer to be a weekend victim.

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*Story and photos of employee recognition day.*

# Calendar

## LECTURES

**Behavioral Momentum**, Steven Cohen, psychology, psychology lecture, Friday, April 22, 3 pm, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum.

**From the 18th Century to Roving Robots**, Erik Wynters, mathematics and computer science, Alumni Luncheon Lecture Series, Tuesday, April 26, noon to 1:30 pm, The Inn at Turkey Hill. Call 4058 for reservations.

**Chaos in Medical Sciences**, Bruce Romanic, M.D., mathematics and computer science lecture, Tuesday, April 26, 3:30 pm, Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 105.

**The Golden Age of Brass**, lecture and demonstration, David Hickman, trumpeter, Provost's Lecture Series, Tuesday, April 26, 8 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

**Racial Equity in the '90s**, Walter Howard, history, Wednesday, April 27, 9 am, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

**Conversational Hispanic Daily Life**, Thursday, April 28, 2 pm, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

**Psychology Student Presentations**, Friday, April 29, 3 pm, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum.

**Magic Tricks, Card Shuffling and Dynamic Computer**, Brent Morris, National Security Agency, mathematics and computer science lecture, Tuesday, May 3, 3:30 pm, Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 105.

**Trekking Across the Alaska Brooks Range to the Arctic Ocean**, Roy Smith, director of experiential learning, Alumni Luncheon Lecture Series, Wednesday, May 4, noon to 1:30 pm, The Inn at Turkey Hill. Call 4058 for reservations.

**Intercultural Communication**, Kara Shultz, communication studies, Wednesday, May 4, 7 pm, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

**Culture in the 90's: Everyone has a Culture 411**, Tuesday, May 3, and Thursday, May 5, 3 pm, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

## ART EXHIBITS

**Sculptures by Ed Love**, through April 30, Haas Center for the Arts.

**Master's Thesis Art Exhibit**, Haas Center for the Arts, May 2-15.

## CONCERTS

**University-Community Orchestra**, Sunday, April 24, 2:30 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Featuring trumpet soloist David Hickman. Free admission.

**Trumpet Master Class**, David Hickman, orchestra soloist, touring trumpet professional, Monday, April 25, 7 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Free and open to the public. Call 4289 for information.

**David Hickman**, trumpeter, lecture and demonstration, "The Golden Age of Brass," Tuesday, April 26, 8 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

**Student Recital**, Wednesday, April 27, 7 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Admission is free.

**Concert Choir**, Saturday, April 30, 7:30 pm, First Presbyterian Church, Fourth and Market streets, Bloomsburg. Featuring a performance of Mozart's *Requiem* with orchestra. Free admission.

**Studio Band Outdoor Concert** (weather permitting), Tuesday, May 3, Kehr Union Patio, 2:30 pm. Program repeats Wednesday, May 4 at 7 pm. Admission is free.

**Catawissa Military Band**, Tuesday, May 3, 8 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Admission is free.

**Student Recital by Kenneth Phillips**, tenor, Thursday, May 5, 2:30 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Free admission.

**University-Community Orchestra Pops Concert** (weather permitting), Monday, May 9, 7 pm, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon area. Admission is free.

## THEATER

**The Boys Next Door**, Bloomsburg Players, April 20-23, 8 pm, Sunday, April 24, 2 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Admission is \$5 for adults, \$3.50 for students and senior citizens, and free with a Community Activities card.

**MacBeth**, Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble, Thursday and Friday, May 5-6, 8 pm, Alvina Krause Theatre, 226 Center St., Bloomsburg. Co-sponsored by the CGA, admission is for university students and employees. Tickets are \$1 with a community activities card.



PHOTO BY JOAN HELFER

**WRAP UP** — Sculptor Ed Love wraps a mannequin in clear tape while creating an installation artwork. The completed work is on exhibit in the Haas Gallery of Art through April 30.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**Health Sciences Symposium**, Kehr Union. Thursday and Friday, April 21-22. For information call 4426.

**Motivation for Positive Change**, symposium sponsored by the Secretarial Roundtable, Wednesday, April 27, 8:30 am to 4:15 pm, Magee's 24 West Ballroom, Bloomsburg. Call 4492 for information.

**Renaissance Jamboree**, Saturday, April 30, 10 am to 5 pm, Main Street, Bloomsburg. Featuring arts and crafts, food and games.

**Alumni Weekend**, Friday, April 29 through Saturday, April 30. Awards dinner begins Saturday at 5:30 pm at Magee's Main Street Inn, Bloomsburg. Call 4058 for information.

**Bloomsburg University Library Day Brunch**, Sunday, May 1, Magee's Main Street Inn, Town of Bloomsburg, 11 am to 1:30 pm. Cost is \$10.95 per person.

## FILMS

**Mrs. Doubtfire**, Friday, April 22, 7 and 9:30 pm, Sunday, April 24, 7 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

**Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs**, Wednesday, April 27, 8 and 9:30 pm, Friday, April 29, 6:30, 8 and 9:30 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.

**Reality Bites**, Wednesday, May 4, and Friday, May 6, 7 and 9:30 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.



# COMMUNIQUE

A NEWSLETTER FOR FACULTY AND STAFF AT BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY

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## President-designate Jessica Kozloff welcomed

"What a moment. The best of times is now," Jessica Sledge Kozloff told over 500 faculty, staff and students gathered late last month in Haas Auditorium for a reception welcoming her as the president-designate. The brief program was held shortly after the Board of Governors of the State System of Higher Education voted to appoint Kozloff the 18th president of Bloomsburg, effective July 1, 1994.

Ramona Alley, vice chair of the Council of Trustees, welcomed guests and commended the presidential search committee for an "excellent" job. Chancellor James McCormick remarked that Kozloff was the 10th president appointed in the 11-year life of the State System. "It has become our custom to present the president-designate to the campus community immediately after board approval," McCormick said.

The chancellor offered his commendations to members of the search committee and recognized trustees James Atherton and John Haggerty, who served as co-chairs. "The committee members deserve a great deal of credit for their many hours of hard work. They have identified someone with the essential characteristics of leadership needed," he said. "The committee is to be commended for working in the spirit of Act 188 (the legislation which created the State System) and I want to acknowledge and thank them."

McCormick praised the trustees for overseeing the search process and performing their duties as outlined in Act 188. "I believe the process worked very well. Act 188 was carried out maintaining the balance between the universities and the State System. We should all celebrate the success of the process," he said.

McCormick described Kozloff as an "outstanding and dynamic person who will bring

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PHOTO BY JOAN HELFER

**MEETING THE BLOOMSBURG COMMUNITY** — Jessica Sledge Kozloff, and her husband Stephen, greeted 500 Bloomsburg faculty, staff, administrators, students and friends during a reception welcoming her as Bloomsburg's president-designate.

## Employee library pledges top \$50,000

One month into Bloomsburg's 1994 Faculty and Staff for Excellence campaign, 72 employees have contributed \$51,648 toward the library construction project, *A Treasury of Ideas*. In addition, retired Bloomsburg faculty and staff have contributed \$13,100. Since the inception of the library campaign in 1993, the total gifts and pledges received from more than 200 employees stands at \$83,077 (83 percent of the \$100,000 goal).

Bloomsburg employees have also contributed \$3,233 for various scholarships and other special accounts.

A limited number of ceramic tiles remain unreserved for gifts to the library of \$1,000 or above. The tiles are a unique way to recognize a beloved family member, friend or colleague. Persons who have already contributed or pledged amounts less than \$1,000 and would like to apply their gift toward a tile, may do so.

Contributions to the library construction campaign or to other areas are welcome at any time. Questions may be directed to Susan Hicks, assistant director of development, at 4525.

## News briefs

■ Faculty, managers, professional administrators and coaches are reminded that open enrollment in the State System of Higher Education Group Health Program runs until Friday, May 13. These employees may choose coverage from the Blue Cross, Blue Shield and Major Medical plan or from a health maintenance organization. For information call James Michael, assistant director of human resources and labor relations, at 4037.

■ Shenyang Teachers College in the Peoples Republic of China is looking for persons who can teach English for the 1994-95 academic year. The institute will provide a two-room suite and monthly salary. Based on the length of stay, one-way international airfare is negotiable. Those interested should contact Howard Macauley, dean of the College of Professional Studies, at 4005, or Madhav Sharma, coordinator of international education, at 4830.

■ The Alumni Association is planning an Appreciation Dinner for Curt and Janet English, on Saturday, June 25, in the Kehr Union, Ballroom. A reception will begin at 6 p.m. and dinner will start at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Tickets will be required. Additional details will be announced.

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## 30th Annual Reading Conference expected to attract 1,400 educators

More than 1,400 educators from across the state are expected to attend Bloomsburg University's 30th annual Reading Conference on Thursday, May 19, and Friday, May 20.

"This is the oldest reading conference in Pennsylvania," says Edward Poostay, conference organizer and director of the Reading Clinic at Bloomsburg University. "The conference is popular because for 30 years we've continued to provide excellent speakers for educators and reading specialists at a reasonable cost."

Featured speakers for the conference include:

- Dolores Durkin, professor of elementary and early childhood education at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and senior scientist at the Center for the Study of Reading at the University of Illinois. Durkin will be the keynote speaker for the conference on Thursday at 9 a.m. in Haas Center for the Arts.

- Ed Stivender, storyteller and author from Philadelphia whose works include the book *Raised Catholic, Can You Tell*. Stivender will be the fea-

tured speaker on Thursday at 1 p.m. in Haas Center for the Arts and will conduct two storytelling workshops.

- Lindsay Barret George, children's author and illustrator of *White Mills*, whose books include the award-winning *Box Turtle at Long Pond* and *Beaver at Long Pond*. George will be the featured speaker at the Thursday evening banquet at 6:30 p.m. in Scranton Commons and will autograph her books Thursday and Friday.

- Barbara Meister-Vitale of Franklin, N.C., director of the Meta-Intelligence Institute and president of Galaxy Learning Systems. Meister-Vitale will be the featured speaker Friday at 9 a.m. in Haas Center for the Arts and will also conduct a two-hour workshop.

In addition to the featured speakers, there will be dozens of workshops on topics related to reading. The two-day reading conference begins at 8 a.m. on Thursday and concludes at 2 p.m.

Faculty, staff and students may attend the conference free of charge. For more information, contact the Reading Clinic at 4092.

## Husky Club auction tops goal, raises over \$10,000 for scholarships

The 1994 Bloomsburg University Husky Club Auction Dinner/Dance in April at Magee's Main Street Inn, topped the \$10,000 goal, according to Husky Club executive director Jim Hollister.

All money raised from the event benefits the General Athletic Scholarship Fund at the university.

This year's auction included over 100 donated items for bidding and attracted 130 guests. Some items included two round-trip American Airline tickets, a sneaker autographed by New York Knicks center Patrick Ewing, a personally autographed David Armstrong print and vacation

getaways to Florida, South Carolina, Rhode Island and Virginia.

The \$10,400 raised at the event tops last year's total by over \$2,300. Entertainment was provided for the second-consecutive year by Daddy O' and the Sax Maniacs.

### CLARIFICATION

On page 3 of the April 21 issue of *Communiqué* the title of a project by Michael Hickey, assistant professor of history, was listed incorrectly. The correct title of the project is "Revolutionary Smolensk: Politics and Society in Provincial Russia, 1917-1918."

# Interim President English to give commencement address

Interim President Curtis R. English will deliver the commencement address for the university's 125th annual spring commencement on Saturday, May 14, at 2:15 p.m. at the Bloomsburg Fairgrounds.

Degrees will be conferred upon 938 undergraduate and 99 graduate students at the ceremony. The theme of English's address is "What's Right With America."

A native of Montoursville, English has served as Bloomsburg's interim president since last August. He will be the university's chief executive officer until June 30, when he returns to his position as vice president for finance and administration at East

Stroudsburg University. Bloomsburg's president-designate, Jessica Kozloff, will assume her duties July 1.

English received a bachelor of science degree in business education from Bloomsburg University in 1956. He later earned a master of arts degree in public administration from the University of Oklahoma in Norman and a doctor of education degree in educational administration from Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tenn. He also completed additional graduate study in the fields of computer science, financial management and education.

Prior to his appointment at East Stroudsburg

University, English was employed as assistant vice president and manager of corporate planning for the VSE Corporation in Alexandria, Va. The VSE Corporation provides engineering, development, testing and management services to government, business and institutions.

English served in two naval aviation squadrons, and two tours of duty in both the Bureau of Naval Personnel and the Systems Analysis Staff of the Chief of Naval Operations.

During his last two tours of active service, he was executive director of the Presidential Commission on Merchant Marines and Defense in Washington, D.C.,

and commanding officer of the Naval Reserve Personnel Center in New Orleans, La. English completed his naval service with the rank of captain.

English has conducted extensive research concerning the requirements and sources of strategic and critical materials and the capability of the United States to transport materials by sea. In 1974, he briefed then Vice President Gerald R. Ford on this subject.

During his naval career, English was awarded the Legion of Merit, the Meritorious Service Medal on three occasions and the Navy Commendation Medal. He has also received the Bloomsburg University Alumni Association Distinguished Service Award.

He is a member of the Wesley United Methodist Church in Bloomsburg, numerous professional and civic organizations, university alumni associations and athletic booster organizations.

English and his wife, the former Janet Emery, a registered nurse, have three sons, Curtis III, a graduate of The Pennsylvania State University; Lt. Gary English, USN, a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy; and Scott, a graduate of The Pennsylvania State University.



Curt English

## Vice presidential searches to begin after Jessica Kozloff assumes presidency

Curt English, interim president, has announced several managerial personnel actions after consultation with Jessica Kozloff, president-designate. "Dr. Kozloff has asked that the searches for the positions of provost and vice president for academic affairs, vice president for student life and vice president for university advancement not be started until after she assumes the presidency," English said.

Jennie Carpenter has agreed to fill the position of vice president for student life until the end of the Fall 1994 semester. Carol Matteson and Tony Ianiero have agreed to

continue to serve in their interim vice president positions, in academic affairs and advancement respectively, until searches for the permanent positions can be completed.

"I am most grateful to Mrs. Carpenter, Dr. Matteson and Mr. Ianiero for serving the university so effectively as interim appointments during this period of change," English said. "Their leadership has been a major factor in the progress made on our campus this year. I sincerely appreciate their support, as well as that of Dr. Robert Parrish, vice president for administration."

## S.T.A.R.T. clothing drive set through May 11

The annual spring clothing drive conducted by Students Together Alleviating Racial Tension (S.T.A.R.T.) is under way until Wednesday, May 11. The clothing drive, which is held twice annually, benefits families affiliated with the Harrisburg School District.

Collection boxes have been placed around campus and in the S.O.L.V.E. office located in Husky Corners on Main Street. Good, clean clothing in children's and adult's sizes is needed.

S.T.A.R.T. has adopted the slogan, "If you're not wearing it, share it!" Students spend hours sorting the clothing, making certain donated items are clean and appropri-

ate before delivering them to Harrisburg.

Bloomsburg students are credited with providing the impetus for the establishment of Harrisburg School District's year-round clothing bank located at Lincoln Early Childhood Center. This facility is believed to be the first of its kind in the state.

The clothing drive is just one of many activities sponsored by S.T.A.R.T. Members conduct "Racism 101" workshops in Bloomsburg area schools and for various community and campus organizations. The workshop fosters open discussion and is designed to raise participant's consciousness about racial issues.

# Kozloff outlines hopes for Bloomsburg's future

**While discussing her aspirations for the university, Bloomsburg's future 18th president, Jessica Sledge Kozloff, remembered those people who have guided and helped her.**



(Above photo) Dignitaries at the reception for president-designate Jessica Kozloff included, from left: interim president Curt English, trustee John Haggerty, Board of Governors member Joseph Nespoli, trustees John Atherton and Ramona Alley, Chancellor James McCormick and Kozloff. At right, McCormick stressed the effectiveness of the system used to choose a new president.



Jessica Kozloff introduced herself in a personal way to the campus community during her remarks at a recent reception held to welcome her as the president-designate.

She began by speaking about her husband, Stephen, a physician. "No one could ask for a spouse who is more supportive," she said. Kozloff reflected on the years when, as the mother of two young children, she decided to pursue her doctorate. "I think especially of the many times I would come home — after commuting 40 miles to another university to take my coursework. There were a number of occasions when I really was ready to chuck it, and he wouldn't let me."

Driving to Bloomsburg's campus after being appointed its 18th president, she recalled turning to her husband and asking, "Did you ever think we'd have this kind of moment?"

Kozloff spoke of her fondness for Pennsylvania and her eagerness to make it her home. "Although I'm not a native, I did have the good sense to marry one and to produce one," she quipped referring to her husband and son, Kyle, 26. The Kozloffs lived in Philadelphia, while he was completing his medical training. They are also the parents of a daughter, Rebecca, 24, who is completing her second year in law school.

"These two children endured a very interesting childhood and adolescence growing up with me — and I can tell you they very cheerfully accepted the fact that what came out of the kitchen was rarely gourmet, and I was never going to be confused with a domestic goddess."

As a parent, Kozloff said her thoughts were with the parents of students Terry Linn, who died as a result of alcohol poisoning, and Jeramy

Williams, who was critically injured in an automobile accident. "My heart just goes out to them."

Going back a generation, Kozloff spoke with warm affection of her parents. "My father, Jack Sledge, was the school superintendent and he taught me that education was the key to empowering and enriching lives," she said. "Because of his influence, I always knew I wanted to be a teacher, the noblest of professions." Her father died just before her 16th birthday.

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Kozloff described her mother, Ann Acklen Sledge, as her role model. "She taught me you could be a loving mother and wife and also pursue a career. She did both with grace and courage," Kozloff said. After her father's death, Kozloff said her mother made "great personal sacrifices" to ensure her daughter would receive an education at a nearby state university.

Moving to the present, the president-designate assured the audience she "understands the responsibility of being entrusted with the lives of our students." She recalled, at the urging of friends, her decision a year ago to "test the presidential waters."



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Kozloff said she wanted to find an institution that would become a model of excellence. "I wanted to be president at a very good school that was ready to become an exemplary place," she said. "When I left Bloomsburg in February after my visit, I knew I had found such a place. I was impressed with your aspirations for the future.

"What's really important is not where students attend college, but what happens once they get there. When they leave, they should be ready to become productive members of society," she said.

"I want Bloomsburg to be the best and I make no apologies for that. Only by establishing this as our goal can we be all that we should be for our students and the people of Pennsylvania," she said.

Saying that success is a journey not a destination, Kozloff acknowledged that she knew the "waters won't always be tranquil." However, she added, "I do know if we have the courage to commence the journey, our students will be the beneficiaries."

—Susan M. Schantz

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Dr. Jessica Sledge Kozloff

## Reception

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wise leadership to Bloomsburg."

The chancellor recognized Interim President and Mrs. Curt English for

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their "outstanding dedicated service to the State System of Higher Educa-

tion." He brought the crowd to its feet for sustained applause as he described the interim president's "devotion" to his alma mater. "Curt English has been an effective leader. He is an experienced administrator with great insight into the dynamics of the public university system," McCormick said. "He has done everything he could to set the stage for an orderly transition. I want to extend my personal thanks to both Curt and Janet."

—Susan M. Schantz

# Employees recognized for their years of service

More than 70 employees were honored for their years of service to Bloomsburg University at the annual Employee Recognition Day in Kehr Union recently.

"I think this is a wonderful occasion to recognize people, not only for your time and talent, but also for your total dedication to Bloomsburg University," said interim president Curt English, who presented Robert Parrish, vice president for administration, with his 10-year service pin.

Vice presidents from each area introduced their employees who have been at Bloomsburg for 30, 25, 20, 15 or 10 years. Jennie Carpenter, interim vice president for student life, noted that several people from academic affairs who had been recognized for their service such as Carol Chronister and Maureen Mulligan began their careers at Bloomsburg in student life. Recognition awards are a wristwatch for 30 years, desk clock for 25 years, pen set for 20 years, paperweight for 15 years and pin for 10 years.



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**25 AND 30 YEARS OF SERVICE** — Shown from left are employees honored for 25 and 30 years of service: Brian Johnson, Robert Ross, Shirley Pahls, Howard Macauley, June Ebright, Stephen Wallace, Alice Getty, Richard Brook, J. Calvin Walker, H. Cecil Turberville, and Barrett Benson.

## 30 Years

June Ebright, merchandise buyer, university store

## 25 Years

Barrett Benson, professor of chemistry

Richard Brook, professor of philosophy

Doyle Dodson, director of computer services

Alice Getty, library assistant supervisor

Brian Johnson, professor of geography and earth science

James Lorelli, professor of geography and earth science

Howard Macauley, dean of the College of Professional Studies

Shirley Pahls, secretary, department of music

Robert Ross, associate professor of economics

H. Cecil Turberville, associate professor of health, physical education and athletics

## 25 Years (continued)

J. Calvin Walker, professor of psychology

Stephen Wallace, associate professor of music

## 20 Years

Karl Beamer, associate professor of art

Robert Campbell, building maintenance foreman

Carol Chronister, secretary, department of nursing

John Couch, associate professor of music

Jolene Folk, library technician

William Frost, associate professor, reference librarian

Francis Gallagher, professor of management

Bonnie Girton, administrative assistant, School of Extended Programs

Richard Good, roofer, tinsmith

Gene Gordon, associate professor of computer and information systems

## 20 Years (continued)

John Hranitz, professor of curriculum and foundations

James Huber, professor of sociology and social welfare

Isaac Johnson, equipment operator

L. Richard Larcom, associate professor of psychology

Woo Bong Lee, professor of economics

Lawrence Mack, professor of chemistry

Craig Mintzer, electrician

Stewart Nagel, professor of art

James Pomfret, professor of mathematics and computer science

Bonita Rhone, payroll manager, human resources and labor relations

Roger Sanders, professor of health, physical education and athletics

John Trathen, director of student activities/Kehr Union

David Washburn, professor of curriculum and foundations

Donald Yoder, carpenter

## 15 Years

Barbara Behr, professor of finance and business law

Dale Breech, maintenance repair

Ronald Champoux, professor of communication disorders and special education

Charles Chapman, associate professor of management

Marjorie Clay, professor of philosophy

Ronald DiGiondomenico, coordinator of academic advisement

Monica Howell, secretary, library access services

Glenn Kramer, fiscal technician, accounts payable

Robert Kressler, florist

Louann Laidacker, fiscal assistant, business office

Maureen Mulligan, director of Upward Bound

Michael Robatin, director of accounting, collections and office management, business office



**20 and 10-Year Employees**

Shown from left are employees honored for 10 and 20 years of service: Susan Hicks, 10 years; Carol Chronister, 20 years; John Trathen, 20 years; David Washburn, 20 years; Donald Yoder, 20 years; Lawrence Mack, 20 years; and Bonnie Girton, 20 years.

**15 Years (continued)**

- Riley Smith, associate professor of English
- Ellen Vanderslice, custodial worker
- Mary Walburn, secretary and bookkeeper, community activities
- Charles T. Walters, associate professor of art
- Dorette Welk, professor of nursing
- Irvin Wright, assistant director of developmental instruction
- Thomas Yasenchak, utility plant operator

**10 Years**

- John Bieryla, assistant director of financial aid
- Frank Curran, groundskeeper supervisor
- Nancy Dittman, associate professor of business education/office administration
- Jimmy Gilliland, assistant director of student activities/Kehr Union
- Susan Hicks, assistant director of development

**15 and 20-Year Employees**

Shown from left are employees honored for 15 and 20 years of service: Maureen Mulligan, 15 years; Irvin Wright, 15 years; Monica Howell, 15 years; Dale Breech, 15 years; Glenn Kramer, 15 years; and Francis Gallagher, 20 years.



**10-Year Employees**

Shown from left are employees honored for 10 years of service: Robert Kenvin, Robert Obutelewicz, Robert Parrish, Nancy Keller, Donald Young, Debbie Schell, Jimmy Gilliland and Clara Hosler.

- Clara Hosler, custodial worker
- Amy Johnson, secretary, Career Development Center
- Nancy Keller, accounts payable clerk, university store
- Robert Kenvin, energy conservation specialist, maintenance
- Howard Kinslinger, associate professor of management
- Wendy Miller, associate professor of music
- Robert Obutelewicz, assistant professor of economics
- John Olivo, interim dean of the College of Business
- Robert Parrish, vice president for administration
- John Romanski, media technician, audio-visual resources
- Debbie Schell, secretary, developmental instruction
- Diann Shamburg, secretary, purchasing
- Donald Young, assistant director of student standards

**20 and 25-Year Employees**

Shown from left are employees honored for 25 and 20 years of service: Isaac Johnson, 20 years; Robert Campbell, 20 years; Doyle Dodson, 25 years; and Richard Good, 20 years.



# Calendar

## CONCERTS

**Student Recital by Kenneth Phillips**, tenor, Thursday, May 5, 8 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Free admission.

**University-Community Orchestra Pops Concert** (weather permitting), Monday, May 9, 6:30 pm, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon area. Admission is free.

**Classical Jazz**, Wednesday, May 25, 6:30 pm, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**The Alpiners**, Wednesday, June 8, 7 pm, Bavarian music featuring a champion yodeler, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**Five of a Kind**, Wednesday, June 22, 7 pm, brass quintet performing modern and classical jazz, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**Polka Family Band**, Monday, June 27, 5 to 9 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. Free and open to the public. Bring your own picnic basket.

**Catawissa Military Band**, Wednesday, July 6, 7 pm, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**Commencement**, Saturday, May 14, 2:15 pm, Bloomsburg Fairgrounds.

**State System Conference on the Use of Computers and Computer-Based Technology Across the Curriculum**, May 16-18. Sponsored by Bloomsburg University, the State System Faculty Professional Development and Academic Computing Users Councils.

**AFSCME Health and Welfare Benefits Discussion**, Tuesday, May 24, 1:30 to 2:30 pm, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum. Call 4414 for information.

**Nifty After Fifty**, mature lifestyles fair, Wednesday, May 25, 9 am to 3 pm, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room A/B. Sponsored by the university along with Bloomsburg Hospital, the Columbia County National Bank, the *Press-Enterprise*, Area Agency on Aging.

**Appreciation Dinner for Curt and Janet English**, Saturday, June 25, reception 6 pm, dinner 7 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. Sponsored by the Alumni Association. Everyone welcome. Tickets required. Details to be announced.

## Smith to lead expedition in Kenya; other QUEST trips also scheduled

QUEST, an outdoor experiential education program at Bloomsburg, is sponsoring a four-week educational journey through Kenya in December and January.

"The theme of this journey to Africa will be understanding," says Roy Smith, director of the QUEST program and experiential learning. "Of all the continents, Africa is perhaps the least understood, yet it was on this continent where it is now widely believed the human race had its genesis."

Planned dates for the trip are Dec. 17, 1994, through Jan. 14, 1995. Accommodations will be in tents except for three nights in hotels.

"Our agenda will be to learn by traveling through the diverse geographical, economic and cultural regions of Kenya — snow-capped mountains, highland farms, desert, the coast of the Indian Ocean, savanna and extensive game parks," says Smith. "We will meet with the local people and public officials so that our students can learn about their schools, culture, economics, values and hopes for the future."

The journey will include ascents to the summit of Mount Kenya, where the god Mogai, divider of the universe, is reputed to live, and to the summit of Kilimanjaro, Africa's highest mountain. Smith adds that the group will meet with Peace Corps officials in Nairobi and with volunteers in the

field, including two Bloomsburg alumni in Africa.

"This journey will be similar to the one I led to Kenya for the W.K. Kellogg Foundation in 1989," says Smith, who has also led expeditions in the Arctic. "We will make a video of this trip and produce a series of slide and lecture presentations so that we can share our experience with schools and communities around the state."

The projected cost of the trip is around \$2,700, including about \$1,400 for airfare, according to Smith, who welcomes outside funding support.

QUEST is also sponsoring three overseas walking tours and trips to Colorado and Alaska this summer and fall. The trips include:

- Rafting on the Dolores River in Colorado, May 20 to June 12.

- A tour of the Alsace region of France and the mountains of the Vosges; May 23 to June 5.

- A walk across England's north country, July 30 to Aug. 11.

- A trek along the Tatshenshini River from the Yukon Territory through the Alaska Coastal Range, Aug. 6 to 18.

- Walking through the Highlands of Scotland and the Isle of Skye, Sept. 24 to Oct. 6.

For more information on the trips, call QUEST at 4323.

## SPORTS

**Baseball vs. Millersville**, Saturday, May 7, 1 pm, double header, upper campus, Litwhiler Field.

## LECTURES

**Culture in the '90s: Everyone has a Culture 411**, Thursday, May 5, 3 pm, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**Classes end**, Saturday, May 7.

**Finals begin**, Monday, May 9

**Summer sessions begin**, Tuesday, May 31

## THEATER

**Macbeth**, Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble, Thursday and Friday, May 5-6, 8 pm, Alvina Krause Theatre, 226 Center St., Bloomsburg. Co-sponsored by the CGA, admission is for university students and employees. Tickets are \$1 with a community activities card.

## ART EXHIBIT

**Master's Thesis Art Exhibit**, Haas Center for the Arts, through May 15.

## FILM

**Reality Bites**, Friday, May 6, 7 and 9:30 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall.



## English looks at what's right with America

Interim president Curt English's parting words to the class of 1994 at commencement ceremonies held May 14 were words of reflection on what's right with themselves and this country.

"Let's celebrate you, your accomplishments, and this wonderful country, America," said English. "To the questions, what's right with you and what's right with America? I would answer a resounding plenty."

Referring to an expression of the late Alex Haley, author of *Roots*, English said, "Find the good and praise it."

English told the standing-room only crowd at the Bloomsburg Fairgrounds of 195 students who were honored for their academic achievement and service at a recent awards luncheon.

In the area of community service, English noted that over the past year students have been involved with the first annual Good Neighbor Day for university and town citizens, the Adopt-A-Highway program, tutoring and mentoring in area public schools, a clothing drive to benefit children in the Harrisburg School District, and a dance marathon to help handicapped children go to summer camp. As part of the Local Enterprise Assistance Project, senior and graduate business students provided technical assistance to existing and newly-formed small businesses.

In looking at the strengths of the nation, English stressed the leadership that the United States has shown in world affairs over the past 50 years.

"The half-century crusade of free nations to champion freedom and civilization against the scourge of totalitarianism was victorious because of the leadership and relentless dedication of America," said English. "With regard to higher education, America is leading the way in developing new educational models that will meet the needs of new popula-



tions and new times. Forty percent of the world's basic research is done in American laboratories, principally at universities.

"Forecaster Marvin Cetron, author of numerous books about the future, recently prepared a new report listing 74 trends and forecasts affecting the United States," said English. "Based on these trends, he anticipates a renaissance for America in the years ahead."

"America has been and still is the land of opportunity. From the early times of our nation to the present day, millions of Americans have attained success by working hard, working smart and exercising self-discipline," English said.

James T. Atherton, a member of the Council of Trustees and Board of Governors of the State System of Higher Education, encouraged graduates to be bold in their future plans. Atherton also thanked English for his service to the university. "English is a friend to higher education in Pennsylvania in general, and to the State System in particular."

As the commencement ceremonies were about to conclude, Kevin O'Connor, chair-



Curt English

person of the Council of Trustees, asked the crowd to stand in recognition of the contributions English and his family have made to the university.

— Eric Foster

# News briefs

■ There is an error in the final examination schedule for the fall semester 1994 as announced in the schedule books. The examination for classes meeting Tuesday and Thursday at 8 a.m. is Friday, Dec. 16, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. instead of 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.

■ In order to ensure sufficient time to process purchase documents for this fiscal year, the purchasing office will not be able to accept requests after Friday, May 27. Encumbered purchase orders on June 30 will be held open with the necessary dollar amounts until delivery or Sept. 30. Orders not finalized by Sept. 30 must be cancelled or re-coded and charged to the 1994-95 fiscal year budget allocation.

Emergency requests after May 27 can be handled on an as-necessary basis. Call purchasing before processing emergency orders. Travel and food service for the 1993-94 fiscal year should be submitted no later than June 16.

Storeroom requests will be accepted until June 16. Only amounts of supplies needed for a 60-day period should be requested so sufficient supplies are available for all departments.



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**BELFANTI SUPPORTS CHILDREN'S CONFERENCE** — State Rep. Robert Belfanti (D-107th district) presented Bloomsburg University with a check for \$2,000 to support the one-day conference titled "Children in Focus: Columbia-Montour Vision for Children and Families" held recently at the university. Shown from left at the check presentation are: Shelly Evans, Bloomsburg Town Administrator and conference co-chairperson; Rep. Robert Belfanti; Sheila Jones, assistant professor of communication disorders and special education and conference co-chairperson; Curt English, Bloomsburg University interim president; and Dale Sulzbaugh, associate professor of sociology and social welfare and conference co-chairperson. The conference was sponsored in part by the Columbia and Montour county commissioners, Bloomsburg University and the Town of Bloomsburg.

## COMMUNIQUÉ

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## Student trustee John McDaniel wins national activist award

John McDaniel, a senior from Philadelphia majoring in sociology and criminal justice at Bloomsburg University, will receive The Michael Schwerner Activist Award on Monday, May 23, at a press conference to be held in the Crystal Room of the Willard Intercontinental Hotel in Washington, D.C.

The award is dedicated to the memory of Michael Schwerner, an impassioned civil rights activist who was kidnapped and murdered along with two associates in Mississippi in June 1964.

Five awards of \$1,000 each are presented annually to the undergraduate college students in the United States who best fulfill the spirit of citizen activism and promote positive solutions for social change.

McDaniel was instrumental in the planning and organization of the university's first and second

Gospelrama programs. As a past treasurer of the Student Government Association, he helped develop student leadership retreats and helped organize a campus-wide rally against hate crimes. He supported the creation of Students Together Alleviating Racial Tension, a multiethnic student group working to overcome the barriers of racism and inequality. McDaniel backed a successful movement to win approval to include a course requirement in cultural diversity as part of the university's general education program.



John McDaniel

Among his other honors and accomplishments, he has received the

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# BUCC approves master's program in accounting

Bloomsburg's accounting department has received approval from the Bloomsburg University curriculum committee for a master of science degree program in accounting. The program will have to be approved by the provost, president, Council of Trustees and finally the chancellor's office and the Board of Governors before it is implemented.

According to Richard Baker, chairperson of the accounting department, the new program would allow graduates to meet education standards currently required to take the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) exam in 30 states. The standards, which are likely to be required by other states in the near future, specify that to take the CPA exam, a person must have 150 credit hours of formal education. Some states phrase the requirement as 30 credit hours of formal education beyond the undergraduate level. All have a minimum number of accounting credits necessary.

"This will be a formally-structured, intensive one-year program emphasizing meeting the most stringent set of requirements that any state has established," says Baker.

If everything goes as planned, Baker would like to have all the approvals for the new program by the end of the 1994-95 academic year and begin marketing the program to students in the 1995-96 academic year.

Baker anticipates having 20 students in 1996 for the first class and about 50 students in the program thereafter. "I think we can recruit that many students and meet the quality standards we want and also place that many graduates."

Work on the proposed program began two years ago. Baker credits Richard Schrader, assistant professor of accounting, for doing much of the work involved in the program proposal.

"Our real goal is to establish a quality master's program which will feed

graduates to large international accounting firms," says Baker. "Bloomsburg has a close relationship with six international accounting firms, and these historically have a reputation for providing resources to institutions which provide them with employees.

"To some extent we already have an inside track on offering this program. We have one of the largest accounting programs in northeast Pennsylvania as well as the State System. We're doing this to maintain the competitive advantage we already have. Not every school has the resources to do this. Not every school has such a fine reputation in accounting. Our best students usually have a signed employment contract before Christmas break of their senior year."

— Eric Foster

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## McDaniel

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Outstanding Student Award four times. He was special projects chairperson for the Black Cultural Society and a member of the Black History Month committee. He has served on the University-Community Task Force on Racial Equity and helped coordinate that organization's "Hands Across Bloomsburg." For two minutes, over 600 students, faculty and townspeople gathered to hold hands in a long thin line stretching for blocks, symbolically linking the university and the Town of Bloomsburg. "Everyone has differences, many based in culture. I believe that by understanding the diversity of people we can attain a better understanding of ourselves," said McDaniel.

In 1993, McDaniel was appointed as a student member to the Bloomsburg University Council of Trustees.

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## Campus notes

**Erik L. Wynters**, associate professor of mathematics and computer science, recently gave a talk titled "Optimal Motion Planning for Two Robots Subject to Visibility Constraints" at the spring meeting of the Pennsylvania Association of Computer and Information Science Educators in Slippery Rock.

**Shelley C. Randall**, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, recently presented a four-hour actions lab at the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development's 49th annual conference and exhibit show in Chicago, Il. Her presentation, "Analyzing School Climate and Developing Strategies for Creating Healthier, More Productive Learning Environments," showed how to address structural and interpersonal aspects of the school environment and reduce potential sources of stress.

**Gilda Oran**, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, has an article titled "Meeting the Challenge" published in the journal *Preventing School Failure*. At the 1994 Northeast Conference on the Teaching of Foreign Languages in New York City, she presented a workshop titled "Teach, Test and Assess Using Cooperative Learning Techniques." Oran has also been appointed chair of the Political Action for the National Network of Early Language Training, an organization which along with others, lobbied successfully to have "foreign languages" added to the national education plan, GOALS 2000.

**Lawrence H. Tanner**, assistant professor of geography and earth science, presented a paper titled "Applications of the Milankovitch Hypothesis to Sedimentary Geology: Quo Vadis?" at the recent meeting of the Northeastern Section of the Geological Society of America in Binghamton, N.Y.

**Mehdi Haririan**, associate professor of economics, was recently elected to serve on the executive board of the Association of Pennsylvania University Business and Economics Faculty. He has also been invited to join the Public Sector Economic Group of the Department of Economics at the University of Limburg in the Netherlands while on sabbatical leave in the fall 1994 semester. As a member of the group, Haririan will examine issues in privatization and restructuring in Central and East European countries.

**Salim Qureshi**, associate professor of marketing, has had an article titled "College Accession Research: New Variables in an Old Equation" accepted for publication in the *Journal of Professional Services Marketing*, in 1995-96.

## Campus notes

**David E. Washburn**, professor of curriculum and foundations, recently presented a paper titled "Multicultural Education: An Anglo-American Comparison" at the 38th annual meeting of the Comparative and International Education Society in San Diego, Calif.

**Salim Qureshi**, associate professor of marketing, was a panelist for a session titled "A Symposium on Education in Various Economic and Business Disciplines" at the recent Congress of Political Economists in Sydney, Australia. At the conference, he also presented a paper titled "The Structure of College Choice: Beyond Economic Events."

**John Trathen**, director of student activities and the Kehr Union, has an article titled "Increased Use Followed Bloomsburg's Renovation" published in the March issue of the *Bulletin* of the Association of College Unions — International. The article describes how more students are using Kehr Union facilities since it has been renovated and expanded.

**Judith M. Hirshfeld**, assistant professor of communication disorders and special education, was recently an invited speaker at the Pennsylvania Speech-Language-Hearing Association Convention in Harrisburg. She presented a three-hour short course titled "Counseling in Communication Disorders: Improving Communication."

**Walter Brasch**, professor of mass communications, recently won second place for commentary in the annual Spotlight contest sponsored by the Society for Professional Journalists. The contest was open to all persons whose work first appeared in Pennsylvania newspapers and magazines. Brasch writes a weekly column that appears in 26 newspapers.

**John H. Riley Jr.**, professor of mathematics and computer science, recently presented a talk titled "Life Without Pi" at the Gettysburg College Mathematics and Computer Science Department Colloquium.

**Mark Jelinek**, assistant professor of music, was recently named the new conductor and artistic director of the Southwest Symphony in Hobbs, N.M. His new post will begin with the 1994-95 season and will be in addition to his Bloomsburg University responsibilities.

**Patricia Dórame-Holoviak**, assistant professor of languages and cultures, recently presented a paper titled "La baraja y la literatura: El encuentro fortuito de la palabra" at the Women, Text, Image, Fifth Annual Conference at SUNY-Binghamton in a section titled "A Female Voice in a Patriarchal World."

## Alumni Association names Walker, Peiffer honorary alumni

The Bloomsburg University Alumni Association conferred honorary alumni status on two men in recognition of their service to the university at the recent annual alumni awards dinner.

John L. Walker, vice president for advancement emeritus, and the Rev. Robert Peiffer, former Protestant campus minister were named honorary alumni at the event held at Magee's 24 West Ballroom.

Walker, vice president for advancement emeritus, retired in June, 1993, after 28 years of service to the university. During his tenure, he held numerous positions at Bloomsburg, including executive assistant to the president, assistant to the vice president for student life, associate dean of students, and director of admissions. Most recently, he served as vice president for university advancement.

Peiffer served four years as Protestant Campus Minister and a leader of Bloomsburg's volunteer efforts before taking a position as executive director of the Council of Churches in Dayton, Ohio last spring. As coordinator of volunteer services at Bloomsburg, Peiffer was involved in many service organizations on campus, including Amnesty International, the sorority Delta Phi Epsilon and Fellowship Among Christians Through Service.

This year's recipients of the Alumni Association's Distinguished Service Awards are Rear Adm. William R. Morris (retired) of Alexandria, Va., class of 1960; Col. Eileen Albertson Chapman of Annandale, Va., class of 1967; and Patricia Szakalun Novotney, superintendent of the Temecula Valley Unified School District in California, class of 1962.

In addition, the recipient of the Volunteer of the Year Award was the Derricott family of Allentown: Joanne, '89; her father William, '66, and his wife Carole.

Richard E. Grimes, class of 1949, was welcomed as a life member of the Alumni Board of Directors. The Harrisburg resident has served a total of 14 years on the board.

The service of other retiring members of the Alumni Board of Directors was recognized. They include: Ruth Dugan Smeal, '39, Bloomsburg, who has served since 1988; John S. Scrimgeour, '53, Bloomsburg, 1987-94; Curtis R. English, '56, East Stroudsburg, 1992-93; Nancy Feher Edwards, '70, Bloomsburg, 1988-94; Richard Howenstine, '76, Camp Hill, 1990-94; and John M. Walker, '89, Pittsburgh, 1992-94.

Scrimgeour, who has served as president of the Association for the past year, was given the past president's gavel.



Maureen Mulligan, left, director of the Upward Bound program, helps Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president for academic affairs, hood Maureen's brother, Gerald Mulligan, at commencement ceremonies last weekend. Mulligan was awarded a Master of Instructional Technology.

## FirstSearch makes 30 new data bases available to Andruss Library users

Patrons of the Harvey A. Andruss Library now have computer access to a system of more than 30 data bases known as FirstSearch.

Instead of purchasing the data bases on CDROM disks and installing them on a computer system at Bloomsburg, the library has access to a national computer through telecommunication lines.

"I believe this access to bibliographic data is an indicator of how we will search most data bases in future years," says J. Daniel Vann, dean of library services. "We will purchase lesser-used databases on-line from vendors instead of trying to maintain dozens of CD ROMs."

"For what we're paying for this, we'd get only four or five data bases on CD ROM, let alone the time to maintain the software and hardware," says Charles Lumpkins, assistant professor of library services and coordinator of data base services.

FirstSearch is available on two dedicated computer terminals at the front of the reference desk. A printer is connected to the terminals and reference librarians are available to help patrons with a search.

In addition to a broad range of indexes and abstracts which the library

has long subscribed to in paper form, FirstSearch offers the following indexes: *Arts and Humanities Citation Index, Medline, Biological and Agricultural Index, Newspaper Abstracts, Microcomputer Abstracts* and the *Modern Language Association Bibliography*. Of particular value will be *WorldCat*, a massive (30 million records) database including books, maps, magazines, journals, manuscripts, sound recordings, musical scores, films, slides and videos owned by libraries around the world. FirstSearch also offers researchers financial reports on publicly-owned companies (*Disclosure*) and overseas companies (*Worldscope*).

"FirstSearch is geared for the average person, not a professional searcher or computer wizard," says Lumpkins. "It has one set of commands for all data bases and is menu-driven so people don't have to memorize instructions. There is no pressure to hurry the search, as the charge is on a per inquiry basis."

The users of service, which is offered free of charge on an experimental basis to patrons, will be able to search multiple years at once and find out if a journal is located in Bloomsburg's library.

## Powell raises funds for Big Brothers/Big Sisters

By walking through all of the academic and administrative buildings on campus this past fall and spring, H. Benjamin Powell, professor of history, has raised \$2,000 from university employees for Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the Bridge.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters serves single parent families nationwide by providing same-sex role models for children in single-parent homes.

Over 130 children in Columbia and lower Luzerne counties are served, according to Powell. There is still a need for 40 men and 16 women volunteers ages 16 and over.

Powell, who teaches business and economic history, has raised an additional \$3,300 from the region's business community for Big Brothers/Big Sisters.

"Last semester, I asked my classes if any one would like to be a big brother or a big sister," says Powell, "and more than a dozen students said 'yes.'"

Powell began soliciting donations last year, and raised more than \$4,000 in his first year of soliciting.

Those interested in Big Brothers/Big Sisters may call Powell at 4160 on campus or 784-6212 at home.

## Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

APRIL 1994

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Homicide	0	0
Sexual Offenses/Rape	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0
Simple Assault	0	0
Weapons Possession	0	0
Drug Violations	0	0
Disorderly Conduct with Drug Violations	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	5	5
Arson	0	0
Terroristic Threats	0	0
Criminal Attempt	0	0
False Alarms to Police	0	0
Vandalism	2	0
Trespass	0	0
Prowling	0	0
Liquor Laws	0	0
Public Drunkenness	0	0
D.U.I.	0	0
Harassment	0	0
Harassment by Communication	4	1
Open Lewdness	0	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0
Robbery	0	0
Burglary	2	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	1	1
Theft from Buildings	1	0
Theft from Vehicles	2	0
Theft from the Grounds	0	0
Retail Theft	0	0
Book Theft	1	0
Bicycle Theft	1	0

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** While using the university's exercise facilities, don't place anything of value in the lockers unless you have a quality lock and have inspected the locker mechanism. If you want to keep your valuables, keep them secure.

### Next issue:

*Coverage of reading and technology conferences.*

# Calendar

## CONCERTS

**Classical Jazz**, Wednesday, May 25, 6:30 pm, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**The Alpiners**, Wednesday, June 8, 7 pm, Bavarian music featuring a champion yodeler, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**Five of a Kind**, Wednesday, June 22, 7 pm, brass quintet performing modern and classical jazz, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**Polka Family Band**, Monday, June 27, 5 to 9 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. Free and open to the public. Bring picnic basket.

**Catawissa Military Band**, Wednesday, July 6, 7 pm, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**Morgan Valley Road Band**, Wednesday, July 20, 7 pm, performing ragtime, blues, Western swing and vaudeville tunes, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts.

**High Noon**, Wednesday, Aug. 3, 7 pm, country and western, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**The Four Notes**, Wednesday, Aug. 17, 7 pm, dance band performing music of the '40s and '50s, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### AFSCME Health and Welfare Benefits

**Discussion**, Tuesday, May 24, 1:30 to 2:30 pm, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum. Call 4414 for information.

**Nifty After Fifty**, mature lifestyles fair, Wednesday, May 25, 9 am to 3 pm, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room A/B. Sponsored by the university along with Bloomsburg Hospital, the Columbia County National Bank, the *Press-Enterprise*, Area Agency on Aging.

### Appreciation Dinner for Curt and Janet

**English**, Saturday, June 25, reception 6 pm, dinner 7 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. Sponsored by the Alumni Association. Tickets required. Details to be announced. Call 4058 for information.

# Summer conferences to bring more than 1,700 visitors to campus

The School of Extended Programs has arranged a series of conferences which will bring more than 1,700 individuals to campus this summer.

"The university is committed to sharing its resources with non-university groups. Conferences are one way to do that," says John Abell, assistant dean of the School of Extended Programs. "Bringing people into the community creates more tourism and trade for area businesses.

"There are lots of attractive reasons for groups to seek out Bloomsburg University for their conferences," adds Abell. "Our facilities for conferences are superb. Our student union is second to none, Kenneth Gross Auditorium in Carver Hall is charming, and Mitrani Hall is the fourth largest in Northeastern Pennsylvania."

Summer conferences and events at Bloomsburg include:

- The United Methodist Ministry Training Program will bring 20 people to campus from May 19 and 20.

- The Christ Crusaders Youth Conference will bring over 500 people to campus from May 27 to 30.

- Islamic Circle of North America will bring its 500-person family conference to campus from July 1 to 3.

- Cycle Pennsylvania will use Bloomsburg's campus as a layover on a

regional bicycle tour with 200 participants from July 2 to 3, and again for a later tour from Aug. 5 to 7.

- The Susquehanna Valley Chess Tournament will bring 40 people to campus from July 15 to 17.

- Two Elderhostel sessions offering classes for retirees will run from July 10 to 16 and July 24 to 30. Forty-five retirees will participate in each session of classes taught by Bloomsburg faculty.

- The College Sampler Program will give approximately 50 academically talented African American high school students an opportunity to experience college life and classes at Bloomsburg from July 17 to 22.

- The Pennsylvania Natural Living Conference will attract 275 people to campus from Aug. 5 to 7.

The State System Conference on the Use of Computers and Computer-Based Technology Across the Curriculum attracted 200 faculty members representing all State System universities to Bloomsburg earlier this week. The School of Extended Programs assisted with the arrangements.

In addition to conferences planned by the School of Extended Programs, the university will host a number of other summer programs designed to expose high school students to college life. These include:

- The P.R.I.D.E. (Personal Responsibility in Developing Excellence) Program will bring approximately 125 youth from the Harrisburg School District to Bloomsburg from June 26 to July 29. Students, ranging from grades six to 10, will stay on campus in groups of 24 each week.

- Science in Bloom, for minority high school students who have demonstrated a commitment to academic achievement, is scheduled from July 5 to 22. Twenty students will be exposed to a college environment while focusing on scientific interests.

- The program Connecting Cultures will bring approximately 50 middle school students from the Millville School District to campus from July 25 to 28. The purpose of the program is to introduce students from a rural district to college life, careers options, science and languages.

## ART EXHIBITS

**Sculpture by Antonette Schultz**, Haas Center for the Arts, May 30 — June 28. Reception, June 28.

**Works by Andrea Houghton**, Haas Center for the Arts, Aug. 29 — Sept. 3. Reception, Sept. 3.

## THEATER

**Play**, title to be announced, July 6-9, 8 pm and July 10, 2 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Call the theater department at (717) 389-4287 for information.

## Library campaign surpasses state goal

The Bloomsburg University Foundation has raised \$2.4 million toward building a new library, exceeding the amount necessary to qualify for state matching funds, according to Anthony Ianiero, interim vice president for advancement and executive director of the foundation.

Ianiero reported the progress of the library campaign to the Council of Trustees at their meeting last Thursday.

By raising more than \$2.375 million, representing 25 percent of the cost of the library that the university must raise, Bloomsburg has qualified for \$7.125 million in funding from the Commonwealth's Higher Education Capital Construction Program.

Originally, the plans for the new library called for the construction of a four-story building with the top floor left unfinished for future expansion. In the fall of 1993, the Foundation, with the endorsement of the university's Council of Trustees, voted to raise Bloomsburg's library campaign goal by \$1 million, to a total of \$3.375 million, so all floors of the 105,000 square-foot building could be finished. The total cost of the project, including the design cost and private and matching construction funds to meet the \$10.5 million construction cost, will exceed \$12.4 million.

"We still have another million to raise in order to complete the fourth floor," says Susan Helwig, acting director of development.

More than 28,000 alumni have been contacted as part of the campaign, titled *A Treasury of Ideas*, according to Helwig, and more than 5,000 alumni have contributed or pledged over \$1.5 million to the four-year campaign.

"Constructing a larger library has been Bloomsburg's top priority capital project for many years," says John Scrimgeour,

campaign chairperson and a retired Bloomsburg faculty member. "Since the current Harvey A. Andruss Library was constructed 27 years ago, enrollment at Bloomsburg has doubled."

"Right now, we're aggressively visiting friends of the university, foundations and corporations to see if they will participate," says Helwig, who stresses the importance of gaining broad-based support in this fund-raising drive.

"It's the participation of each person that will put us over the top. Businesses and foundations take a project more seriously if the university can show a high participa-

tion rate, especially from alumni," says Helwig. Among the recent contributions to the library campaign are \$77,000 in donations from alumni class treasuries and \$36,000 from the 1994 senior class.

"We hope to have the final million dollars raised in time for a ground breaking ceremony at homecoming in October," says Ianiero. "Actual construction of the library would begin in the spring of 1995."

The new library will be located on the present site of the softball field. Construction is expected to be completed in May, 1996.

— Eric Foster

## Trustees endorse Mid States Report

*English receives two plaques for his distinguished service.*

The Council of Trustees at Bloomsburg University heard reports on positive enrollment projections for next fall, three "significant" curriculum developments and voted to endorse the Middle States Five-Year Periodic Review Report at its quarterly meeting last Thursday in the Multicultural Center in Kehr Union.

At the beginning of the meeting, Mayor Dan Bauman surprised Interim President Curtis English by honoring him with a "key to the Town of Bloomsburg." Bauman presented the plaque to English for his "countless contributions to the town and university in order to make a better quality of life for both."

English will be returning to East Stroudsburg University as vice president for administration in July, after serving as interim president for the past year.

"You couldn't have picked a better per-

son for this position," Bauman told the council. "He has brought credibility to the university as well as the town. He is a vital force in the improvement of town-gown relations." Under English's presidency, the town-gown committee, co-chaired by Bauman and Anthony Ianiero, interim vice president for advancement, was restructured and met six times over the past year.

### Fall enrollment picture promising

The enrollment picture for fall semester "looks very, very promising," reported Bernie Vinovrski, director of admissions and records. This is "very encouraging," he noted, after the "slight decline" the university experienced this past year.

Fall enrollment goal is 6,550 full-time equivalency (FTE). In addition to "a slightly higher number of returning students," he expressed confidence the university "will reach its goal of new students for the fall." He emphasized this will "ensure an equally strong spring enrollment in 1995."

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# News briefs

■ The College of Business secretarial staff is sponsoring a technology information exchange open to all university secretarial staff. The exchange will focus on time-saving techniques using WordPerfect 6.0a for Windows. The workshops will be held in the TIP office on the upper campus on Thursday, July 21, from noon to 4 p.m. and Friday, July 22, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. For information, call Debbie Stolz at 4657.

■ Library hours during summer sessions through Aug. 19 are as follows: Harvey A. Andruss Library: Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. – 10 p.m.; Friday, 8 a.m. – 9 p.m.; Saturday, closed; Sunday, 2 – 10 p.m. University Archives: Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. – noon and 1:30–3 p.m. The library will be closed for Independence Day weekend, July 2, 3 and 4.

■ 1994-95 Faculty-Staff Telephone Directory forms have been sent to all university employees. Please fill the forms out promptly and return them to Winnie Ney, University Relations and Communications, by Friday, July 15. If you did not receive a form, call Ney at 4411.

## COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

Bloomsburg is committed to providing equal educational and employment opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, life-style, sexual orientation, disabilities, Vietnam era veteran status, or union membership.

The university is additionally committed to affirmative action and will take positive steps to provide such educational and employment opportunities.

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## Trustees

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### Summer graduate student enrollment up

Michael Vavrek, dean of the School of Extended Programs, reported summer school enrollment statistics as of the third week in May reveal an 18 percent increase in graduate students over last summer. In contrast, there is a 3.4 percent decrease in undergraduate enrollment. The graduate-level increase, he explained, is a result of the "more than expected success of the faculty graduate program coordinators in trying to reverse a three-year decline in enrollment." Vavrek told the council he suspects the decrease in undergraduate enrollment is "a continuation of the decline in out-of-state students over the last few years."

### New minors approved

Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president for academic affairs, reported the Bloomsburg University curriculum committee has approved new minors in business and geology. The minor in business, she said, is a response to student demand. In addition to increasing the service function of the College of Business to the other colleges in the university, it will give students "a working knowledge of information technology and exposure to various business areas such as accounting, management, marketing, finance and law."

The geology minor, offered by the department of geography and earth science, will prepare students for various entry-level positions in the environmental field, she said.

In addition, a track in audio and/or video recording has been approved by BUCC, she reported. This specialization reflects "the music department's inclusion of current technologies in the bachelor of arts in music program."

Council member Jim Atherton thanked the steering committee for

"all the hard work" they put into The Five-Year Periodic Review Report over the past year and Matteson for the "excellent job she's done." The document will be submitted to the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools' Commission on Higher Education, which gave Bloomsburg a favorable accreditation report in 1989.

The Periodic Review Report, Matteson explained, documents many significant developments that have occurred at the university since that time. Some of them include:

- the development of a Strategic Directions Statement and the implementation of an integrated five-year planning strategy;
- periodic program and accreditation reviews, including "the unqualified accreditation" of the university's nursing program by the National League of Nurses;
- a new general education requirement to enhance diversity;
- the implementation of student outcomes assessment through the ACT-Comp examination for all incoming freshmen;
- several changes in the university's computing technology and networking capacity.

### Council names English president emeritus

Chairperson Kevin O'Connor presented a plaque to Interim President Curtis English for his dedication and service to Bloomsburg University. The council voted to name English president emeritus of Bloomsburg University. English, council member Robert Buehner said, is "a president who cared about and loved this place."

English thanked the council members and noting the "gorgeous plaque," he added "it was my pleasure working with you. We have accomplished a lot together. We have developed very long-lasting

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friendships. I hold you all in very high regard.”

Buehner reported that the university's division of administration received an “unqualified opinion” from the auditors this year. Noting this “excellent rating,” Buehner commended the institution for its strong fiscal management.

### Survey results, “very positive” for the university and town

During the meeting, James Tomlinson, associate professor of communication studies, who conducted the survey of town residents, reported the “general tenor of responses from residents is very positive for the institution and for the town.”

He said 17 of his students, who assisted with the survey, found the residents they were calling asking them such questions as where they were from, what their majors were and why they came to Bloomsburg. “What we found was that residents really liked being called by our students. It was a very positive experience for the students.”

The purpose of the survey was to make sure “we would touch a number of residents in specific areas around town where you could anticipate some problems. So this is not a scientific survey,” he said.

“From the open-ended questions,” he continued, “we now have some new target areas where we might ask more specific questions, hopefully in the fall. We're also going to plan to do something with the students here on campus and off-campus as well and using this as a device, if you will, that will sensitize our students more to what the residents are thinking and care about.”

Over 50 percent of the residents indicated the university was going on the right track in terms of relations between the residents and the university, “with less than 20 percent indicating the wrong direction and the rest saying they didn't know.”

Tomlinson noted a “really nice bubble on the positive side” when on a scale of 1 to 10, 62 percent of

the residents rated the contributions the university makes to the town a 6 or better. And 84 percent of the respondents rated the contributions to the town on a scale of 5 or better.

When asked if they had a favorable or unfavorable impression of university employees, sororities, fraternities and students, 78 percent of the respondents agreed that some students should respect people's property more. “But, on the other hand,” he noted, 91 percent agreed that the university is a good place to take classes, and 82 percent indicated the university is a beautiful place to visit. In response to the question if the university has a positive or negative impact on the economy of Bloomsburg, 84 percent responded there was a positive impact.

The number one response to the question, What is the best part of having the university in Bloomsburg?, was “the economy and employment for the town are good for business.” The second most frequent response was the university offers an affordable education.

As a third response, he added, a number of respondents listed “different age groups, cultural groups and race in terms of a positive impact the university has upon the town.” Other factors mentioned were cultural events, the overall atmosphere of the town, being more cosmopolitan and students.

Survey respondents suggested solutions for solving the most serious problems in a university town, such as improving parking and stopping student drinking and parties.

“One thing we're striving toward in the town-gown committee is to try and control this,” said Mayor Bauman. “I don't think we'll ever stop parties or ever stop drinking, but we certainly, between the university and town, can control it.”

Bauman said the town-gown committee plans to form a parking committee to “take a look at the parking problems downtown and try to solve them.”

— Joan T. Lentzner



PHOTO BY JOAN HELFER

**SINGING A STORY**  
Storyteller Ed Stivender used a banjo to augment a story at Bloomsburg's 30th Annual Reading Conference held last month. The conference, organized by Ed Poostay, director of the Reading Clinic, attracted 1,300 educators from across the state to campus.

## Construction

Robert Parrish, vice president for administration, has reported on the following construction, renovation and maintenance projects:

**Student Recreation Center** – Footings and foundation walls are nearly complete. Steel erection has begun and will continue into July. Swisher Circle will be closed along the tennis courts during this period.

**Centennial Gymnasium** – Silicone sealing of the masonry is nearly complete.

**Storm Sewer Project** – Paving and restoration work are nearly complete. The project should be closed out in early June. The Town of Bloomsburg will repave Second Street later this summer.

**Montour Hall** – The rewiring project is completed.

**New Library Project** – The preliminary design stage has begun. The next scheduled progress meeting with the steering committee is June 6.

**Steamline Project** – Project design is complete. Project is waiting for release of bids.

**Lycoming Low Roof** – Bids have been accepted. Project scheduled for this summer.

**Schuykill Hall Renovation** – The work on the elevators and electrical system has begun. The water tank replacement has been held up due to a delay in asbestos removal and will not begin until early June. Window replacement will begin by mid June. All projects are scheduled to be completed before September.

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**High Noon**, Wednesday, Aug. 3, 7 pm, country and western, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**The Four Notes**, Wednesday, Aug. 17, 7 pm, dance band performing music of the '40s and '50s, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

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**Works by Andrea Houghton**, Haas Center for the Arts, Aug. 29 — Sept. 3. Reception, Sept. 3.

## THEATER

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## COMPUTER CONFERENCE PLANNERS

Shown from left are executive committee members for the Computers Across the Curriculum Conference held recently on campus: Robert Abbott, director of academic computing, Woo Bong Lee and Peter Bohling, professors of economics. The conference attracted faculty members from each university in the State System of Higher Education.

# Computers can revolutionize education, says conference speaker

Computers have the potential to revolutionize education, according to the keynote speaker for the Computers Across the Curriculum Conference held last month at Bloomsburg.

"Computers can let children be architects of their own learning," said Kerry Moyer, director of Research and Information Technologies for the State System. "Not only children ... By the year 2050, according to the census, there will be close to two million U.S. citizens over the age of 100. The average life span will be somewhere between 80 and 100, and probably be closer to 100 than 80. Entire career paths will appear and disappear in less than a decade. Through all of this, how useful will 16 years of school be? Education cannot remain a one-time deal — into the university for four years, then out into the world. There cannot be that much distance from learning during your final 80 years of life."

"According to *USA Today*, in March 1994, there were over 1,000 courses and 56 degree programs available via distance learning," said Moyer in his speech, "Learning from a Distance."

Integrating computers into the classroom will be a key method of bringing education to people throughout their lives, Moyer told the 200 faculty members from throughout the system who gathered in the Scranton Commons for the conference banquet. Among those in attendance were chancel-

lor James McCormick and interim president Curt English.

The conference was sponsored by the Bloomsburg University Foundation and the State System of Higher Education Faculty Professional Development Council. Executive committee members who planned the conference were Robert Abbott, director of academic computing, and Peter Bohling and Woo Bong Lee, professors of economics.

"By 1999, parents will be spending over \$2 billion annually for educational software in the home," said Moyer. "If children and adults can learn interactively at home, probably using multimedia workstations, how happy will they be at college if no computers are used in instruction? How satisfied will they be if software, the tools for learning, is lacking?"

"The bottom line: Teaching with computers — most faculty like it, students love it, and business, really, really loves it."

Moyer stressed that computers are not tools to reduce the number of faculty members needed; but "a tool to support faculty, especially in times of declining resources."

"Technology can help preserve what we want to keep — what is best about our educational system. Computers allow instructors to 'band together' and be more productive. They help them maximize their time in the classroom."

— Eric Foster

## Campus says farewell to Father Chet Snyder

Scores of friends attended a two-hour reception last week to wish Father Chester Snyder well in his new assignment in Mechanicsburg.

Father Chet, as he is known to everyone at Bloomsburg, served as Catholic Campus Minister at Bloomsburg for 11 years. In Mechanicsburg, he will serve as director of the Harrisburg Diocese Office of the Continuing Education of Priests and Parochial Vicar of St. Joseph's Church.

A great sense of humor, a positive role model and a commitment to helping in a time of need are qualities Father Chet brought to Bloomsburg, says Jennie Carpenter, interim vice president for student life.

"You knew if there was a crisis, a tragedy, he'd show up," says Carpenter. "He did what he was best at, working with students. He'd do it in his own quiet way."

Father Chet was active in many campus organizations, including the university's AIDS committee and the University/Community Task Force on Racial Equity.

"He was a wonderful role model," says Carpenter. "Some of the students are going to be shocked when they come back in the fall and he's not here."

## Mary Ericksen named acting business dean

Mary Ericksen, associate professor of marketing, has been named acting dean of the College of Business, according to Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president for academic affairs.

The appointment is effective Aug. 20 and will continue through July 1, at which time Matteson plans to return as dean.

John Olivo, professor of business education and office administration, has served as interim dean of the College of Business for the past two years.



### A WARM FAREWELL

Father Chester "Chet" Snyder, Catholic Campus Minister (left), was given a warm farewell by scores of friends at Bloomsburg University Monday, June 6, as he prepared for a new assignment at St. Joseph's Church in Mechanicsburg. The reception, held in the fireplace lounge of the Kehr Union, was hosted by the office of the president, office of the vice president for student life and the residence life office.

## Ramona Alley elected trustee chairperson

The Bloomsburg University Council of Trustees convened a special meeting to elect new officers Thursday, June 9, at the Luzerne Intermediate Unit in Kingston.

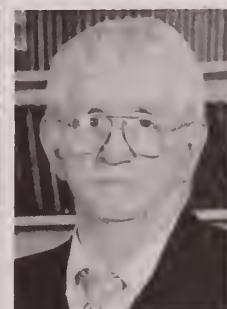
Ramona H. Alley of Berwick was elected chairperson; John J. Haggerty of Scranton and John McDaniel of Bloomsburg were elected vice chairpersons; and Robert W. Buehner Jr. of Danville was elected secretary.

Alley joined the council of trustees in 1983 and previously served as vice chairperson. Haggerty was named a trustee in 1992; McDaniel was named student trustee in 1993. Buehner was appointed to the council in 1980.

Members of the nominating committee, appointed at the end of the meeting of the council last month, were Anna Mae Lehr, John D. McDaniel, Gail A. Zurick and James T. Atherton Jr.



Ramona Alley



John Haggerty



Robert Buehner Jr.



John McDaniel

## Campus notes

**Donna J. Cochrane**, associate professor of business education and office administration, has been appointed to serve on the National Association for Business Teacher Education Program Review Team, the institutional division of the National Business Education Association. She was appointed to serve as an editor in the association's journal, the *Forum*. Cochrane was also selected to be a member of the Office Systems Research Association's curriculum revision project.

## News briefs

■ The 1995 Diversity Immigration Lottery is underway. Permanent resident VISAs will be granted to 55,000 persons from countries with low representation in the United States. For more information on the Immigration Lottery, call Madhav Sharma, coordinator of international education, at 4830.

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## Polka Family Band to perform June 27 for BloomFest '94

The Polka Family Band will perform at Bloomsburg on Monday, June 27, as part of BloomFest '94. The performance, which is free and open to the public, will be in the Kehr Union Ballroom from 5 to 9 p.m.

The public is invited to bring a picnic basket to the performance. Food will also be available to purchase. A dance floor will be set up for the show.

The seven-member group has been nominated for the Grammy award for three consecutive albums in 1990, 1991 and 1993.

Featuring the husband and wife

team of Frank and Nellie Guzevich, the overwhelming majority of the group's repertoire is constituted of original musical works. Frank, a Lithuanian-American, and Nellie, a Mexican-American, mix Hispanic musical influences with the traditional Eastern European polka form. Band members include the Guzevich's sons Hank and Fred, and non-family members Frank Kolodziecki, John Fomenko and Greg Sajkowicz.

BloomFest is sponsored by the university's Community Government Association and the Community Arts Council.

## 80 percent of Bloomsburg grads find jobs in their chosen fields

Of the 1,300 graduates in the December 1992, May and August 1993 classes at Bloomsburg University, 80.31 percent or 1,032 secured professional or meaningful employment in their chosen fields. This represents an increase of 7.02 above overall placement rates of 73.29 for 1992.

"We are tremendously proud of this record. It is an outstanding accomplishment, especially in today's challenging economic climate, to place so many graduates in meaningful employment. This speaks very well for the reputation of the university and the quality of its faculty and students," says Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president of academic affairs.

The percentage of graduates placed in each of the university's three schools is as follows: College of Professional Studies (includes education majors), 74.49 percent; College of Arts and Sciences, 82.96 percent; and College of Business, 84.97 percent.

A significant number of education majors are substitute teaching on a day-to-day basis, according to

Carol Barnett, director of the Career Development Center.

In the College of Professional Studies, graduates in the following curriculum areas experienced 100 percent placement: dental hygiene, interpreter training, medical technology, radiological technology, secondary education/chemistry, secondary education/earth and space science, secondary education/Spanish and early childhood education. Nursing and speech correction graduates experienced placement above 90 percent.

Graduates in the College of Arts and Sciences experienced 100 percent placement in the following curriculum areas: anthropology, art history, economics, French, health physics, humanities, liberal arts, music, philosophy, social science and theater arts. Over 90 percent placement was achieved by graduates majoring in adult health, biology and political science.

Accounting and business education/accounting majors in the College of Business experienced over 90 percent placement.

## Trustees review appointments, retirements, personnel actions

Several new appointments and other personnel actions were acknowledged recently by the Council of Trustees.

Steven Hales, formerly of Doraville, Ga., has been named assistant professor of philosophy. For the past two years, he served as visiting assistant professor at Georgia State University in Atlanta. He earned his bachelor of arts in philosophy at Southwestern University in Georgetown, Texas; his master's and doctorate in philosophy from Brown University in Providence, R.I.

David Randall of State College has been appointed assistant professor of English. He was previously employed by the university on a part-time basis in the same capacity. He earned his bachelor of arts in English and philosophy at Potsdam University in Potsdam, N.Y., his master's and doctorate in English and philosophy at the State University of New York at Binghamton.

Robert Kruse, professor of communication disorders and special education, retired after 27 years in the field of education, 19 of which were at Bloomsburg University.

Donald McCulloch, director of

planning and construction, retired after completing 13 years at Bloomsburg University.

Raymond Babineau, former professor of curriculum and foundations, has been granted faculty emeritus status in recognition of his 24 years of service at Bloomsburg University. Thomas Davies, former director of the Career Development Center, has been granted faculty emeritus status in honor of his 29 years of service to the university.

Patricia Clark of Mifflinville has been appointed interpreter in the tutorial/504 services.

Chimene Castor of Bloomsburg has been named residence director in the office of student life.

Alison Richard of Selinsgrove has been appointed clerk typist 3 in the Harvey Andruss Library.

Patricia Wary of Stillwater has been named stock clerk 2 in the departments of biological and allied health sciences, chemistry and physics.

Wendy Krum, clerk steno 1 in the office of admissions and records, has transferred to clerk steno 2 in the department of communication studies.

## QUEST plans summer courses

QUEST will offer a variety of outdoor courses this summer.

- Canoe I will be offered Sunday, June 26, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

- Canoe/Kayak II will be offered Sunday, Aug. 14, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Participants must have completed Kayak I or Canoe I or have the permission of QUEST before going on this trip.

- High Ropes will be offered Sunday, July 17, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the upper campus.

- Kayak I will be offered Saturday, July 23, and Sunday, July 31, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

- Rappelling will be offered Sat-

urday, June 18, July 30, and Aug. 6, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

- Rock Climbing I will be offered Saturday, July 9, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

- Rock Climbing II will be offered Saturday, Aug. 13, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. This course is for more experienced climbers or those who have participated in Rock Climbing I.

- Whitewater Rafting will be offered Saturday, June 25, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

QUEST provides all equipment and no prior knowledge is necessary for the courses. For more information, call the QUEST office at 4323.

## Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

May 1994

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Homicide	0	0
Sexual Offenses/Rape	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0
Simple Assault	0	0
Weapons Possession	0	0
Drug Violations	0	0
Disorderly Conduct with Drug Violations	1	1
Disorderly Conduct	8	7
Arson	0	0
Terroristic Threats	0	0
Criminal Attempt	0	0
False Alarms to Police	0	0
Vandalism	2	0
Trespass	0	0
Prowling	0	0
Liquor Laws	5	0
Public Drunkenness	0	0
D.U.I.	0	0
Harassment	1	0
Harassment by Communication	0	1
Open Lewdness	0	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0
Robbery	0	0
Burglary	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Theft from Buildings	1	2
Theft from Vehicles	0	0
Theft from the Grounds	0	0
Retail Theft	0	0
Book Theft	9	0
Bicycle Theft	1	0

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** The volume of people on campus during Fall and Spring semesters is, in itself, a helpful deterrent against someone taking university equipment from a building in front of people. With fewer people on campus at this time of year, a locked door is the best protection from theft.

### Faculty-Staff Telephone Directory reminder

Any changes in information for the Faculty-Staff Telephone Directory should be sent to Winnie Ney in university relations and communication by Friday, July 15.

# Calendar

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**Wildwood Beach Trip**, Saturday, July 9, departs 6 am. Tickets required. Call 4346 for information.

## FILMS

**Silverado**, Tuesday, June 21, and Thursday, June 23, 9 pm, outdoors on the Kehr Union lawn. Rain location Kehr Union Ballroom.

**A League of Their Own**, Tuesday, July 5, and Wednesday, July 6, 9 pm, outdoors on the Kehr Union lawn. Rain location Kehr Union Ballroom.

## SUMMER SESSIONS

Session 1, May 31 — July 8  
 Session 2, June 20 — July 29  
 Session 3, July 11 — Aug. 19  
 Session 4, May 31 — June 17  
 Session 5, June 20 — July 8  
 Session 6, July 11 — July 29  
 Session 7, June 20 — Aug. 19



**THE BIG LAP**, a sculpture by Antoinette Schultze, is among nearly 20 of her works which are on exhibit in the Haas Gallery of Art through June 27. Schultze will speak at a closing reception on Monday, June 27, at noon in the gallery. Gallery hours are Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## Maine sculptor exhibits works in Haas

Sculptures by Antoinette Prien Schultze of Maine are on exhibit in the Haas Gallery of Art through Monday, June 27.

Working in her studio in Eliot, Maine, Schultze meticulously executes her sculptures in bronze, stone, wood and clay. She sometimes incorporates cast glass within a sculptural composition to illuminate the theme of focal point of the piece.

A self-taught artist, Schultze has exhibited her work extensively in the Northeast, Virginia, Utah and Holland.

Recently, she was invited to participate in a stone carving symposium in Ireland. She has won several major public commis-

sions in open competition, most notably for a 10-foot-tall bronze sculpture for the city of Manchester, N.H. Her works are also part of many private collections ranging from California, to Missouri to Maine.

Starting this summer, Schultze's four-ton marble sculpture "Life Entwined" will be on loan to the Ogunquit Museum of American Art in Ogunquit, Maine, for a period of four years.

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# COMMUNIQUE

A NEWSLETTER FOR FACULTY AND STAFF AT

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## President gets down to business on her first day

At 12:01 a.m. Friday, July 1, Dr. Jessica Kozloff assumed the responsibilities of her role as the university's 18th president.

"I was awake well before dawn," she says smiling as she makes a brief visit to the Maintenance Center at 6:30 a.m., greeting Bill Fisher, Bob Campbell, Patty Rudy and other members of the crew. She thanks Todd Knecht, once again, for driving her to the airport in Harrisburg during a snow storm last winter.

She's back at Carver at 7 a.m., hauling boxes up the Carver Hall steps with Keith Eves' help. Among the family portraits she unpacks is a favorite of her son Kyle and daughter Becky on the occasion of her daughter's graduation from college. There's also a plaque from the trustees of the Colorado State Colleges in recognition of her distinguished service to that system and a photo of herself and her classmates in the American Council of Education fellows program. By 8 a.m., she's writing thank you notes in her office. Curtis English signs papers in the outer office. Moments later, he walks into his former office, greets Kozloff with his usual cheerful "good morning" and, in a symbolic gesture, hands her the keys to Carver Hall.

"I'm here to learn what's going on," the president tells the library steering committee at 9 a.m. in Waller Administration Building. "Right now, I'm on a steep learning curve. That includes trying to find the best dry cleaner in the area," she jokes. After viewing the architect's renderings of the exterior of the new library, discussion turns to the most economical way to increase storage space for books and periodicals without making major changes in the plans. When the possibility of sacrificing some study rooms was mentioned, all eyes turn to Tony Ianiero, interim vice president for advancement, who reminds them to tread carefully on these areas. The "president has bought one of those study rooms" through her generous donation to the library campaign. Everyone, including the president, laughs.

The day is full of meetings. For two hours, she meets with her staff, Gail Mullen, Marilyn Muelhoff and Joann Mengel,

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Bloomsburg's new president, Dr. Jessica Kozloff, spent her first day as president, July 1, meeting people around campus. Top: At a meeting of the library steering committee, Kozloff (center) is shown drawings of the new library by Carol Matteson (left), interim provost and vice president for academic affairs, and J. Daniel Vann (right) dean of library services.

Matteson serves as co-chair of the library steering committee with Kozloff. Center: Kozloff talks with Bloomsburg student Roland Ngijol while taking a tour of the Student Recreation Center construction site. Bottom: Kozloff talks with Todd Knecht in the Buckingham Maintenance Center.

# News briefs

■ The athletics department will offer a 20 percent fee reduction for immediate family members of all faculty and staff members for all sports camps. This will be based upon space availability in each camp. Please contact individual camp directors prior to initial registration for details.

■ A new booklet, "Win Them Over: Color Tips and Techniques for Creating Successful Presentations" is now available to faculty through audio visual resources. The booklet, published by InFocus Systems, offers dozens of suggestions and tips for creating effective, easy-to-read computer-generated graphics when teaching or presenting with a computer and a projection panel. The booklet may be borrowed at audio visual resources, McCormick Center for Human Services, Room 1231.

■ Twenty-six Bloomsburg faculty members representing each college made presentations and participated in the third annual Global Awareness Society Conference held in Chicago in June. In addition, 36 Bloomsburg students participated in the conference.



PHOTO BY JOAN HELFER

**HONORING A PARTING PRESIDENT** — The Bloomsburg University Council of Trustees presented Curtis English with a president emeritus plaque at a recent banquet sponsored by the Alumni Association. The banquet, attended by 130 friends of English and his wife Janet, was held in the Kehr Union Ballroom. Shown from left are: trustees, Anna Mae Lehr and LaRoy Davis, English, trustees John McDaniel and Kevin O'Connor. English, a 1956 graduate of Bloomsburg, served as the university's president from 1993 to June of 1994. English is returning to his position as vice president of administration of East Stroudsburg University.

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## System changes address, phone numbers

The Office of the Chancellor relocated to the Dixon University Center. The new mailing address for the office is as follows:

Office of the Chancellor, State System of Higher Education, Dixon University Center, 2986 North Second St., Harrisburg PA 17110

The new general telephone number for the office is (717) 720-4000 (or PANET 8-496-4000). The facsimile number for the Chancellor is (717) 720-4011. Telephone extensions for other State System offices

are: Chancellor's office, 4010; academic affairs, 4200; advancement, 4050; employee and labor relations, 4150; faculty development and student affairs, 4210; finance and administration, 4100; governmental relations, 4020; internal review group, 4240; chief legal council, 4030; personnel/payroll systems, 4180; research and data, 4220; social equity, 4040; university legal council, 4070; University Center, 4080; Pennsylvania Academy, 4090.

## Retired faculty members granted emeritus status

The Council of Trustees has granted faculty emeritus status to the following retired faculty:

•John Hartzel, assistant professor of computer and information science, in recognition of his 21 years of service.

•Michael Herbert, professor of biological and allied health sciences,

in recognition of his 28 years of service.

•William Sproule, professor of health, physical education and athletics, in recognition of his 24 years of service.

•Gerald Strauss, professor of English, in recognition of his 32 years of service.



# Summer programs give students a taste of college

Bloomsburg is hosting a number of programs this summer designed to expose high school students to college life.

The programs include: Upward Bound, PRIDE, Science in Bloom, College Sampler and Connecting Cultures programs.

Upward Bound is bringing 60 high school students from 14 regional school districts to campus from June 26 to Aug. 5. The students, in grades 10 to 12, will stay in university residence halls and will be taught by high school teachers and university volunteers.

"The purpose is to prepare them to be successful college students," says Maureen Mulligan, director of the federally funded program.

To be eligible for the program, students must come from families who meet economic guidelines and have the potential to be the first college graduates in their family.

PRIDE, now in its third year, is bringing groups of Harrisburg middle and high school students to campus from June 26 to July 29. PRIDE is designed for students from low-income households in grades

seven to 11 who show academic potential but are at risk of dropping out of high school.

In addition to university, foundation and State System support, PRIDE is supported by AMP Corporation of Harrisburg, Aetna Corporation and SETCO, the service delivery agency for the federal Job Training Partnership Act.

Science in Bloom is bringing 20 academically talented minority high school students from around the state to campus from July 5 to July 22.

John Baird, director of Bloomsburg's honors and scholars program, developed the academy last year to stimulate minority high school students' interest in science. The program is funded by the State System of Higher Education's Office of Social Equity.

Later in July, the College Sampler Program will bring 50 academically talented African American high school students to Bloomsburg from July 17 to 22, and the Connecting Cultures program will bring approximately 50 middle school students from the Millville School District to campus from July 25 to 28.

## Kozloff

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with whom she stresses the importance of working together as a team. Later she meets alumni affairs director Doug Hippenstiel regarding the alumni publication. "It's important that we keep alumni informed about this institution. They are friend raisers for us," she says. In the evening, there is a dinner with members of the town and university.

Even on her first day though, Dr. Kozloff finds time for students.

At 11 a.m. she joins a dozen students for a tour of the Student Recreation Center construction site. Later the president and the students

will have lunch. John Trathen, director of student activities and the Kehr Union, gives them an update on the center that is scheduled to open Jan. 20.

It's a hot, sunny day and a press photographer and reporter are there to document the students' first impressions of the new president. One of the students' comments would make the morning headline: "It was a real icebreaker," she told the reporter, explaining that the president told them they could call her "Dr. K."

—Joan T. Lentzner

## Campus notes

**Kara Schultz**, assistant professor of communication studies, recently presented a paper titled "Transcending Patriarchy: Leadership, Culture, and the Radical Necessity of Change" at the 85th Annual convention of the Eastern Communication Association in Washington, D.C. She also chaired a panel of "Competitive Papers in Intercultural Communication: The Struggle for a Multicultural World" and stepped down as the intercultural division chair of the association.

**Kenneth Wilson**, associate professor of art, exhibited 17 narrative paintings in a juried exhibition of the Harrisburg Art Association in June. Wilson created some of the paintings during his sabbatical in the fall of 1993 and was inspired from readings in the *Decameron* by Boccaccio.

**Harold J. Bailey**, director, and **Timothy L. Phillips**, assistant director of the Institute for Interactive Technologies, have co-written a chapter titled "Authorware Professional: An Overview and Discussion" which appears in *Authoring Systems Software for Computer-Based Training* published by Educational Technology Publications this year. Phillips was an invited presenter at the a university-wide workshop at Indiana University of Pennsylvania where he spoke on the topic "The Institute for Interactive Technologies, A Model for IUP?" Phillips and **Kenneth Job**, instructor for the Institute for Interactive Technologies, conducted a workshop on ToolBook for the instructional technology department at Northampton Community College in Bethlehem.

## Library fund campaign within \$600,000 of goal

The campaign to build a new library, *A Treasury of Ideas*, has raised \$2.79 million, bringing the campaign to within \$600,000 of the \$3.375 million goal.

More than 200 faculty and staff members have contributed over \$89,000 to the campaign, nearing the \$100,000 goal for employee contributions. Alumni have contributed or pledged over \$1.63 million to the four-year campaign, exceeding their \$1.25 million goal.

By raising more than 25 percent of the cost of the library, Bloomsburg has qualified for \$7.125 million in matching funds from the Commonwealth. The total cost of the project, including the design cost and private and matching construction funds to meet the \$10.5 million construction cost, will exceed \$12.4 million.

Construction of the four-story library building is scheduled to begin in the spring of 1995 at the present site of the softball field.

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**High Noon**, Wednesday, Aug. 3, 7 pm, country and western, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**The Four Notes**, Wednesday, Aug. 17, 7 pm, dance band performing music of the '40s and '50s, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**Faculty Recital**, Soprano Wendy Miller, Sunday, Sept. 11, 2:30 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

**All-Faculty Recital**, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2:30 pm, Carver Hall, Gross Auditorium.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**Wildwood Beach Trip**, Saturday, July 9, departs 6 am. Tickets required. Call 4346 for information.

## THEATER

**The Time of Your Life**, July 6-9, 8 pm, and July 10, 2 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Call the theater department at 4287 for information.

## SUMMER SESSIONS

Session 1, May 31 — July 8  
 Session 2, June 20 — July 29  
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 Session 4, May 31 — June 17  
 Session 5, June 20 — July 8  
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 Session 7, June 20 — Aug. 19

## ART EXHIBITS

**Works from the Bloomsburg University Permanent Collection**, July 5, through Aug. 15, Haas Center for the Arts.

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## WORK IN PROGRESS

Michael Collins (foreground), director of theater at Bloomsburg, works with student actors John Bednarik of Philadelphia and Heather Dyas Fried of Bloomsburg while rehearsing *The Time of Your Life*. In addition to directing the play, Collins is also acting in a role. The play opened Wednesday and will be performed at 8 p.m. through July 9, and at 2 p.m. on July 10. Tickets for the performance are \$5 for adults and \$3.50 for students and senior citizens and are available at the door.

## Bloomsburg Players to present '30s comedy, 'The Time of Your Life'

The Bloomsburg University Players will present "The Time of Your Life" through July 10 in Carver Hall, Kenneth S. Gross Auditorium.

The Pulitzer Prize-winning comedy by William Saroyan focuses on the lives of down-and-outers on the San Francisco waterfront in 1939, the waning days of the Depression.

Director Michael Collins describes the play as "gentle and charming," but adds that it can also be viewed as a metaphor for America's position on the brink of the World War II.

"There is a raging maniac in Europe and the United States can't do anything about it," says Collins, director of theater at Bloomsburg. In his introduction to the play, Saroyan, a pacifist, writes "If the time comes in the time of your life to kill, kill and have no regret."

One of the special challenges and reasons that the play is not often staged, says Collins, is that it requires a cast of 18 male actors, which are difficult for small theater companies to muster.

The play will be performed at 8 p.m. on July 6 to 9, and 2 p.m. on July 10. Tickets for the performance are \$5 for adults and \$3.50 for students and senior citizens and are available at the door.

## Kathy Gailor named women's basketball coach

Athletic director Mary Gardner has announced that Kathy Gailor has been named head women's basketball coach. Gailor replaces Joe Bressi, who resigned the post after eight years to take the position of head men's basketball coach at Lycoming College in Williamsport.

Gailor, 25, comes to Bloomsburg after spending one season as the head coach at Connecticut College in New London. Her squad posted a 16-8 record last year. She previously served as assistant coach for three years at Bucknell University in Lewisburg. Bloomsburg posted a 17-10 record last season, including a 10-2 record in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference Eastern Division.

# COMMUNIQUE

A NEWSLETTER FOR FACULTY AND STAFF AT

BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY

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## TIP program celebrates its 10th year

Giving people a hand up instead of a handout. A catchy phrase in today's political climate.

At Bloomsburg University, the TIP (Training for Information Processing) program has helped people support themselves through work instead of welfare for 10 years.

A tenth anniversary luncheon will be held Thursday, July 28, in honor of graduates and supporters of the TIP program.

"Out of the last three graduating classes, one has a 100 percent job placement, in another eight of 12 have found jobs, and in the third, nine of 12," says Karen Hicks, program coordinator. Hicks estimates that 75 percent of the 250 program alumni have found jobs.

Project director John Olivo developed the TIP program a decade ago, shortly after coming to Bloomsburg from Michigan where he had experience with a similar program.

**"Lives change as a result of this program. The students are becoming successful. You see their self-esteem and self-image change."**

"The initial project, called TOTO (Training for Office Technology Occupations), was the cooperative effort of the business education and office administration faculty," says Olivo, interim dean of the College of Business until Aug. 20, when he returns to his position as a professor in the business education and office administration department. "The idea was to train people in the skills that were needed by



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**VITA ADVICE** — Karen Hicks (left), program coordinator for Bloomsburg's TIP (Training for Information Processing) program, helps Shirley Hornberger of Berwick write her resume in the TIP building on the upper campus. In the background, Sandra Robbins works on her resume. The tenth anniversary of the TIP program will be celebrated with a luncheon on Thursday, July 28, at the Hotel Magee in Bloomsburg.

businesses in the region. In the initial program, faculty in business education and office administration at Bloomsburg taught the classes."

Over the ten-year span, the program has continuously improved. Permanent faculty were hired as program instructors. Dedicated word processors gave way to personal computers, and in the late '80s, a classroom facility, located on the upper campus, was acquired for the program. Software has been continuously updated so that it represents what is being used in offices.

"A lot of the program improvements have been based on student and employer input," says Olivo. "Many times, our TIP graduates are ahead, technologically, of the offices in which they work."

A reputation for quality training has led to calls from companies with job openings for applicants from the TIP program, says Hicks.

Funding for the program has primarily been provided by the federal JTPA (Job Training Partnership Act) program. Bloomsburg's School of Extended Programs has also provided support in upgrading the facility, in exchange for the use of TIP facilities and instructors for mini-courses.

Students in the program, often welfare recipients, displaced homemakers or the recently unemployed, spend 28 hours a week in class for 16 weeks. The in-class training is followed by a four-week internship. Internship sites include the

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## Campus notes

**Zahira Khan**, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science, recently presented a paper titled "Performance Comparison of Interprocessor Communication Schemes for Hashing Techniques on the Connection Machine" at the Massively Parallel Computing Conference in Ischia, Italy.

**Steven L. Cohen**, professor of psychology, published an article titled "Effects of Reinforcement History on Responding Under Progressive-Ration Schedules of Reinforcement" in the *Journal of Experimental Analysis of Behavior*. The paper was coauthored with Bloomsburg alumni Jennifer Pedersen, Skip Kinney and James Myers.

**Julia Bucher**, assistant professor of nursing, recently presented "The Home Care Guide for Cancer: A Tool to Support Family Caregiver Problem Solving" to a special conference sponsored by Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center and New York University Medical Center in New York City. Bucher also recently received the 1994 Service Recognition Award from the Central Susquehanna Unit of the American Cancer Society.

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## Recycling rules are clarified

Not all of the material being placed in Bloomsburg's recycling containers is recyclable, and that is causing problems with the town recycling center, according to Vince DiLoretto, director of custodial services.

"We have been contacted by the town. If we don't improve the material we send them, they're going to reject it. They're getting a lot of garbage. They'll get white paper contaminated with toner cartridges. Cans and bottles filled with liquids," says DiLoretto.

Last year, the university recycled approximately 120 tons of various materials, including aluminum cans, glass, white office paper, computer paper, newspaper, tin cans and corrugated boxes.

"Contaminated materials sent to the recycling center will be rejected and returned to the university," says DiLoretto. And once the unacceptable materials are back on campus, they will be returned to the area from which they were collected. Individual trash cans containing recyclable materials will not be emptied until those items are removed and properly sorted.

### TIP

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Bloomsburg and Berwick hospitals, many area law and medical offices and a variety of small businesses in the area.

TIP instructors Holly McAnall and Sonja Westover work with 12 to 15 students during a semester-long course. In addition to learning the latest in office computer technology, students choose between a legal and medical track, in which they learn the terminology used in those fields. They also learn skills in accounting, interviewing for jobs and writing resumes.

"This is tax dollars well spent," says Olivo. "The cost of training per student is exceptionally low compared to other JTPA programs in the region."

Here are a few pointers on how to properly prepare recyclable materials:

- Aluminum beverage cans must be completely empty
- Glass containers must be empty and free of metal caps and rings (glass must also be sorted by color)
- Bi-metal/tin cans are to be cleaned, labels and both end lids removed, and the can crushed flat.
- Only white office paper can be recycled, not colored paper.
- The glossy advertisements must be removed from newspapers.
- Cardboard boxes should be broken apart and flattened.

Materials which **CANNOT** be recycled include: magazines, catalogs, phone books, colored paper, tissue paper, all coated (glossy) paper, envelopes with clear windows, file folders, carbon paper, adhesive stickers, labels, paper and foam plates and cups, food wrappers, food containers. Also, bringing recyclable materials from home to place in university collection boxes is forbidden and considered theft of services.

More than giving graduates a means of making a living, Olivo has seen people gain confidence in themselves. "Lives change as a result of this program. The students are becoming successful. You see their self-esteem and self-image change."

JTPA agencies in Allentown and Pittsburgh have modeled their programs after the TIP program.

Representatives of funding agencies, employers and graduates will speak at the luncheon. Among the speakers is a doctor, so impressed with the program, that he is traveling to Bloomsburg from Maryland with a TIP graduate who now works in his office.

For more information on the anniversary luncheon, call Hicks at 4121.

## Ireland trip planned for early fall

The School of Extended Programs is sponsoring a trip to Ireland from Sept. 23 to Oct. 2.

One of a series of trips focusing on the experiences of immigrants to the United States, the tour will include seven hours of group meetings before departure. The meetings will be devoted to the examination of Irish-English relations from 1600 to 1921, the politics of the Republic of Ireland and a history of Irish immigration to the United States. Anthony Sylvester, professor emeritus of history, will serve as tour leader.

The tour will include visits to Cork,

Kilkenny, Ring of Kerry, Dingle Peninsula, Cashel and Cobn (pronounced Cove). Cobn was the port of departure for most of the Irish emigrants to America, and a museum dedicated to the emigration has recently opened there. The cost of the trip is \$1,300 per person, double occupancy, and includes round trip airfare, breakfast daily, various admission fees, a theater ticket in Dublin and the cost of a driver and guide.

For more information, call the School of Extended Programs at 4420. The deadline to register is Tuesday, Aug. 23.

## Connecting Cultures program brings Millville students to campus

Nearly 60 middle school students from Millville School District will come to Bloomsburg from July 25-28 to experience college life as part of the Connecting Cultures program.

"Students from rural areas are less likely to continue their education beyond high school than students from other regions in the state," says Gilda Oran, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations and project co-director. "Middle school students are the target of Connecting Cultures because they are at a point in their academic careers when they must choose their high school courses. The exposure to social and academic life at a small campus can help motivate them to select more challenging courses in high school so they are better prepared for college."

"In addition, rural areas have critical needs for educated professionals," says co-director Carol Hodes, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations. "One example is the serious shortage of primary care physicians which is especially critical in rural areas."

The program will include tours of university resources such as the Institute for Interactive Technologies,

the Curriculum Materials Center, campus television studios and Andruss Library. Students will also participate in language classes.

The project is funded by a grant from the State System of Higher Education in Pennsylvania.

### Treasury Of Ideas

#### Library campaign update

##### Campaign goal

— \$3.375 million

##### Donations and Pledges:

(As of July 4)

Alumni — \$1.6 million

Parents — \$159,726

Employees — \$105,447

Students — \$600

Friends — \$139,207

Business and Corp. — \$422,731

Matching gifts — \$146,429

Organizations — \$200,622

Private foundations — \$40,000

##### Total gifts and pledges

— \$2.821 million

## Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

June 1994

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Homicide	0	0
Sexual Offenses/Rape	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0
Simple Assault	0	0
Weapons Possession	0	0
Drug Violations	0	0
Disorderly Conduct with Drug Violations	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	1	0
Arson	0	0
Terroristic Threats	0	0
Criminal Attempt	0	0
False Alarms to Police	0	0
Vandalism	0	0
Trespass	0	0
Prowling	0	0
Liquor Laws	0	0
Public Drunkenness	0	0
D.U.I.	0	0
Harassment	0	0
Harassment by Communication	0	0
Open Lewdness	0	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0
Robbery	0	0
Burglary	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Theft from Buildings	0	0
Theft from Vehicles	0	0
Theft from the Grounds	0	0
Retail Theft	0	0
Book (Bag) Theft	1	0
Bicycle Theft	0	0

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** The only approved way for undergraduate students to have access to academic buildings after hours is as follows: Departments should forward a list of approved students to university police and contact the key control officer to have a key stored at the police station for those students. When approved students need access to a building, they can sign out a key by leaving their I.D. at the police station. Propping open doors or giving a student a key is not good for building security or for personal safety. Refer to the key control policy for more details.



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**A STEEL SKELETON** — Steel girders for the Student Recreation Center are silhouetted against the sky. The estimated completion date for the center is February, 1995. Colin Reitmeyer, acting director of planning and construction, is project manager for Bloomsburg.

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**Blood Drive**, Wednesday, July 27, 10 am- 4 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom.

**TIP 10th Anniversary Luncheon**, Thursday, July 28, 11:30 am to 1:30 pm, Magee's Main Street Inn, Bloomsburg.

## News briefs

■ "Cabinet Report" is now available to university faculty and staff on the Word Perfect Office system. Supervisors are asked to post a copy of the reports for those who do not yet have access to Word Perfect Office.

## Campus notes

**Robert Wislock**, education and training manager, received a doctorate of education from Penn State University during commencement ceremonies on May 14. The title of his dissertation was "The Effects of Group Cohesion on the Productivity of Advisory Groups that Plan Employee Training Programs in a University Setting."

**Bruce L. Rockwood**, professor of finance and business law, recently presented a paper titled "Speech as a Universal Right: International Law and the Case of Salman Rushdie" to the 8th International Roundtable on Law and Semiotics at Penn State — Berks Campus in Reading. His paper, "Shylock the Stranger: Looking Around for Justice," was published in the book, *The Eyes of Justice* edited by Roberta Kevelson and published by Peter Lang this year. Rockwood served as a judge in the semifinal round of the Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition held at the 88th Annual Meeting of the American Society of International Law in Washington, D.C.

**Gary Clark**, assistant professor of art, recently received the Chairman's Choice Award from the National Art Education Association for a piece titled "The Tree of Life" which was shown in an exhibit titled "The Electronic Gallery" at the association's conference in Baltimore, Md. Clark will also have work featured in a book titled *Painter* by Dawn Erdos. Published by the MIS Press, the book will feature approximately five of Clark's works, and an explanation of how a work is created.

**Virgie D. Bryan**, assistant professor of developmental reading and study skills, co-chaired the Pennsylvania Association of Developmental Educators Thirteenth Annual Conference on Developmental Education in Lancaster. The conference committee also included Bloomsburg developmental instruction faculty **Wayne George**, assistant professor of developmental mathematics; **James Mullen**, instructor of developmental reading and study skills; **Janice Walters**, instructor of developmental writing; and **John Wardigo**, assistant professor of developmental mathematics. **Harold Ackerman**, assistant professor of developmental writing, served as a moderator for conference sessions, as did George, Mullen, Walters and Wardigo. Virgie Bryan has served for several years as central region representative on the PADE board of directors.

**Michael C. Hickey**, assistant professor of history, delivered a paper titled "The February 1917 Revolution in Smolensk and the Problem of Civil Society" at the Mid-Atlantic Slavic Association's 1994 Conference at Villanova.

## James Christy named interim admissions director

James Christy has been named interim director of admissions.

The recent national search for a permanent director of admissions did not yield an acceptable candidate.

Christy served as director of admissions at Bloomsburg from 1986 to 1990, and since that time has served as associate director of admissions.

Christy has previously served as director of admissions at Gannon University in Erie and Mount Saint Mary College in Newburgh, N.Y. After receiving his bachelor's degree in psychology from Wheeling College in West Virginia, Christy earned his master's degree in counseling in higher education from Kutztown University in 1976.

Christy was named one of the Outstanding Young Men of America in 1981. In 1983, he was again nominated for the honor. He holds membership in a number of national, state and regional associations pertaining to admissions and counseling.



James Christy

## Katherine Mulka named acting associate director of admissions

Katherine Mulka has been named acting associate director of admissions. Mulka previously served as assistant director of admissions. Mulka came to Bloomsburg as assistant director of admissions in 1988. She had previously served in temporary positions as an admissions counselor at Bloomsburg as well as holding various teaching and administrative positions in area school districts. She earned bachelor's and master's degrees in education from Bloomsburg University.



Katherine Mulka



**GIVING SMALL ENTERPRISE A BOOST** — Pamela Wynn (foreground), director of Bloomsburg University's Local Enterprise Assistance Project and associate professor of management, attends a recent training session for entrepreneurs.

## LEAP Program helps enterprises jump ahead

In less than a year of operation, Bloomsburg University's Local Enterprise Assistance Project (LEAP) has provided business support to 21 small businesses in the greater Columbia County region, ranging from a restaurant to a fitness center.

"All LEAP businesses started are still operating," says Pamela Wynn, associate professor of management at Bloomsburg and the project's director.

Wynn describes LEAP as a community service, helping create new jobs and opportunities as the economy changes from an industrial to a service emphasis. Outside of academe, Wynn has years of experience working to improve communities. While in Florida before coming to Bloomsburg, Wynn served the Greater Tampa Urban League as vice president for programs and external

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# News briefs

■ The University Store will close at 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 9. It will resume normal hours Wednesday, Aug. 10 at 8 a.m.

■ The Kehr Union Program Board is sponsoring a bus trip to Baltimore's Inner Harbor on Saturday, Aug. 6. The cost of the trip is \$15 for those with a community activities sticker and \$20 for those with a Bloomsburg ID and guests of people with a Bloomsburg ID. Registration for the trip is at the Kehr Union Information Desk. The bus to Baltimore will leave Elwell Hall at 7 a.m. and depart from Baltimore at 7 p.m. The annual Afram festival will be taking place on Aug. 6 in Camden Yards.

■ Residence life and the Kehr Union Program Board is sponsoring a trip to a baseball game between the Colorado Silver Bullets, an all women's professional baseball team, and the Scranton/Wilkes-Barre Twins on Monday, Aug. 8, at the Lackawanna County Stadium in Moosic. A bus to the stadium will leave Elwell Hall at 5 p.m. Cost of the trip is \$5 with a Bloomsburg ID and \$10 for guests of people with a Bloomsburg ID and includes admission to the game. Registration for the trip is at the Kehr Union Information Desk.

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## LEAP

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affairs. She was executive director of Volunteers of America's Gainesville Post and director of Manpower Programs at Tarrant County Junior College in Texas.

Wynn's academic background also links administrative training with community needs. She earned a bachelor's degree in psychology and sociology, a master's degree in urban studies and her doctorate in administration - urban and public affairs, all from the University of Texas at Arlington.

**"There are a lot of business training programs, but not one that provides out-of-class assistance to entrepreneurs at their place of business."**

"This area has been very distressed economically," says Wynn. "LEAP seemed like a way of alleviating some of the problems created as a result of the structural changes taking place in the economy."

Wynn adds that most small enterprises fail because the owners lack business skills or the business is undercapitalized or both. LEAP has components to address both needs; a micro loan program to provide access to credit and technical assistance from Bloomsburg business students to help with business planning and problems. The business owners are also provided with 60 hours of formal training classes in the "basics" of starting and running a business enterprise. Twenty-five entrepreneurs have gone through the program in two groups.

"The project provides loans to the self-employed to start or expand small enterprises with credit needs ranging from \$500 to \$15,000," says Wynn. "Usually, they are sole

proprietorships or partnerships with one to five employees."

A unique feature of the LEAP program is the continuing support offered to participants. Three Bloomsburg graduate students are continuing to work with the entrepreneurs as consultants through the summer. "There are a lot of business training programs, but not one that provides out-of-class assistance to entrepreneurs at their place of business," says Wynn.

The university students involved share their business consulting experiences in the class Small Business Institute Seminar. "This is great for our students because they're able to look at all of a business's functions, from accounting to marketing. In a large company, they could be limited to one department or business functional area."

The concept for the project originated with the Grameen Bank in Bangladesh, which has been in operation since the 1970s and has helped more than a million borrowers start small businesses. Assisting Wynn with adapting the model to Pennsylvania is project associate Frank Lindendorf, professor of sociology and social welfare. Under the Grameen Bank system, borrowers are organized into circles of five people who discuss their business progress with one another at regular meetings. The group decides who receives the first loan and monitors repayment.

The Bloomsburg project received a \$27,000 grant in 1992 from the Center for Rural Pennsylvania to develop a plan to implement a micro-lending program in northcentral Pennsylvania. In 1993, the state agency has renewed the grant for \$47,900 and this year the project has been awarded \$50,000 in state funds. After this year, the program will be sustained by funding from other sources as well as interest from loans

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## Diversity conference planned for region's university faculty

The Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee (BUCC), is sponsoring a one-day conference on diversity in the curriculum titled "Getting it Together: A Conference on Diversity for Area Colleges" on Saturday, Sept. 10.

Held in cooperation with representatives from Bucknell University; College Misericordia; Kings College; Luzerne County Community College; Lycoming College; Marywood College; Penn State Hazleton, Schuylkill, Scranton and Wilkes-Barre campuses; Scranton University; Susquehanna University and Wilkes University, the conference planned is specifically for faculty of these institutions.

Registration will begin on Sept. 10, at 8:45 a.m. in the Kehr Union, Multicultural Center. At 9:30 a.m., president Jessica Kozloff will welcome participants and introduce other members of the president's panel: Christopher Breiseth of Wilkes University, Douglas Covington of Cheney University, Niara Sudarkasa of Lincoln University. The presidents will discuss their role in diversifying the curriculum and creating a genuine appreciation

of diversity on campus.

Conference participants will divide into groups for discussions, workshops and paper presentations. After the conference luncheon, the Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble will give a reading of Langston Hughes' poems.

Conference attendance is limited to 250 persons. So that all schools can be adequately represented, steering committee members at each school will handle pre-registration. The deadline for pre-registration is Wednesday, Sept. 7. There is a \$20 registration fee to cover the costs of food and the printing of conference materials.

For more information, contact steering committee member Nancy Gill, associate professor of English, at 4250.

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repaid. The Local Enterprise Project is an initiative of the Rural Enterprise Development Corporation, a regional non-profit intermediary.

The Town of Bloomsburg, local banks and businesses, civic organizations, the Agricultural Extension Service, Columbia County and the Chamber of Commerce have joined together in support of the project.

At the university, the College of Arts and Sciences granted Lindenfeld sabbatical leave to work on the project; the School of Extended Programs is supporting the business training component; the Bloomsburg University Foundation is assisting with program development; and the College of Business is providing general academic support as well as direct support through the Small Business Institute Seminar.

— Eric Foster

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## Campus notes

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**Lawrence B. Fuller**, professor of English, has written two articles in the recently published *Twentieth-Century Young Adult Writers* (St. James Press.) The first deals with Philip Caputo, a reporter and novelist whose work deals with the Vietnam War and various Middle East conflicts. The second features the novels of Sandra Scoppettone, a writer who focuses on violence, alcoholism, homosexuality and lesbianism among teenagers.

**Mark Jelinek**, associate professor of music, recently guest conducted the Festival Cello Orchestra at the Fifth Annual ASC/ASU Cello Solo/Ensemble Festival at Arizona State University in Tempe. The cello orchestra was comprised of approximately 40 Arizona cellists ranging in ability from about two years of playing to college-level. Jelinek also served as instructor to the advanced-level cellists.

**Lawrence Tanner**, assistant professor of geography and earth science, recently presented a paper titled "Origin of Authigenic Smectite and Zeolite in the Lower Jurassic McCoy Brook Formation, Fundy Basin, Nova Scotia" at the annual meeting of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists and the Society for Sedimentary Geology in Denver, Colo. He also served as session judge at the meeting.

**Dennis O. Gehris**, associate professor of business education and office administration, recently has written a textbook titled *Using WordPerfect for Windows for Desktop Publishing, Version 6.0* for South-Western Publishing Company, Cincinnati, Ohio, copyright 1995. Gehris was also selected to represent Bloomsburg University at the Pennsylvania Academy of Teaching in August at Boiling Springs.

**Harry C. Strine III**, associate professor of communication studies, was recently elected governor of Pi Kappa Delta's Province of the Colonies. Pi Kappa Delta is the national honorary Forensic fraternity which is divided into nine regions, among them the Province of the Colonies.

**David E. Washburn**, professor of curriculum and foundations, recently chaired a session and presented a paper titled "Reconceptualizing Multicultural Education for the Twenty-First Century," at the annual meeting of the Global Awareness Society in Chicago.

**Frank L. Misiti**, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, recently had an article titled "The Sticky String: Investigating Adhesion and Cohesion" published in the National Middle Level Science Teachers Association newsletter *Level Line*.

## Barnett named director of career development

Carol Barnett has been named director of the Career Development Center.

Barnett came to Bloomsburg in 1978 as assistant director of financial aid.

She served as assistant director of the Career Development Center since 1981.



Carol Barnett



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**IN THE STUDIO** — Tom Joseph (right), director of TV/radio services, shows students from the Millville Middle School Bloomsburg's television studio. The students visited Bloomsburg from July 25 to 28 as part of the Connecting Cultures program, designed to expose rural young people to college life. The program is directed by Gilda Oran and Carol Hodes, assistant professors of curriculum and foundations.

## Calendar

### CONCERTS

**The Four Notes**, Wednesday, Aug. 17, 7 pm, dance band performing music of the '40s and '50s, Bloomsburg Town Park near tennis courts/lagoon.

**All-Faculty Recital**, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2:30 p.m., Carver Hall, Gross Auditorium.

### SUMMER SESSIONS

Session 3, July 11 — Aug. 19  
Session 6, July 11 — July 29  
Session 7, June 20 — Aug. 19

**First Day of Class for Fall Semester**, Monday, Aug. 29, 8 am.

### SPORTS

*Includes home games only*

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### SPECIAL EVENTS

**Open Office Hours with President Kozloff**, Tuesday, Aug. 9, 1:30 - 3:30 pm, President's Office, Carver Hall.

**Getting It Together: A Conference on Diversity for Area Colleges**, Saturday, Sept. 10, 8:45 am to 4:30 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. For information, call Nancy Gill at 4250.

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**Andrea Houghton**, Master's thesis exhibit, Haas Center for the Arts, Aug. 29 — Sept. 3. Reception, Sept. 3, 1-3 pm.

**Deborah Letkiewicz**, Master's thesis exhibit, Haas Center for the Arts, Sept. 6-10. Reception, Sept. 10, 1-3 pm.

## Campus notes

**Salim Qureshi**, associate professor of marketing, recently presented a paper titled "Social Life Feelings in Urban and Rural Societies at the annual meeting of the Global Awareness Society International in Chicago.

**Timothy L. Phillips**, assistant director for the Institute for Interactive Technologies, was recently an invited presenter at the university-wide workshop at Indiana University of Pennsylvania where he spoke on the topic "The Institute for Interactive Technologies, A Model for IUP?"

**JoAnne S. Growney**, professor of mathematics and computer science, has a poem titled "Like Poetry, Mathematics is Beautiful" published in the May issue of *The American Mathematical Monthly*. The poem, as well as other mathematical and non mathematical verse, appears in Growney's recently published collection, *Intersections*, which is available at the University Store.

**Sukhwinder K. Bagi**, assistant professor of economics, presented two papers at the 20th annual convention of the Eastern Economic Association in Boston, Mass. The papers were titled "Religion, Economic Development and Human Rights" and "Markets and Democracy."

**Steven L. Cohen**, professor of psychology, recently presented a paper at a meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis: An International Organization in Atlanta, Ga. The paper, titled "Where's Waldo: Behavioral Momentum of Typing Behavior in College Students," was written with Bloomsburg psychology majors **Catherine Yanchunas** and **Brian Bowman**. Cohen also served as a chair during an invited address on conditioned reinforcement.

**Patricia Torsella**, assistant professor of nursing, recently presented research titled "The Quantity, Quality, and Impact of Mentoring Relationships Among Nurse Faculty in Academe" at the 10th annual research day of Eta Beta chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society at Widener University in Chester. She was also elected to Widener's chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, an interdisciplinary honor society.

**John Riley**, professor of mathematics and computer science recently presented a talk titled "Brahmagupta and His Formula" at the annual meeting of the SSHE Mathematics Association held at Slippery Rock University.

# COMMUNIQUE

A NEWSLETTER FOR FACULTY AND STAFF AT

BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY

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## Kozloff shares plans, hopes with radio listeners

President Jessica Kozloff recently had the opportunity to share her views, concerns and hopes for Bloomsburg's future with listeners of WPGM radio of Danville. Kozloff was interviewed for the Sunday program WPGM Forum by Matt Bowen, who gave his permission for the interview to be excerpted here.

During the 20-minute interview, Kozloff discussed being Bloomsburg's first female president and noted the university's academic and administrative strengths. She stressed the importance of working to make Bloomsburg well-known across the country and the president's role in raising funds to support academic excellence.

**Interviewer:** Good afternoon and welcome to WPGM Forum Today. On behalf of the program and the station, we would like to welcome you first of all to the area. Now you are the school's first woman president in 160 years. Am I in the right ball park there? Why do you think it has taken Bloomsburg University this long to reach this milestone?

**Kozloff:** For one thing, Bloomsburg has been very fortunate that it has had long tenure in most of its presidents. Just going back in the recent past, Chancellor (James) McCormick was here ten years. President (Harry) Ausprich was here seven years. So, you haven't had a great deal of turnover here. The opportunity has not been there



until recently. But I think, the other thing in general for women coming into high administrative positions, is that it has taken a while for women to work our way up. We're now finding there are a number of experienced women at the vice-presidential level that are qualified to be presidents.

**Interviewer:** Your arrival in Bloomsburg comes after a lot of racial strife, cross-burnings, rapes that had gone around. The town and university really seem to be a different place than they were even when I was here five years ago. Now, that of course has died down to an extent, but what kind of leadership do you offer to the university to bring us beyond those days and back into the old feeling like a small town again?

**Kozloff:** Sometimes I think we get very down on ourselves and we start dwelling on our problems. I think the president or any leader needs to be a cheerleader for his/her community or organization and to remind people that they are good, that what we have here is good. This is a very good university; this community is a good community. We have to remind ourselves of that and at the same time we have to tell ourselves, "The world is changing. How do we change with the world? How do we

make ourselves open to new experiences, new ideas, new people?" So there's sort of a dual thrust here of saying to ourselves we can always do a better job; we need to be more sensitive; and, on the other hand, saying, "You know this is a pretty darn good place; a lot of people would give their eye tooth to be here and we ought to be proud of that." We shouldn't be so proud of it that we don't admit we can do better.

**Interviewer:** From your knowledge of the university so far and what you've seen, what would you say are some of the weak points and some of the strong points?

**Kozloff:** I think our weak points are simply the sense of ourselves. Folks are a little down on each other and themselves right now. I keep saying to people, "Do you realize how good you are?" We've got to start trusting each other; we've got to start talking. This university would be the envy of many, many presidents. It's in good financial shape, not that we have all the money that we need to do all the things we want to do. We certainly don't, but it has been very well managed. We have a fine curriculum here and a very good faculty. Our students are superb. It's a good place

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**President's  
Fall Convocation Address**  
Wednesday, Aug. 31,  
3:30 p.m.  
Carver Hall,  
Gross Auditorium

## News briefs

■ The first two sites on campus to house the new integrated media presentation stations will be 122 Old Science and Kuster Auditorium in Hartline Science Center. Each station permits projected viewing of video, computer output, laser disc and slides, as well as amplified audio, all controlled from one easy-to-use panel located on a new podium. The stations contain both Macintosh and PC computers which are connected to the campus ethernet. There is also an amplified telephone line for guest speakers. Audio visual resources and the center for academic computing invites faculty to attend either of two orientation and training sessions on the media stations. The sessions will be held on Monday, Aug. 29, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. in 122 Old Science Hall, and from 8 to 9 p.m. in Kuster Auditorium. Interested faculty are asked to call Marie Fisher at the office of audio visual resources at 4233.

■ Public hours for the Harvey A. Andruss Library during late summer intersession are as follows: The Library will close at 6 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 19. From Aug. 20 to 28, the library will be open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and closed on weekends. University archives will be closed.

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## Interview

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and we have to recognize that and we have to build on it. I want to assume that everybody has the well-being of this university at heart. Not that we're always going to agree; we're not, just as we don't in a family. But what we need to get over here is this sense that there are alligators out there ready to snap at people, that you can't trust so and so. We have to assume that we can trust each other. Again, not that we will always agree but that we will respect each other. I think from my discussions with people that the majority of folks are ready to do that and they will welcome any new president who wants to come here and make this his or her home. I think people are really ready to try things a little differently and to start trusting each other more.

**Interviewer:** That leads to my next question, in the next five years maybe ten years, where would you like to see this university going? What changes would you like to see made?

**Kozloff:** The wonderful thing about coming to Bloomsburg is that it doesn't need radical surgery. There are no big problems requiring some kind of retrenchment or major restructuring. I think we need to more clearly articulate who we are, and I think that will come out of the new planning process we are about to go into here. My own goal for what I want to do for the university is to be good spokesperson for Bloomsburg in the state and even nationally. I want Bloomsburg to be well-known all over the country, not just in Pennsylvania. Let me be clear about that. I think the major goal of this university is to serve Pennsylvania students; so when I say I have a national agenda it's not to go and recruit people from all over the country. I think we have our hands full serving students in Pennsylvania. But one of the things that helps a

university is to have external credibility from people nationally. I hope to do that, to showcase what we're all about.

**Interviewer:** What would you say, coming from Colorado, some of the problems that you may have dealt with there that could translate to your experience here?

**Kozloff:** Well, one of the big problems in Colorado has been state funding. Colorado has not funded its institutions of higher education to the degree that Pennsylvania has. I have had a great deal of experience in dealing with shrinking state resources and what that means. It means you have to do a lot of private fund raising to supplement what you get from the state, and you have to have a continual program assessment of what you're doing so you use your resources wisely. Pennsylvania is experiencing problems with funding right now and the reason for that is that the state is having to deal with other problems: health, corrections, lots of federal mandates. The proportion of money going to the state universities has been cut proportionately. We have to recognize that's a fact of life probably for the next ten years. I hope my experience in private fund raising and in articulating higher education's needs to the State Legislature in Colorado can be helpful here in Pennsylvania.

**Interviewer:** Dr. Jessica Kozloff has been our guest today on WPGM Forum discussing her new position here and where she hopes to see the university go. Thanks again for taking time out of your schedule to share this with us.

**Kozloff:** Thank you and again, I'd just like to thank the community for the absolutely wonderful welcome. I'm so pleased and so proud to be here.



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**BOUND FOR THE FAIR** — The Bloomsburg University Visitor's Center Kiosk will be transported from its home in Waller Administration Building to the Education Building at Bloomsburg Fair for fair week from Sept. 24 to Oct. 1.

## University kiosk to be at fair

Visitors touring the education building at the Bloomsburg Fair this year will be able to find a variety of helpful information about Bloomsburg University.

Titled the Visitors Center, the university's kiosk featuring enlarged photographs of students and professors, a lighted map of the campus, recruitment literature and an interactive recruitment video, will be open Sept. 24 through Oct. 1 during fair hours, which are 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily.

The 15-foot-long, 8-foot-high white kiosk, will be moved from its current location in the lobby of Waller Administration Building to the fairgrounds a couple of days before the fair.

Fairgoers will be able to call up information about the university on a touch screen TV monitor, which will be permanently installed in the right tower of the kiosk in early September. University faculty and staff will be on hand during fair hours to answer questions and distribute literature throughout the week. Visitors will be able to fill out cards requesting more information about the university.

The interactive video was produced by the university's Institute

for Interactive Technologies and the University Advancement division.

The fair attracts as many as 130,000 people a day. "This means that approximately 30,000 to 35,000 people will visit the education building in a day," says Paul Slusser, director of the Bloomsburg Fair Association.

"The university's presence at the fair this year will greatly enhance our efforts to 'tell our story' to the broadest public possible," says Tony Ianiero, acting vice president for university advancement. The display, which identifies all of the buildings on campus and contains pockets for storing recruitment literature, will help to meet informational needs and help visitors understand the campus and its many available programs and services.

## EXPLORE receives national recognition

"EXPLORE Cooperative Education," a multimedia program developed at Bloomsburg recently achieved finalist status in the 1994 NewMedia INVISION Multimedia Awards. Explore was a finalist in the Higher Education, End-User Developed Applications category.

## Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

July 1994

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Homicide	0	0
Forcible Rape	0	0
Robbery	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0
Simple Assault	0	0
Burglary	0	0
Larceny Totals	3	0
Book (Bag) Theft	1	0
Theft from Buildings	0	0
Theft from Vehicles	1	0
Theft from the Grounds	1	0
Retail Theft	0	0
Bicycle Theft	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Arson	0	0
Forgery	1	0
Embezzlement	2	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0
Vandalism	2	0
Weapons Possession	0	0
Prostitution	0	0
Sex Offense Totals	0	0
Agg. Indecent Assault	0	0
Indecent Assault	0	0
Indecent Exposure	0	0
Open Lewdness	0	0
Drug Abuse Violations	0	0
Gambling	0	0
Off. Against Family	0	0
D.U.I.	1	1
Liquor Laws	0	0
Drunkenness	1	1
Disorderly Conduct	3	3
Disorderly Conduct with Drug Violations	1	1
Vagrancy	0	0
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	1	1

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** The fall semester will be soon upon us, bringing with it a larger campus population than we have been accustomed to over the summer. At the end of each day, be sure that your office door is locked. If you don't check to make sure your door is locked, a thief may.

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*Includes home games only*

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**Field Hockey vs. Messiah,** Saturday, Sept. 3, 1 pm, upper campus.

**Field Hockey vs. Scranton,** Sunday, Sept. 4, 1 pm, upper campus.

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## Loretta Swit in 'Shirley Valentine' to open Celebrity Artist Series

Theatre, jazz, a Broadway show and a festive holiday brass concert will be coming to Bloomsburg for the ninth season of the Celebrity Artist Series.

The Celebrity Artist Series will open with **"Shirley Valentine,"** starring **Loretta Swit, on Saturday, Sept. 17.** In a two-hour performance, Swit uses a variety of voices to bring Shirley Valentine to life and describe her husband, married life, a nosy neighbor, British tourists and a Greek lover. Film and television fans will best remember Swit for her role as Maj. Margaret Houlihan in "M\*A\*S\*H."

Future series events include:

• **Newport Jazz Festival, Friday, Oct. 21.** In July 1954 on the grass tennis courts of the Newport Casino, a great new tradition in American music was launched — the Newport Jazz Festival. To celebrate the 40th anniversary of the event, Newport Jazz Festival is on tour. The program follows the tradition of the festival in present-

ing established and new artists and music from the three great periods of jazz — New Orleans, Swing and Bebop.

• **"The Secret Garden," Tuesday, Nov. 8.** A major Broadway production that continues to play to sell-out audiences at the St. James Theater. Based on Frances Hodgson Burnett's 1911 novel, "The Secret Garden" is the tale of Mary Lennox, an orphan girl who brings life and hope to her uncle's death-haunted manor.

• **Epic Brass, Friday, Dec. 9.** Founded by trumpeter Earl Raney in 1983, the Boston-based Epic Brass has produced a dozen recordings and frequently appears on PBS radio stations. The ensemble's repertoire spans Renaissance, Baroque, classical, sacred and popular music.

Spring semester events include:

• **Minnesota Orchestra,** featuring pianist André Watts, Friday, Jan. 20.

• **"The Barber of Seville"** by the New York City Opera National Company, Friday, Jan. 27.

• **Ballet Theatre de Boudeaux,** Saturday, Feb. 18.

All performances begin at 8 p.m. in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Individual tickets range in price from \$25 to \$15 depending on the event and the seating section and go on sale Monday, Aug. 29. Season tickets for the series are \$110 and \$100 (\$95 and \$85 for senior citizens) and include all seven performances, as well as a special concert for subscribers only by the **Kandinsky Trio on Saturday, April 8.**

One of only five piano trios ever to win the prestigious Chamber Music America award, group members are: Elizabeth Bachelder, piano; Alan Weinstein, cello; and Benedict Goodfriend, violin, who studied at the Eastman School of Music and the New England Conservatory. To subscribe or order tickets, call the box office at 4409.

Community Activities card holders may pick up their tickets in Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room B, beginning at noon according to the following schedule: Shirley Valentine, Sept. 6; Newport Jazz, Oct. 10; Secret Garden, Oct. 25; Epic Brass, Nov. 28; Minnesota Orchestra, Jan. 16; Barber of Seville, Jan. 18; Ballet de Bordeaux, Feb. 6.

## LECTURES

**A President's View of Spirituality,** President Jessica Kozloff, Thursday, Sept. 8, 8 pm, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

**Guns and Violence in America: A Debate,** Gary Kleck, Provost's Lecture Series, Monday, Sept. 19, 3 pm workshop, 7 pm lecture, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

## FILMS

**Four Weddings and a Funeral,** Wednesday, Aug. 31, and Friday, Sept. 2, 7 and 9:30 pm, Haas Center for the Arts.

## CONCERTS

**Where's the Band,** Tuesday, Sept. 13, 8 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom.

## Provost's lecturer to lead debate on guns, violence in America



Gary Kleck

Gary Kleck, author of the controversial book *Point Blank: Guns and Violence in America*, will participate in a debate on Monday, Sept. 19, as part of the Provost's Lecture Series.

Kleck will give a workshop at 3 p.m. and will participate in the debate at 7 p.m.

in Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Other debaters will include representatives of gun control organizations.

A professor in the School of Criminology at Florida State University in Tallahassee, Kleck received the Michael J. Hindelang Award of the American Society of Criminology for his book. A student of firearms and their relationship to homicide and other crimes, Kleck has published numerous articles in refereed journals, book reviews and chapters in three other books.

In *Point Blank*, Kleck suggests that longguns should be regulated at least as heavily as handguns and that laws aimed at regulating "rarely used weapon types such as 'assault rifles' and machine guns are largely beside the point."

Kleck writes that gun controls must be "popular enough to be politically achievable and to not provoke massive disobedience and evasion, and sufficiently acceptable to criminal justice personnel that they have a chance of being enforced."

Kleck proposes what he calls a workable gun control strategy based upon a national instant records check to keep criminals from purchasing guns.

## Working toward accreditation focus of College of Business

Mary Ericksen's first priority as acting dean of the College of Business for the next year is to lead the college in its work towards accreditation by the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB). She'll also work to create an environment of learning, collegiality and excellence with all College of Business constituents.

"AACSB has gone through a transformation of how it accredits universities," says Ericksen, professor of marketing. "The process is based on each college's mission statement. Under the new rules, schools which are teaching institutions have a better chance of getting accredited than they have in the past. The College of

Business is in an excellent position to work towards accreditation.

"We have excellent faculty who are doing numerous teaching, service and research activities which will support the process. Also, we are fortunate to have excellent technology available to us, and we will build on these strengths to overcome any weaknesses we have."

The accreditation process can take up to five years, says Ericksen, and

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Mary Ericksen

## Street Fest '94 set for Sept. 12

Community Street Fest '94 will be held Monday, Sept. 12, beginning at 5 p.m. on Main Street in Bloomsburg. The one-day event will feature live entertainment, an international fashion show, ethnic food and games.

Street Fest performances include:

- International fashion show, 5:30 p.m., Courthouse Square.

- Children's storytelling by Hal Pratt, 6:30 p.m., Iron Street stage.

- Paradise Jam, a Harrisburg band that plays music from the '50s to today, 6:30 p.m., Stage at Courthouse Square.

- Music for children and adults by Mary Smith, 7 p.m., Iron Street stage.

- "Sumo" Wrestling, 7:30 p.m., Main and Market streets, sponsored

by WHLM, Bloomsburg University and the Downtown Division of the Bloomsburg Area Chamber of Commerce. Participants climb into air-filled body suits and compete to see who wins a grand prize of \$100 for the most knockdowns. Prizes will also be awarded to the runners-up.

Other featured attractions include a Bloomsburg University Dunk Competition, a double-dutch jump rope display and plenty of games with prizes.

The event is sponsored by Bloomsburg University, the Town of Bloomsburg, WHLM radio, the Press-Enterprise, the Bloomsburg University-Community Task for on Racial Equity and the Bloomsburg Area Chamber of Commerce.

## News briefs

■ The department of mathematics and computer science is sponsoring a series of weekly seminars during the fall semester. The first three seminars will be held on Tuesday from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. and include: "Mathematics and Forestry Management," by professor Reza Noubary, Sept. 6, Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 104; "Demonstration of Multimedia Products Used to Enhance Teaching and Learning in the Classroom," by graduate students from the Institute for Interactive Technologies, Sept. 13, McCormick Center for Human Services, Room 1229; and "Is Statistics All About Averages?" by Noubary, Sept. 20, Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 104. The seminars are open to students, employees and the general public. For more information contact Dennis Huthnance, associate professor of mathematics and computer science, at 4626 or Yixun Shi, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science, at 4623.

■ There is an error on the final examination schedule for the Fall Semester 1994 as announced in the schedule books. The examination for classes meeting TUTH at 8 a.m. is Friday, Dec. 16 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

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## Harrisburg school administrator named to Council of Trustees

Gail D. Edwards, director of curriculum/staff development and elementary instruction in the Harrisburg School District, has been appointed to the Council of Trustees of Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania by Gov. Robert Casey.

Edwards holds a bachelor's degree in mental retardation from Indiana University of Pennsylvania, and a master of education, special education, from Duquesne University in Pittsburgh. She received her doctorate in education from Temple University in Philadelphia in 1991.

An educator for 25 years, Edwards served as supervisor of curriculum/instruction and staff development in the Harrisburg School District prior to being promoted to director this past year. Edwards moved to Harrisburg in 1976 from Pittsburgh. She

was employed with the Capital Area Intermediate Unit for 14 years. During that time, she served in various managerial and consulting roles including public awareness coordinator/parent trainer, director of public information and staff development/consultant, instructional support consultant.

A native of New Kensington, she has taught in the Harrisburg School District, the Pittsburgh City School District, the New Kensington School District and in the Steelton-Highspire School District.



Gail Edwards

## College of Business

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the first step in that process will be to create a mission statement. "For accreditation, we will be judged on standards based in the mission statement which needs to reflect the college's mission, vision and objectives.

"AACSB accreditation encourages the pursuit of diverse paths to high quality in management education. Achieving AACSB accreditation communicates that a school's management education programs have reached a high level of quality as defined by the school's mission and objectives. Accreditation demonstrates that processes are in place to ensure continuous improvement and involvement of faculty, administration and constituents."

Ericksen assumed the responsibilities of acting dean on Aug. 20. Her appointment continues through July 1, 1995, at which time Carol Matteson, interim provost and vice president for academic affairs, plans to return to her position as dean of

the College of Business. John Olivo, professor of business education and office administration, has served as interim dean of the college for the past two years.

Ericksen has been at Bloomsburg for six years. Previously she was program chair and assistant chair at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. She received her doctorate from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University in Blacksburg where she taught for two years and received her bachelor's and master's degrees from The Ohio State University in Columbus.

"Personally, I'm looking forward to this challenge. By having this accreditation process, we're going to take a good look at ourselves," says Ericksen. "We're assessing who we are, what we are, where we want to go and where we have to go if we are to be successful. It's a goal that's attainable and we can measure our progress as we get there."

— Eric Foster



BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

August 31, 1994

CONVOCATION REMARKS  
JESSICA S. KOZLOFF

This is a very important day for me. It's my first opportunity to share with you my hopes and expectations for the future. Before I do so, let me take a few moments to reflect on the past two months.

I arrived in Bloomsburg on June 30th. As I drove to my office in Carver Hall, I passed underneath a very large banner hanging at the foot of College Hill which said, quite simply but in very bold letters, "Welcome, Dr. Kozloff to Bloomsburg." I was very touched by this display of friendship and warmth. Any grandiose sense of importance I might have experienced soon disappeared when a new banner appeared with the words, "Bloomsburg Sidewalk Sales, July 14 to 18." Surely there is a message for all presidents here. It reminds me of some advice one of my former presidents gave me upon hearing I had been appointed as president. He repeated Harry Truman's advice that presidents should never confuse the importance of the office with the person who is temporarily occupying it.

These past weeks have been a wonderful period of discovery for me. I've learned a great deal about this university, its people, culture, and tradition. I've learned some things about what it means to be a president. Banners are all well and good, but the best perk I've discovered since coming here is that if the president says she'd like to play a little tennis, the tennis coach offers to be her mixed doubles partner. And the icing on the cake is when, during a difficult point in the game, I say to my partner, "It's yours," it is. I'm anxious to see if this experience repeats itself across campus!

I've learned this is a university with great expectations for its new president. As daunting as this realization is, I'm comforted that high expectations for presidents are commonplace. A colleague recently gave me this quotation from John Nason, a former president at Swarthmore College:

"The President is expected to be an educator, to have been at some time a scholar, to have judgment about finance, to know something of construction, maintenance and labor policy, to speak virtually continuously in words that charm but never offend, to take bold position with which no one will disagree,

to consult everyone and follow all proffered advice, and do everything through committees, but with great speed and without error."

I accept the challenge of trying to meet your expectations. I pledge to give every ounce of my energy to fulfilling them to the best of my ability. However, I have some expectations of you. My expectations are that you will join me in following this sage advice from another president. I'd like to read directly from his letter:

"The institution is more important. BU has been there a long time. It will be there long after you are gone. It is terribly important, because it is the manifestation of the dreams of its pioneers as well as the dreams of unborn children. It is there to prepare people for jobs. It is there to transmit the civilization. It is there to liberate the individuals entrusted to its care. It is there to teach people how to think. You are the steward of this sacred trust and yours is a noble calling. You will find that you are making decisions, not because it is in the interest of the faculty, or of the union, or of the legislature, or even of yourself. You are making decisions because it is in the best interest of your university."

I've been repeatedly told over the last eight weeks that people are anxiously awaiting the articulation of my vision. Let me say, as honestly as I can, that I am not comfortable with the notion of being a visionary. I believe my responsibility is to help this academic community more clearly define and articulate your vision, not to impose mine. I am much more at home talking about my values, my understanding of the issues facing higher education today and how they relate to Bloomsburg University, and my own presidential agenda.

These are exciting and challenging days for us. We're approaching not just the Twenty-first Century, but a new millenium. I believe the future of Bloomsburg University is tied to how well we can anticipate the future and position ourselves to take a leadership position in meeting the challenges before us. There are four challenges that we must turn into opportunities.

First, because higher education increasingly competes with other components of the states' budgets, there is a major gap between the financial resources we need and what the state allocates. Closing this gap will require consistently telling our story to leaders in the Commonwealth, securing additional resources through the private sector, grants, entrepreneurial activities, and reallocation from within, and using whatever

resources we have more wisely. We cannot simply shift the costs of education to our students. We must act affirmatively, embracing changes in how higher education is administered and delivered, with particular attention to the effective use of technology.

Second, American higher education, which is the envy of the world, is under a cloud of suspicion from policymakers, taxpayers, and our students. The fact is, higher education is not seen as bringing our resources to bear on the most vexing problems of society. Whether true or not, most public opinion polls reveal the public perceives us to be isolated from those problems. We need stronger and more visible linkages with the community around us. We must define our institutional mission as precisely as possible, develop strategic plans to support it, communicate it to the public; we must demonstrate our partnerships with the public schools, small business, health, and corrections, and respond to the concerns of communities in northeastern Pennsylvania. In this regard, I sincerely encourage all of you to show your caring spirit by participating with me in the State Employee Combined Appeal.

Third, concern with the quality of the undergraduate experience is widespread. Our students represent different ages, races, cultures, life experiences, and levels of preparations. In order to truly be an effective, committed teaching and learning institution, we must understand who our students are, how they learn, and how we can implement a more supportive environment for learning. I want Bloomsburg University to be known as a place that adds value to its students' lives, to be a place where students succeed. Let me clearly state that I do not advocate "pandering" to students. I advocate setting very high standards, clearly stating our expectations and finding ways to support students to meet those expectations.

Clearly, the most important actors in implementing effective teaching and learning practices are the faculty. But faculty operate in an institutional culture, one which may either constrain or encourage a commitment to excellence in teaching and learning. The reason I am so adamant that our commitment to teaching and learning must be university-wide and that we must all share in the academic mission is tied to this last point. We will have a quality educational experience only when this is seen as a university-wide commitment. When I say all of us, I mean just that. This university cannot succeed in being all it wants to be unless everyone --- from the person who clears snow in the winter to those who hand out diplomas in the spring --- shares the responsibility and credit for educating our students. As you may have heard, I'm taking a very close look at how we are organized in our various divisions, to determine if we could "move the furniture" a bit to make this university-wide commitment just that. You'll be hearing more about this effort

as weeks go by. I intend to be very consultative before any actions are taken.

Our fourth challenge is that of community. If there is any theme for my presidency, I would say it is wrapped up in the word "community." I am convinced our future ultimately depends on how successfully we can engage this campus to enhance its sense of community and purpose. Ultimately, our success and future will depend upon our ability to break down the barriers to more collaboration with each other, with other institutions, and our external constituents. Bloomsburg is not alone in suffering a loss of community and morale. Let me speak a few minutes about why I think we, in academia, have been losing a sense of community.

The increasing public cynicism and the external pressure for accountability have caused many of us to believe we are losing control of our own destinies. The twin dilemmas of external pressures and a lack of internal vision or purpose has led, in many cases, to a defense of the status quo or a retreat into our safe havens of specialized disciplines or professional sub-units. At the very time we need to pull together, we find instead, on many campuses, a loss of community and collaboration. Red tape, specialization, the demands of a more diverse student population, and fewer resources, have created a fertile environment for morale problems. A recent study conducted by the National Forum on Faculty Revitalization concluded that campus morale was not tied to the availability of financial resources, to the supposed reputation of the faculty or students, or to the beauty of the physical plant. Instead, campus morale was ultimately tied to a common sense of mission. Quite simply, those campuses which knew their mission and believed in it were seen as good places to work.

This last point leads me to the agenda for my presidency and certainly for my first year. If we are going to establish a sense of community here, we must more clearly define who we are. We cannot articulate to the public what our mission is unless we understand it, believe it, and practice it. I want to take advantage of the necessity to develop a new Five-year Plan by involving the entire university in a comprehensive examination of what we really believe so that we can put forward a united articulation of our vision for this university.

Another priority is to build a stable team of academic leaders. I define leadership as the ability not to manage, but to grow people. I'm going to be looking for people who are collaborative, competent, communicative, and compassionate. I've already begun the search for Vice President for Student Life, and will begin the searches for Provost and Vice President for University Advancement within the next month.

I will also be seeking a Faculty Assistant to the President. The Faculty Assistant will be my primary liaison with the Five-year Plan, represent me in individual and group settings, and be a trusted advisor to me on faculty and academic issues. This will be a temporary, half-time position to last no longer than two years. It will be half-time for two reasons: I want a member of the teaching faculty who is still in the classroom to fill this position. And, since I am determined to resist adding more staff positions to the President's Office, I will divide the FTE currently allocated for an Executive Assistant to the President into two half-time positions.

Another important member of the president's staff will be the Assistant to the President for Social Equity. I expect candidates to be on campus soon and the position to be filled this semester.

My third priority will be to enhance communication between faculty, students, staff, and administration. We need more improved communication among areas and within areas. We need more honest and open communication. As evidenced by the very active rumor mill on this campus, folks know how to talk about each other. We need to apply that same energy and creativity toward talking to each other.

I pledge to communicate with you as often as I can through open forums, the "Communique," and the Voice. I'll be as accessible as the president's calendar permits. I would ask you to help me by telling me what your concerns are as well as informing me of the latest rumors. You know, rumors can be very helpful if we use them to bring contentious problems out into the open where they can be candidly discussed and solved.

Governing a university is a serious job which will require all of our talents and energy. Let us take this job seriously, but let us not take ourselves too seriously. I hope we can find time to laugh at ourselves and with each other as --- together --- we pursue our mission and rebuild community. Let's "do good" this year and have some fun doing it.

I feel incredibly lucky to be president of Bloomsburg University. I'm going to work as hard as I can to assure myself that, at the conclusion of what I intend to be a very long tenure, I can look back and say, "I left this institution a stronger place than I found it. I made a difference in people's lives." I can only do it with your help. I ask you to join me in making decisions and taking actions that put Bloomsburg University and its people first.



## QUEST plans fall semester courses

QUEST, an outdoor experiential education program at Bloomsburg, will offer the following courses during the fall semester. Unless otherwise noted, the courses run from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Canoeing — Saturday, Sept. 24.

Canoeing for Women — Sunday, Sept. 11.

Canoe/Kayak II — Sunday, Oct. 2

Caving — Sunday, Nov. 13, and Saturday, Nov. 19 and Dec. 3.

Climbing for Men — Saturday, Oct. 22.

Climbing for Women — Sunday, Oct. 23.

High Ropes — Saturday, Oct. 22, and Sunday, Oct. 30, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Kayaking — Saturday, Sept. 10, and Sunday, Sept. 18 and Sept. 25.

Rappelling — Sunday, Sept. 18, and Saturday, Oct. 1, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Rock Climbing — Saturday, Sept. 10, Sunday, Sept. 25 and Saturday, Oct. 8.

Whitewater Rafting — Saturday, Sept. 17, Oct. 1, and Oct. 15.

The cost of all courses, with the exception of extended trips, staff training seminars and special programs, is \$15 with a Bloomsburg University student ID and \$35 for all others.

QUEST is also planning a walk through the Highlands of Scotland and the Isle of Skye from Sept. 24 to Oct. 6. The cost of the trip \$1,200.

For more information on the courses or trip, call the QUEST office at 4323.

## SECA campaign begins Sept. 9

Bloomsburg's 1994 State Employees Combined Appeal (SECA) campaign begins Sept. 9 and runs until the end of October.

Campaign participants may pledge support to one or more of hundreds of local, national and international human services belonging to eight SECA partnership organizations: International Service Agencies, National United Negro College Fund, United Way of Pennsylvania, Black United Fund of Pennsylvania, Women's Way of Pennsylvania and National Voluntary Health Agencies.

In 1993, Bloomsburg raised more funds and had more contributors than any State System university. "The 1994 dollar goal is \$33,400. The participant goal is 100 percent; that's about \$1.71 per pay per member of our university community," says Michael Vavrek, campaign chairperson.

"Supporters are urged to select payroll deduction or may use the single payment method," says Jim McCormack, campaign assistant

chairperson. If you have any questions, call Vavrek at 4420 or McCormack at 4328.

## System to recognize authors, award winners

The State System is planning to showcase books, written by System faculty over the past ten years, in the Dixon University Center in Harrisburg. The books will be displayed during the dedication of the Dixon Center on Oct. 20 and then included in a permanent collection.

The System is also contemplating producing a publication listing faculty members who have received national recognition for their achievements over the past ten years such as Fulbright, Guggenheim or Kellogg awards.

Interested faculty are asked to submit information about such achievements or books they have written to Eric Foster, office of university relations, by Sept. 15.

## Campus notes

**Robert Wislock**, education and training manager, has co-written an article titled "Appropriate and Inappropriate Uses of Learner Experiences: An Example" which appears in the spring issue of the *Journal of Continuing Higher Education*. Daniele Flannery of Penn State University was co-author.

**Lawrence B. Fuller**, professor of English, recently returned from a nine-month stay in Norway under the auspices of the Fulbright program. While there he conducted seminars in contemporary American literature for English teachers at higher secondary schools and presented lectures on maintaining standards in American education at the University of Trondheim. He spoke to the Olso/Asker English Teachers Association and led classes on American literature at Hamar Teachers College. In addition, he and his wife Christine, a Latin teacher at Berwick Area High School, visited English classes at higher secondary schools to discuss questions about American culture and politics.

**Donald A. Vannan**, professor emeritus of curriculum and foundations, has a science education article published in the May/June issue of *ET Ideas*, a Princeton Educational Publishers professional publication for K-8 teachers. The article, "The Science in Your Elementary Teacher Ideas" deals with demonstrations and experiments which teachers and pupils can do using only paper and a very few additional items.

**Janice Feimster Walters**, instructor of developmental instruction, recently attended the Kellogg Institute for the Training and Certification of Developmental Educators at Appalachian State University in Boone, NC. The Kellogg Institute is the nation's leading training and certification program for professionals in the fields of developmental education and learning assistance. Walters is one of only 42 developmental educators from across the country to participate in the 1994 Kellogg Institute. She is currently completing work on a program development project on alumni mentoring. Upon successful completion of the project, Walters will be certified as a "Developmental Education Specialist."

**Terry A. Oxley**, associate professor of music, recently performed in New York City at Carnegie Hall with Operaworks of Pennsylvania in a concert performance of "A Coal Region Opera." He also served as wind ensemble conductor at Encore Music Camp at Wilkes University for two weeks in July.

# Calendar

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**Getting It Together: A Conference on Diversity for Area Colleges**, Saturday, Sept. 10, 8:45 am to 4:30 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. For information, call Nancy Gill, steering committee chairperson and associate professor of English, at 4250.

**Installation Service for Protestant Campus Minister Rev. Beth Boyer Kollas**, Sunday, Sept. 11, 2 pm, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room A.

**Community Street Festival**, Monday, Sept. 12, beginning at 5 pm, Main Street, Bloomsburg. Raindate, Sept. 13.

## ART EXHIBITS

**Andrea Houghton**, Master's thesis exhibit, Haas Center for the Arts, through Sept. 3. Reception, Sept. 3, 1-3 pm.

**Deborah Letkiewicz**, Master's thesis exhibit, Haas Center for the Arts, Sept. 6-10. Reception, Sept. 10, 1-3 pm.

**Cathy Raymond and David B. Stroud**, Sept. 12-30. Opening reception, Tuesday, Sept. 13, noon.

## GOVERNANCE

**BUCC (Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee)**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Wednesday, 3 pm, Sept. 14 and 28, Oct. 12 and 26, Nov. 16 and 30.

**Forum**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Wednesday, 3 pm, Sept. 21, Oct. 19, Nov. 9.

**Planning and Budget Committee**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Thursday, 3:30 pm, Sept. 8, Oct. 6, Nov. 10, Dec. 8.

## CELEBRITY ARTIST SERIES

*All performances are at 8 pm in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Call 4409 for information.*

**Shirley Valentine**, starring Loretta Swit, Saturday, Sept. 17. Community activities ticket pickup begins Sept. 6 at the Kehr Union, Information Desk..

**Newport Jazz Festival**, Friday, Oct. 21. Community activities ticket pickup begins Oct. 10.

## PROVOST'S LECTURE SERIES

**Guns and Violence in America: A Debate**, Gary Kleck, Monday, Sept. 19, 3 pm workshop, 7 pm lecture, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

**Race Matters**, Cornel West, Monday, Oct. 10, 4 pm workshop, 8 pm lecture, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

## LECTURES

**A President's View of Spirituality**, President Jessica Kozloff, Thursday, Sept. 8, 8 pm, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

**Mathematics and Forestry Management**, Reza Noubary, Tuesday, Sept. 6, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Demonstration of Multimedia Products**, graduate students from the Institute for Interactive Technologies, Tuesday, Sept. 13, McCormick Center, Room 1229.

## CONCERTS

**Where's the Band**, Tuesday, Sept. 13, 8 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom.

**All-Faculty Recital**, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2:30 pm, Carver Hall, Gross Auditorium.

## MEETINGS

**University Community Task Force on Racial Equity**, Thursday, Sept. 22, 8 pm, Magee's Main Street Inn, Bloomsburg.

## SPORTS

*Includes home games only*

**Football vs. New Haven**, Thursday, Sept. 1, 4 pm, Redman Stadium.

**Men's Cross Country**, Bloomsburg University Open, Saturday, Sept. 3, 10 am.

**Women's Cross Country**, Bloomsburg University Open, Saturday, Sept. 3, 10:45 am.

**Field Hockey vs. Messiah**, Saturday, Sept. 3, 1 pm, upper campus.

**Field Hockey vs. Scranton**, Sunday, Sept. 4, 1 pm, upper campus.

**Women's Soccer vs. Southampton**, Saturday, Sept. 10, 1 pm, upper campus.

**Field Hockey vs. Mansfield**, Tuesday, Sept. 13, 3 pm, upper campus.

**Women's Tennis vs. Marywood**, Wednesday, 3 pm, lower campus.

**Football vs. California**, Saturday, Sept. 17, 1:30 pm, Redman Stadium.

**Field Hockey vs. Lowell**, Saturday, Sept. 17, 11 am, upper campus.

**Men's Soccer vs. Mercyhurst**, Saturday, Sept. 17, time to be announced, upper campus.

**Women's Soccer vs. Lemoyne**, Saturday, Sept. 17, 1 pm, upper campus.

## FILMS

**Four Weddings and a Funeral**, Friday, Sept. 2, 7 and 9:30 pm, Haas Center for the Arts.

**Crooklyn**, Wednesday, Sept. 7, Friday, Sept. 9, 7 and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Sept. 11, 7 pm, Haas Center for the Arts.

**Jurassic Park**, Wednesday, Sept. 14, Friday, Sept. 16, 7 and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Sept. 18, 1 and 7 pm, Haas Center for the Arts.



# COMMUNIQUE

A NEWSLETTER FOR FACULTY AND STAFF AT BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY

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## LeMura named interim associate dean of arts and sciences

Linda LeMura, associate professor of health, physical education and athletics, is serving as interim associate dean of the College of Arts and Sci-



Linda LeMura

ences. LeMura began her duties as interim associate dean on Aug. 29 and will serve in the position for one year. The former associate dean, Roosevelt Newson, accepted a post in July as dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences at Georgia Southern University in Statesboro.

LeMura has been a Bloomsburg faculty member since 1987. She has served as program coordinator for the master's in exercise science and adult fitness program and assistant chair of the department of health, physical education and athletics. In her place, Leon Szmedra, assistant professor, will serve as program coordinator of the master's in exercise science and adult fitness program and Susan Hibbs, assistant professor, will serve as assistant chair of the department of health, physical education and athletics.

LeMura has completed two administrative internships, one in the dean of the College of Arts and Sciences office in 1989 and the second in the provost and vice president for academic affairs office in 1991.

## Parents' Weekend to attract 1,500 family members to campus

More than 1,500 family members of Bloomsburg students are expected to visit campus during Parents' Weekend, according to Jimmy Gilliland, assistant director of student activities.

Bloomsburg's 24th Annual Parents' Weekend begins Friday, Sept. 16, when parents are invited to sit in on their son's or daughter's classes with the instructor's permission.

On Saturday the department of biological and allied health sciences will hold an open house from 9 to 11 a.m. in Hartline Science Center.

From 10 to 11:30 a.m., information stations will be set up in the Kehr Union Ballroom for parents and family members to meet with Bloomsburg faculty and administrators and learn more about the university. President Jessica Kozloff will give a short welcoming address at 11 a.m.

Kozloff will also speak at half-time when the Huskies football squad faces the California Vulcans. At half-time, the winning essay in the "Why my Mom and/or Dad

Should be the Parent(s) -of-the-Day" contest will be read.

Other athletic contests during the weekend include: women's soccer vs. Lemoyne, Saturday, 1 p.m., upper campus; men's soccer vs. Mercyhurst, Saturday, 4 p.m., upper campus; field hockey vs. Southern Connecticut, Sunday, 1 p.m.

On Saturday at 8 p.m., the Celebrity Artist Series show "Shirley Valentine," starring Loretta Swit, will be performed in Haas Center for the Arts. Tickets may be obtained by calling 4409.

In honor of Parent's Weekend, the University Store is having a sale during the weekend. Store hours are from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Friday, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday, and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday. Campus Dining Services is also offering a special lunch and dinner Saturday for students' families.

Parents' Weekend is sponsored and organized by the Parents' Weekend committee of the Community Government Association.

## Library campaign passes \$3 million mark

Bloomsburg has surpassed the \$3 million mark in raising funds to construct a new library, announced Anthony Ianiero, interim vice president for advancement and executive director of the Bloomsburg University Foundation.

As of Sept. 9, the Bloomsburg University Foundation had raised \$3.2 million in gifts, deferred gifts and pledges, bringing the campaign to within \$200,000 of the \$3.375 million goal.

"A library certainly represents excellence at the university," says Ianiero. "As we get closer to reaching the campaign

goal, the continuing support of our alumni and friends in the community proves that there is a dedication and commitment to this important project."

Constructing a larger library has been Bloomsburg's top priority capital project for many years. Since the current Harvey A. Andruss Library was constructed 27 years ago, enrollment at Bloomsburg has doubled. The total cost of the project, including the design cost and private and matching construction funds to meet the \$10.5 million construction cost, will ex-

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## News briefs

■ The promotion committee will hold open forums in order to provide information and answer questions relating to the promotion process on Wednesday, Sept. 21, from noon to 1 p.m. and on Thursday, Sept. 22, from 5 to 6 p.m. in McCormick Center, Forum.

■ The Kehr Union Program Board is sponsoring a bus trip to Philadelphia on Saturday, Oct. 1. On this day, a Bloomsburg I.D. provides free admission to programs and exhibits at the Academy of Natural Sciences, the Philadelphia Museum of Art, the Paley/Levy Galleries at Moore College, the Rodin Museum, the Franklin Institute and the Free Library of Philadelphia. The bus will depart from Bloomsburg at 7 a.m. and leave Philadelphia at 7 p.m. The cost of the trip is \$12.50 with a Bloomsburg I.D. and community activities sticker, \$17.50 with a Bloomsburg I.D. without a community activities sticker and for guests of those with a Bloomsburg ID. Registration for the trip is at the Kehr Union, Information Desk. A similar trip is planned to Baltimore's Inner Harbor on Saturday, Oct. 8. The cost of that trip is \$13.50 and \$18.50 with registration beginning Sept. 21 at the Information Desk.

### COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

Bloomsburg is committed to providing equal educational and employment opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, life-style, sexual orientation, disabilities, Vietnam era veteran status, or union membership.

The university is additionally committed to affirmative action and will take positive steps to provide such educational and employment opportunities.

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Publication date for the next COMMUNIQUÉ:  
**Thursday, Sept. 29**  
Deadline for submitted material:  
**Monday, Sept. 19**

Please submit story ideas, news briefs and calendar information to COMMUNIQUÉ, University Relations and Communication Office, Waller Administration Building, Room 104A Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA 17815. Four-digit phone numbers listed in the COMMUNIQUÉ are on-campus extensions. To use the numbers off-campus, dial 389 first. The area code is 717.

## Downing named S.O.L.V.E. coordinator

Jean Downing has been named coordinator of the S.O.L.V.E. (Students Organized to Learn through Volunteerism and Employment) office.

A 1989 graduate of Bloomsburg with a master of science degree in instructional technology, Downing has worked as an instructional designer on various grant-funded projects in Bloomsburg's Institute for Interactive Technologies. Among those projects was "Explore: Co-Op," an interactive computer program which introduces high school and college students to cooperative education opportunities such as internships.

Among the first projects that Downing and her staff will coordinate is "Into the Streets" on Nov. 11 in which college students volunteer for a day to serve the community.

Before coming to Bloomsburg, Downing earned a bachelor's degree in psychology from Penn State University and was a professional basket maker and teacher of basket weaving.



Jean Downing

## Kozloff named honorary SECA chair

President Jessica Kozloff has been named honorary chairperson of the Columbia County regional SECA (State Employees Combined Appeal) campaign.

The 1994 SECA campaign runs until the end of October. "I encourage all university employees to show their caring spirit by participating with me in State Employees Combined Appeal," says Kozloff.

SECA campaign participants may pledge support to one or more of hundreds of local, national and international human services belonging to the eight SECA partnership organizations: United Way of Pennsylvania, International Service Agencies, National United Negro

College Fund, Black United Fund of Pennsylvania, Women's Way of Pennsylvania and National Voluntary Health Agencies.

Last year, Bloomsburg employees contributed \$31,487 to the SECA campaign. Bloomsburg raised the most money of the State System universities as well as having the greatest number of participants, with 305 employees contributing.

Bloomsburg's 1994 SECA campaign goal is \$33,400, according to Michael Vavrek, SECA campaign chairperson.

Employees with questions about the campaign can call Vavrek at 4420 or James McCormack, campaign assistant chairperson, at 4328.

## President plans open office hours

President Jessica Kozloff has scheduled the following open office hours: Monday, Sept. 19, 2 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 11, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 18, 1:30 to 3 p.m.; Tuesday, Nov. 1, 1:30 to 3 p.m.; Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Nov. 15, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Faculty, staff and students wishing to see the president on any topic may call for a 15 minute appointment or simply drop by. Because emergencies may occasionally occur, it is recommended that those interested in meeting the president during open office hours call in advance to be sure the time is still available. Schedule changes known in advance will be announced on the university's computer network.

## Library campaign

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ceed \$12.4 million.

"For me, it's very fitting that the library, which is really the center of learning on any campus, is going to be my first capital campaign here," says Bloomsburg president Jessica Kozloff. "Because of the growing gap between the resources we need and those we receive through state appropriations, it is only through the generosity of the university's supporters that we can create the kind of educational excellence the citizens of Pennsylvania deserve. This library will combine the best of our academic tradition with new technology."

The new four-story library will be located on the present site of the softball field, next to Waller Administration Building.

Bloomsburg will also receive more than half a million dollars in funding for the construction of the library through the 10-year agreement which the State System has entered into with Pepsi, according to Ianiero. The agreement calls for Pepsi to provide all soft drink, tea and juice beverages at the 14 System universities. The \$552,517 which Bloomsburg will receive under the Pepsi contract has been included in the total funding figures for the new library.

Susan Helwig, acting director of development, describes the two-

year-old library campaign, "A Treasury of Ideas," as a little ahead of schedule. "We've had people supporting the library from all different constituencies, including alumni, faculty and staff, organizations, businesses, parents and community friends. But we're still out there talking to people because we need another \$200,000 to complete the fourth floor of the library."

A ceremonial groundbreaking ceremony for the library is planned for homecoming on Oct. 22 at noon at the site of the building on the former softball field. Construction is anticipated to begin in the spring of 1995, with completion expected in the fall of 1996.

"On behalf of the university and the student body and the faculty, I'd like to say thank you to the community and alumni. But we're not done yet," says Ianiero, "we hope to complete this campaign in the next few months.

"I'm particularly proud of the outstanding work the development office has done throughout this campaign in organizing volunteers and motivating people to participate," says Ianiero. "We appreciate the help from John Scrimgeour who served as national chairperson and many other individuals throughout the community."

— Eric Foster

## Athletic Hall of Fame set for Oct. 14

The induction of six individuals will bring the total number of members in the Bloomsburg University Athletic Hall of Fame to 52 when ceremonies are held Friday, October 14. This season's event is set for 6 p.m. in the 24 West Ballroom at Magee's Main Street Inn in Bloomsburg.

This year's recipients of the university's highest athletic honor are William "Buck" Byham '53, George Chaump '58, Robert Gible

'68, Dan Kemple '40, Art Luptowski '73 and Tina Souders '84. In addition to being honored at Friday night's affair, the new inductees will be recognized the following day during pre-game ceremonies of the Huskies' football contest against Lock Haven.

Tickets for the banquet are available at \$22 per person. They may be purchased by calling the office of sports information at 4413.

## Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

August 1994

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Homicide	0	0
Forcible Rape	0	0
Robbery	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0
Simple Assault	0	0
Burglary	6	0
Larceny Totals	4	0
Book (Bag) Theft	3	0
Theft from Buildings	1	0
Theft from Vehicles	0	0
Theft from the Grounds	0	0
Retail Theft	0	0
Bicycle Theft	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Arson	0	0
Forgery	0	1
Fraud	0	0
Embezzlement	0	2
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0
Vandalism	0	0
Weapons Possession	0	0
Prostitution	0	0
Sex Offense Totals	0	0
Agg. Indecent Assault	0	0
Indecent Assault	0	0
Indecent Exposure	0	0
Open Lewdness	0	0
Drug Abuse Violations	0	0
Gambling	0	0
Off. Against Family	0	0
D.U.I.	0	0
Liquor Laws	12	12
Drunkenness	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	7	7
Disorderly Conduct with Drug Violations	0	0
Vagrancy	0	0
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	3	3

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** By the second day of class this semester, the first classroom theft of university equipment had been reported to university police. Most classroom thefts can be avoided simply by locking the classroom door at the end of the day. It is much easier to prevent a theft than to solve one.

# Calendar

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**Parents' Weekend**, Friday, Sept. 16, to Sunday, Sept. 18.

**Reception for President Jessica Kozloff**, Friday, Sept. 16, noon to 2 pm, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center. Sponsored by the APSCUF gender issues committee and the Commission on the Status of Women.

**Athletic Hall of Fame Banquet**, Friday, Oct. 14, 6 pm, Magee's Main Street Inn, Bloomsburg. For information call 4413.

**Homecoming Weekend**, Friday, Oct. 21, to Sunday, Oct. 23.

**World of Young Adults Books Conference**, Saturday, Oct. 29.

## ART EXHIBITS

**Cathy Raymond and David B. Stroud**, through Sept. 30, Haas Center for the Arts.

**Kenneth Wilson**, paintings, Oct. 3 to 28, Haas Center for the Arts. Reception, Tuesday, Oct. 4, noon. Bloomsburg alumni reception, Saturday, Oct. 22, noon.

## CONCERTS

**All-Faculty Recital**, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2:30 pm, Carver Hall, Gross Auditorium.

**Young Person's Concert**, Tuesday, Oct. 11, 10 am and 1 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. The University-Community Orchestra, directed by Mark Jelinek will perform music for school groups by invitation. For information, contact Ann Stokes at 4293.

## MEETINGS

**University Community Task Force on Racial Equity**, Thursday, Sept. 22, Oct. 27, Nov. 17, 8 pm, Magee's Main Street Inn, Bloomsburg.

## CELEBRITY ARTIST SERIES

*All performances are at 8 pm in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Call 4409 for information.*

**Shirley Valentine**, starring Loretta Swit, Saturday, Sept. 17. Community activities ticket pickup begins Sept. 6 at the Kehr Union, Information Desk..

**Newport Jazz Festival**, Friday, Oct. 21. Community activities ticket pickup begins Oct. 10.

**The Secret Garden**, Tuesday, Nov. 8. Community activities ticket pickup begins Oct. 25.

**Epic Brass**, Friday, Dec. 9. Community activities ticket pickup begins Nov. 28.

## PROVOST'S LECTURE SERIES

**Guns and Violence in America: A Debate**, Gary Kleck, Monday, Sept. 19, 3 pm workshop, 7 pm lecture, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

**Race Matters**, Cornel West, Monday, Oct. 10, 4 pm workshop, 8 pm lecture, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

**The Deaf Search for a Homeland ... and What it Signifies**, Harlan Lane, Thursday, Nov. 3, 7:30 pm lecture; Friday, Nov. 4, 4 pm workshop, 8 pm conference keynote address; Saturday, Nov. 5, conference presentations, 9:30 am to 1:30 pm, Kehr Union.

## GOVERNANCE

**BUCC (Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee)**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Wednesday, 3 pm, Sept. 14 and 28, Oct. 12 and 26, Nov. 16 and 30.

**Forum**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Wednesday, 3 pm, Sept. 21, Oct. 19, Nov. 9.

**Planning and Budget Committee**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Thursday, 3:30 pm, Sept. 8, Oct. 6, Nov. 10, Dec. 8.

## LECTURES

**Is Statistics All About Averages?**, Reza Noubary, mathematics and computer science, Tuesday, Sept. 20, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Estimation of Material Toughness for Reliability Calculations**, Scott Inch, mathematics and computer, Tuesday, Sept. 27, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Talking Back: A Panel of Students Assesses the Strengths of Our Mathematics and Computer Science Programs**, JoAnne Growney, mathematics and computer science, Tuesday, Oct. 4, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Insights into Language from Generative — Transformational Rules**, Riley Smith, English, Tuesday, Oct. 11, Bakeless Center, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Room 104.

## THEATER

**An Evening of One Acts**, "The Unseen Hand," "Home Free" and "The Actor's Nightmare," Wednesday to Friday, Sept. 28 - 30, 8 pm, Saturday, Oct. 1, 2 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Admission is \$3 or free with a community activities card.

## FILMS

**Jurassic Park**, Friday, Sept. 16, 7 and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Sept. 18, 1, 3 and 7 pm, Haas Centers.

**Maverick**, Wednesday, Sept. 21, Friday, Sept. 23, 7 and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Sept. 25, 7 pm, Haas Center.

**Schindler's List**, Wednesday, Sept. 28, Friday, Sept. 30, and Sunday, Oct. 2, 7 pm, Haas Center.

**When a Man Loves a Woman**, Wednesday, Oct. 5, Friday, Oct. 7, 7 and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Oct. 9, 7 pm, Haas Center.

**Speed**, Wednesday, Oct. 19, Friday, Oct. 21, 7 and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Oct. 23, 7 pm, Haas Center.

# COMMUNIQUE

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## Race Matters author Cornel West to speak for Provost's Lecture

Cornel West, author of the best selling book *Race Matters*, will speak at Bloomsburg on Monday, Oct. 10, as part of the Provost's Lecture Series.

West will give a workshop at 4 p.m. in Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium, and a lecture at 8 p.m. in Gross Auditorium. The workshop and the lecture are open to the public.

A professor at Harvard University, West is a frequent guest lecturer at many colleges, universities and religious and civic organizations. Previously, West was professor of religion and director of the Afro-American Studies Program at Princeton University for six years.

In *Race Matters*, which has gained the attention of both *Time* and *Newsweek* magazines, West argues that the major obstacle to harmonious race relations in the United States is nihilism — the sense of worthlessness that he sees as growing among blacks. In addition to *Race Matters*, West is the author of eight other books, including: *Prophesy Deliverance: An Afro-American Revolutionary Christianity*; *Post-Analytic Philosophy*; *Prophetic Fragments*; *The American Evasion of Philosophy*; *The Ethical Dimensions of Marxist Thought*; *Breaking Bread*; and *Prophetic Reflections and Prophetic Thought in Postmodern Times*.

West's current academic interests include the problems facing the African-American urban underclass in America and in creating and maintaining an ongoing dialogue between Blacks and Jews.



Cornel West

## Bloomsburg ranked 'Best Value' by *U.S. News*

Bloomsburg University has been rated a "Best Value" in higher education among regional universities by *U.S. News and World Report* magazine.

In the *U.S. News* best value rankings, Bloomsburg University is ranked fourth among regional universities in the northern part of the nation. Other regions represented in the survey are south, west and midwest areas of the nation. The rankings are scheduled to be published in the Oct. 3 issue of the magazine, which will be on newsstands Sept. 26.

"Bloomsburg's ranking as a 'Best Value' reflects our commitment to providing our students with the highest quality education while keeping the cost of that education within reach of as many students and families as possible," says Bloomsburg President Jessica Kozloff.

The best value rankings are based on a quality score *U.S. News* determined using a variety of factors and dividing that score by the total of tuition, fees and room and board for the 1994-95 academic year. Only institutions with a quality score in the top 20 percent in their region or top 50 percent in the nation were even considered for the best value rankings.

In placing fourth on the survey, Bloomsburg University is ranked with Trenton State College, which is first, SUNY College at Geneseo, N.Y., which is second, and Rutgers State University at Camden, N.J., which is third.

Bloomsburg University was rated based upon its tuition for out-of-state students of \$3,676 per semester for a total yearly cost of \$11,400 including room, board and fees. A second component of the survey lists university values by taking into account grants that students receive. However, public universities such as Bloomsburg, are still ranked based upon their out-of-state tuition.

Ninety percent of Bloomsburg students are Pennsylvania residents, and pay \$1,477 tuition per semester for a yearly cost of \$7,010 a year including room, board and fees.

In addition to Bloomsburg University, two other universities which are part of the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education are ranked as best values. Millersville University is ranked fifth, and Shippensburg University eighth in the survey. Other institutions rated in the top ten are sixth, SUNY College at Oswego; seventh, SUNY College at Fredonia; ninth, St. Bonaventure University; and tenth, the University of Scranton.

This is not the first time that national publications have taken notice of Bloomsburg University. In 1990, *Money* magazine ranked Bloomsburg University 30th for its quality relative to price in comparison to public institutions throughout the nation. In 1993, *U.S. News and World Report* ranked Bloomsburg in the top 25 percent of northern regional colleges and universities.

# News briefs

■ Margaret Boykin, director, university police, has announced the escort service is open from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. daily. In addition to escorting individuals from academic building to academic building, the 11 student escorts will escort individuals from dorm to dorm. Escorts may be requested by calling 5000. Lime green colored telephones have been installed in all academic buildings for the purpose of requesting escorts.

■ The university has discontinued the downtown night van run initiated in the fall of 1992. Initial ridership during that period was adequate to justify the measure, but use of the evening van dropped significantly only one semester later. The service was continued for an additional year, with only 67 riders taking advantage of 1,120 runs for the 1993-94 academic year.

■ The Bloomsburg University Philosophy Club will meet on Thursday, Oct. 6, from 5 to 6:30 p.m. in Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Room 216.



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**SUPPORT FOR FIRE FIGHTING** — Bloomsburg University recently contributed \$14,000 to the town's volunteer fire departments. Shown from left are Robert Buehner Jr., chairperson of the Council of Trustees administration committee, Bloomsburg mayor Dan Bauman accepting the check on behalf of the fire companies, university president Jessica Kozloff, and Ramona Alley, chairperson of the Council of Trustees.

## Eighteen faculty awarded tenure

Eighteen Bloomsburg faculty members have been awarded tenure.

Faculty granted tenure include: Mainuddin Afza, associate professor of management; Michael C. Blue, associate professor of accounting; Neil L. Brown, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations; Michael L. Collins, associate professor of communication studies; Gholamreza R. Dargahi-Noubary, professor of mathematics and computer science.

Mary K. Ericksen, professor of marketing; M. H. Fereshteh, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations; Mary G. Harris, associate professor of curriculum and foundations; Joseph B. Hazzard, assistant professor of health, physical education and athletics; William V. Hudon, professor of history; Dennis B. Hwang, associate professor of accounting.

Brenda F. Keiser, associate professor of languages and cultures; Jeanette G. Keith, associate professor of history; Zahira S. Khan, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science; Peter C. Stine, associate professor of physics; Mary Alice Wheeler, assistant professor

of curriculum and foundations; Dee Anne Wymer, associate professor of anthropology; Pamela M. Wynn, professor of management.

## Bloomsburg to observe disaster reduction day

The International Day for Natural Disaster Reduction will be observed at Bloomsburg on Wednesday, Oct. 12. As part of the observation, the Bloomsburg University International Faculty Association will hold a poster presentation on Oct. 12 and 13 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in McCormick Center for Human Services, first floor entrance way.

The posters will also be displayed on Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 17 and 18, in the Kehr Union, Multicultural Center. Reza Noubary, professor of mathematics and computer science, will give a workshop on natural disaster on Tuesday, Oct. 18, from 1 to 2 p.m. in the Multicultural Center.

Interested individuals or groups should contact Noubary at 389-4620 for further information.

### COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

Bloomsburg is committed to providing equal educational and employment opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, life-style, sexual orientation, disabilities, Vietnam era veteran status, or union membership.

The university is additionally committed to affirmative action and will take positive steps to provide such educational and employment opportunities.

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**Deadline for submitted material:**  
**Monday, Oct. 3**

Please submit story ideas, news briefs and calendar information to COMMUNIQUÉ, University Relations and Communication Office, Waller Administration Building, Room 104A Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA 17815. Four-digit phone numbers listed in the COMMUNIQUÉ are on-campus extensions. To use the numbers off-campus, dial 389 first. The area code is 717.

## Twenty-nine faculty promotions announced

Twenty-nine Bloomsburg faculty members recently have been promoted in rank.

Faculty who have been promoted include:

George A. Agbango from assistant to associate professor of political science; Joseph P. Ardizzi from assistant to associate professor of biological and allied health sciences; Mary-Jo Arn from assistant to associate professor of English.

Carol B. Burns from assistant to associate professor of art; Robert L. Campbell from assistant to associate professor of nursing; Michael L. Collins from assistant to associate professor of communication studies.

Gilbert Darbouze from assistant to associate professor of languages and cultures; Gary J. Doby from assistant to associate professor of curriculum and foundations; Mary K. Ericksen from associate professor to professor of marketing.

Dennis Gehris from assistant to associate professor of business education/office administration; Joseph B. Hazzard from instructor to assistant professor of health, physical education and athletics; Susan J. Hibbs from assistant to associate professor of health, physical education and athletics.

Mark R. Jelinek from assistant to associate professor of music; Sheila Dove Jones from assistant to associate professor of communication disorders and special education; Brenda F. Keiser from assistant to associate professor of languages and cultures; Stephen M. Kokoska from associate professor to professor of mathematics and computer science.

Ann L. Lee from associate professor to professor of communication disorders and special education; Francis J. Peters from associate professor to professor of English; Michael E. Pugh from assistant to associate professor of chemistry.

Lorraine A. Shanoski from associate professor to professor of curriculum and foundations; Peter C. Stine from assistant to associate professor of physics; Margaret L. Till from assistant to associate professor of biological and allied health sciences.

Stephen C. Wallace from associate professor to professor of music; Peter B. Walters from instructor to assistant professor of tutorial and 504 services; Julia M. Weitz from assistant to associate professor of communication disorders and special education; Bruce E. Wilcox from assistant to associate professor of chemistry.

Kenneth A. Wilson from associate professor to professor of art; Dee Anne Wymer from assistant to associate professor of anthropology; Pamela Wynn from associate professor to professor of management.



The 1994 SECA (State Employees Combined Appeal) campaign is currently underway. The goal for this year's campaign, which runs until the end of October, is \$33,400. Employees with questions about the campaign can call campaign chairperson Michael Vavrek at 4420, or campaign assistant chairperson James McCormack at 4328.

## Campus notes

Reza Noubary, professor, and Yixun Shi, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science, have recently co-written a paper titled "A Method for Parameter Estimation of a Non-linear Signal, Linear Filter and Autocorrelated Noise," which has been accepted for publication in the *Journal of Applied Statistical Science*.

Dale L. Sultzbaugh, associate professor of sociology and social welfare, recently testified about the housing needs of Columbia County before State Rep. John Gordner and other members of the house business and economic development committee. He helped develop two needs assessment surveys, involving 36 community social service agencies and more than 400 parent consumers, that indicated a critical need for more federally subsidized housing for low-income and moderate-income families with children, as well as "crisis" housing for people who are left temporarily homeless.

Leon Szmedra, assistant professor of exercise physiology, has had the research paper "Response of Patients with Coronary Artery Disease Stratified by Ejection Fraction Following Short-term Training" accepted for publication by *The International Journal of Cardiology*.

Ronald Ferdock, associate professor of English, interpreting an Ambrose Bierce short story of the American Civil War, recently read a paper, "Why 'One of the Missing' Is Missing?" at Shenandoah University in Winchester, Va.

David G. Martin, associate professor of finance, presented a paper titled "Wealth Shifting and Capital Structure Choice in Not-For-Profit Hospitals: An Agency Approach" at the annual meeting of the Association of Management in Dallas, Texas.

### Music faculty to give recital Oct. 9

The Bloomsburg music department will present an all-faculty performance on Sunday, Oct. 9, at 2:30 p.m. in Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. The concert is free and open to the public.

Participants will include John Couch, piano; Mark Jelinek, cello; Eric Nelson, baritone; Wendy Miller, soprano; Terry Oxley, clarinet; Ann Stokes, violin; and Stephen Wallace, trumpet. Assisting will be Donna Gutknecht on piano. Works by Schumann, Haydn, Mendelssohn, Bellini, Donato and Weber will be performed.

# Trustees view drawings of new library building

At its quarterly meeting in September, the Bloomsburg University Council of Trustees got a view of some pre-submission drawings of the new library building during a presentation by William J. Burkavage Jr., AIA, principal in charge of the project, and William Jones, AIA, project architect of Burkavage Design Associates in Clarks Summit.

Designed with the flexibility to expand in the north and east directions, the library will be located on the existing softball field in direct line of Andruss Library. The neoclassic style building is 200 feet long and has windows that are 7 1/2 feet tall and 9 feet wide, giving an "open feeling" to the library, which has a split facade of brick and concrete. The building features a "long porch — which will be 70 or 80 feet long and serve as a gathering place. The building's "presence on a street would be massive."

A conscious decision was made to cut down the building in front to fit in better with Waller Administration Building, explained Burkavage. The front entrance, facing Andruss, will be three feet above parking lot. The rear entrance, 10 feet above the parking lot, is located on the second level.

Group study areas are interspersed throughout the library with a lobby and exhibit area, meeting area, the main circulation area and circulation desk located on the first floor. A reference desk and refer-

ence materials, the Curriculum Materials Center, acquisitions and catalog areas are located on the second floor. Archives, "rare books, special collections" and administrative areas are located on the third floor. On the fourth level are a big open area containing book stacks, study carrels along the walls and an outdoor, rooftop reading area, designed with appropriate railings to ensure safety.

The library building will be the first operation Jumpstart Program to be completed in the State System of Higher Education, noted Tony Ianiero in his advancement report.

## Vice Presidential Searches

Bloomsburg President Jessica Kozloff announced three vice presidential searches are underway. She has appointed Mary Kenny Badami, professor of communication studies, to chair the university advancement search; Brian A. Johnson, professor of geography and earth science, to chair the student life search and David J. Minderhout, professor of anthropology, to chair the provost search.

The president also reported she had requested from the chancellor's office in August that the university grant Curtis English an honorary degree at the December commencement, and "I'm delighted to tell you that will happen." English, who served as interim president at Bloomsburg

last year, will receive an honorary doctorate of pedagogy at commencement exercises on Saturday, Dec. 17.

In other business, the Council

- passed a resolution pertaining to its annual physical inspection of facilities in the afternoon. The council found the campus to be "very well maintained."

- approved the 1995-96 capital budget request. Because there was no favorable activity by the legislature on the capital budget submitted by Bloomsburg University to the State System of Higher Education last year, Bloomsburg re-submitted the same priorities this year: an addition to Hartline Science Center; renovation of Ben Franklin Hall; renovation of Navy Hall; renovation of Bakeless Center; and new parking facilities.

- approved the academic program direction and the operating plan as outlined in the President's Statement, 1995-96 Operating Budget Request. This request is forwarded to the Board of Governors of the State System of Higher Education, which in turn takes the 14 university spending patterns as a basis upon which to build a system-wide General Fund Budget Request. Bloomsburg's share of the 1995-1996 State System of High Education overall appropriation is determined by an allocation formula, which is enrollment driven.

- heard a fifth-day enrollment report for fall semester, by director of admissions and records James Christy. Christy reported a total enrollment of 6,623 undergraduates and 613 graduate students, noting a shortfall in the area of returning students. "We will be analyzing the data" to see why we did not achieve our goal of 4,395 returning students, he said.

- approved purchasing activity since May 26 of this year.

- passed a motion expressing the council's concern to James McCormick, chancellor of the State System, relative to the Board of Governors action in approving a contract with Pepsi, "believing it violates the provision in Act 188." Council member James Atherton voted against the motion and council chair Ramona Alley abstained from voting.

— Joan Lentzner

## Library adds database for health fields

The Andruss Library has recently added a new database on CD ROM for faculty and students in the health sciences.

CINAHL (Cumulative Index to Nursing and Allied Health Literature) is available at seven computer terminals in the library building.

"CINAHL is the premier index to articles concerning nursing, hospital administration, health medical therapies," says Charles Lumpkins, assistant professor of library services and coordinator of data base services. "The database, which indexes over 600 journals, is updated

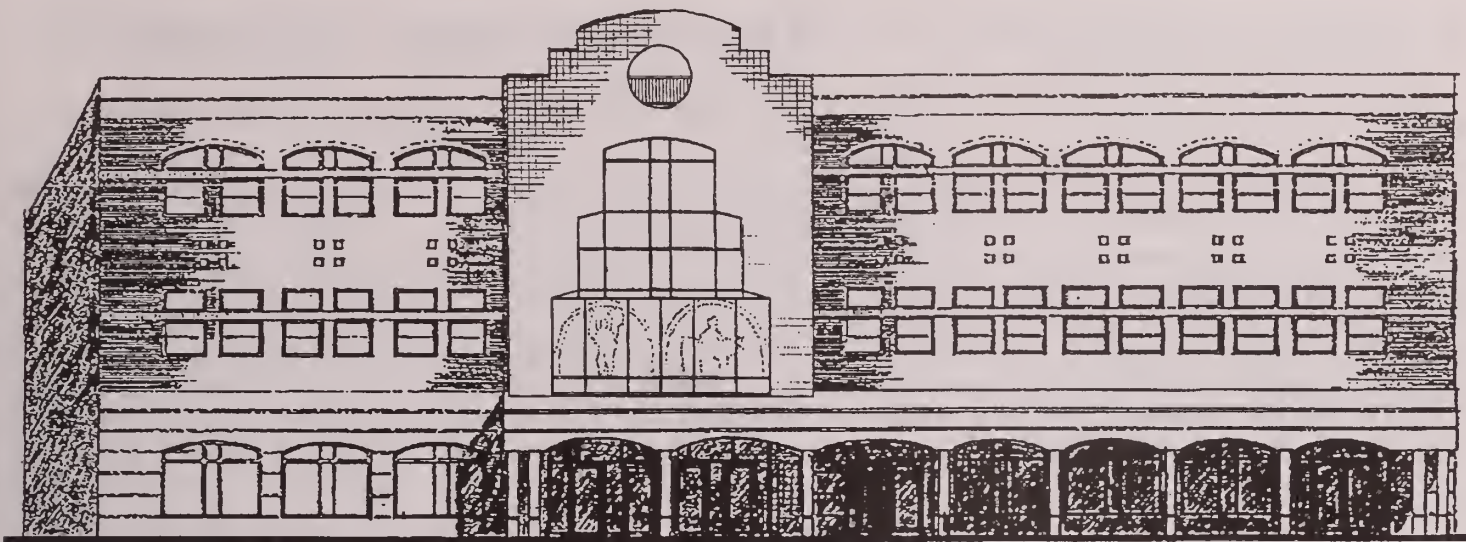
monthly."

The library also offers the Business Index and ERIC (Educational Resources Information Center) on CD ROM.

"We are delighted that we now have the major databases for our three professional areas, business, education, and health sciences," says J. Daniel Vann III, dean of library services.

Bloomsburg library users may also access, through telecommunications lines, a system of more than 30 national data bases known as FirstSearch.





## Facts about the new library ...

### Need

Constructing a larger library building has been Bloomsburg University's top priority capital project for many years. Since the current Harvey A. Andruss Library was constructed in 1966, enrollment at Bloomsburg has doubled.

### Features

Library seating will increase from less than 400 reader stations to more than 1,000, of which 500 will be wired for electronic media capabilities. The new library will hold more than 400,000 volumes and the Curriculum Materials Center collections and University Archives resources will be again housed in the library. More than 35,000 bound periodicals and other materials currently in off-campus storage will also be housed in the library. The main circulation area is located on the first floor. A reference desk, the Curriculum Materials Center, acquisitions and catalog areas are located on the second floor. Archives, "rare books, special collections" and administrative areas are located on the third floor. On the fourth level are an open area containing book stacks, study carrels and an outdoor, rooftop reading area.

### Construction

Construction is anticipated to begin in late spring of 1995 and take 18 months to complete.

### Location and Size

The new library building will be located at the present site of the softball field, next to Waller Administration Building. The softball field will be relocated to the upper campus. The new four-story library will encompass 105,000 square feet of floor space, making it the largest building on campus.

### Cost

\$12.5 million, including construction and design.

### Funding

The state will provide 75 percent of the funding for the new library, or \$9.5 million in funding for the new library through Operation Jumpstart. In order to receive the state funding, Bloomsburg University must raise 25 percent, or \$2.375 million. Originally, the library was to have an unfinished fourth floor which would be completed at a later date. However, the Bloomsburg University Foundation made a commitment in 1993 to raise an additional \$1 million to complete all four floors of the library now.

### Fund raising

To date, the Bloomsburg University Foundation has raised \$3.2 million in gifts, deferred gifts and pledges, bringing the campaign to within \$200,000 of the \$3.375 million goal.

### ARCHITECT'S DRAWING

An arch replaces a gable, a triangular decorative feature that was originally designed over the entrance. The building is designed by the same architects who designed the university's McCormick Center for Health Services and Hartline Science Center.

## Campus notes

**James Dalton**, professor of psychology, was elected as a Fellow of the Society for Community Research and Action, the principal international society for community psychologists, at the recent convention of the American Psychological Association. The Society recognized Dalton for his published research and his involvement in encouraging innovative teaching in community psychology. The latter principally involves editing the *Community Connection*, a newsletter devoted to teaching community psychology and a clearinghouse of innovative teaching materials for instructors.

**Nancy S. Weyant**, assistant professor and coordinator of reference services in the Andruss Library, recently published a book titled *Elizabeth Gaskell: An Annotated Bibliography of English-Language Sources, 1976-1991*. The book is the latest in the Scarecrow Press's Author Bibliography Series.

**JoAnne S. Growney**, professor of mathematics and computer science, has a poem titled "The Prince of Algebra, Mathematics is Beautiful" published in the August-September issue of *The American Mathematical Monthly*. This poem, as well as other mathematical and nonmathematical verse, appears in Growney's recently published collection, *Intersections*, which is available at the University Store.

Several members of the psychology department and their students recently presented research studies at the 65th annual meeting of the East Psychological Association in Providence, R.I. **Connie Schick**, professor, **Brett Beck**, associate professor, and **Bill Vorhies**, psychology student, presented "Relationship to Two Adult Attachment Style Models and Gender to Self-Consciousness, Self-Monitoring, Self-Esteem, Self-Handicapping, Social Hopelessness and the Impostor Effect." **Schick** and **Susan Scruggs**, psychology student, presented "Love Attitudes of College-Age Males and Females and their Relationship to Two Models of Attachment Style and Current Relationship Status." **Mariam Guerrero**, psychology student, and **Eileen Astor-Stetson**, professor, presented "The Effects of Depression and Family Background on the Perception of Illusory Contours." **Kelly Brown**, psychology student, **Astor-Stetson**, and **Beck**, also presented "Student Beliefs About Social Issues: Evolution, Animal Research, Reproductive Control and Condom Use as a Function of Religious Fundamentalism, Free Will-Determinism and Locus of Control." **Joseph Tloczynski**, assistant professor, and **Michelle Tantriella**, psychology student, presented "College Adjustment and Zen Breath Meditation."

## Trustees review employee promotions, appointments

At their September meeting, the Bloomsburg University Council of Trustees reviewed the appointments and promotions of permanent non-instructional employees.

The following employees have been appointed: Kay J. Carey of Bloomsburg has been appointed custodial worker I in university custodial services.

Larry L. Levan of Unityville has been appointed locksmith in the university carpentry shop. Levan was previously employed as a carpenter at the university since 1987.

Lester L. Moyer of Catawissa has been appointed automotive mechanic in the university transportation department. Moyer was previously employed as an automotive mechanic at the university on a temporary basis from May until the present time.

Jeffrey Stauffer of Benton has been appointed police officer I in the university police department. Stauffer was previously employed as a police officer at Bloomsburg on a temporary basis from April to the present time.

The following employees have

been promoted or reclassified: Dale D. Breech has been promoted from maintenance repairman 2 in the university maintenance department to management technician in construction and renovation.

Robert L. Campbell has been promoted from State System manager 3 serving as building maintenance supervisor to State System manager 5 serving as assistant director of maintenance and energy management in the physical plant.

William S. Fisher has been appointed transportation and garage manager in the maintenance department. Fisher has been employed as a diesel and automotive mechanic in the maintenance department at Bloomsburg University since 1980.

Cecelia M. Marks has been promoted from custodial worker I to custodial work supervisor in university custodial services.

Bruce F. Weir, has been promoted from tradesman helper to carpenter in the university carpenter shop.

Gary Hilderbrandt has been reclassified from drafter to drafter designer in construction and renovation.

## Navy 'Commodores' Jazz band to play at Bloomsburg on Oct. 18

The "Commodores," the United States Navy Band's jazz ensemble will present a free concert at Bloomsburg on Tuesday, Oct. 18, at 8 p.m. in Haas Center for the Arts.

The Navy Band Commodores features 19 top jazz and "big band" musicians offering a mixture of styles ranging from the authentic sounds of the swing era to contemporary high-energy music.

Admission to the concert is by free complimentary tickets. Tickets are available at Magee's Main Street Inn in Bloomsburg, Camelot Music

at the Columbia Mall, Bloomsburg University's Kehr Union Information Desk or Haas Center for the Arts, room 115.

Tickets are also available by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Navy Band Commodores Concert, care of music department, Bloomsburg University, Haas Center for the Arts, Room 115.

Any unclaimed seats will be made available to non-ticket holders just prior to concert time. For more information, call the music department at 4286.

# Forum votes unanimously to re-elect Stine chair

The university Forum voted unanimously to re-elect Peter Stine, assistant professor of physics, as chair at its first meeting of the 1994-1995 academic year.

Bloomsburg President Jessica Kozloff spoke briefly, reporting that the State System has granted Bloomsburg an additional year "before we start working on a Five-Year Plan." This will be a "germination year, as in flowers and things," she said. "The forum will be a good vehicle for discussion of ideas that come out of this year."

Reviewing the purpose of the Forum for newcomers at the meeting, Stine noted this is a place for raising concerns, disseminating information, indicating degrees of consensus and formally reviewing policies before they go into effect.

The Forum, comprised of representatives from all university divisions, can choose to either endorse, not endorse or return an issue or policy to committee. "We do not amend policies; however, we do amend motions. Policies are introduced at one meeting and voted on at the next," he explained.

In response to needs expressed by faculty for more social/cross-disciplinary contact, Carol Matteson, provost and vice president for academic affairs, reported professional development opportunities are planned for Reading Day on Friday, Oct. 14. One goal is to identify interest groups that will meet periodically throughout the

rest of the academic year, she said. Faculty will receive more information on a mini-conference that is also being planned.

Matteson, with assistance from John Pitcher, assistant director of automation and technical operations, Andruss Library, presented architectural renderings of the front and side elevations of the new library, featuring a split cement and brick facade. *See facts about new library on page 5.*

## BUCC

Nancy Gill, associate professor of English, reported the Bloomsburg University curriculum committee (BUCC) approved changes last spring in the grading policy, specifically the removal of incomplete designation and the "N" for no credit, no grade. BUCC also approved revisions to the Institutional Review Board for Human Subjects Research.

## General Administration

At the request of the general administration committee, the Forum addressed the issue of whether or not it is desirable for university police to carry fire arms. Chair Barry Jackson reported after studying the issue, the committee concluded that fire arms don't currently exist on campus, therefore there is no need for a policy. Various individuals presented arguments for and against university police carrying firearms.

The Forum will vote on the issue at its next meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 9.

## Budget and Planning

Budget and planning committee co-chair Oliver Larmi reported the university missed its fall enrollment target by 109 FTEs. Matteson, co-chair of the committee, attributed the decline to attrition and emphasized she and her staff are looking at ways to improve retention efforts.

## University Advancement

As of Sept. 9, Over 40 faculty, staff and students are staffing the university's Visitors Center at the Bloomsburg Fair this year, reported Julie Kontos of the university advancement committee. The committee is seeking ideas on how best to set up a centralized calendaring system for the university community. Submit ideas to either Kontos at 4476, or Joan Lentzner, chair of the advancement committee, at 4112.

## Student employees to enforce parking rules

This fall, the university will experiment with the use of students employees to enforce parking regulations.

"One of the long-standing deficiencies has been that university police staffing levels have permitted essentially the enforcement of regulations only in the faculty and staff lots," says Robert Parrish, vice president for administration. "The department has not been able to effectively patrol the student parking facilities. The net result has been significant incursion by noncommuting students, which then encourages commuting students to park in the faculty/staff lots and get citations."

The new enforcement program will utilize five students working in concert with police officers to ensure that every parking lot on the lower campus will be patrolled at least once every hour when parking regulations are in effect.



**A PACKED HOUSE** — A standing room only crowd filled Gross Auditorium in Carver Hall for the recent debate on *Guns and Violence in America* held as part of the Provost's Lecture Series. Thomas Bonomo (left), associate professor of sociology and social welfare, moderated and helped organize the debate, which featured Gary Kleck, author of the award-winning book, *Point Blank: Guns and Violence in America*.

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**Homecoming Weekend**, Friday, Oct. 21, to Sunday, Oct. 23.

**World of Young Adults Books Conference**, Saturday, Oct. 29. For information call Glenn Sadler at 4881.

## THEATER

**An Evening of One Acts**, "The Unseen Hand," "Home Free" and "The Actor's Nightmare," Wednesday to Friday, Sept. 28 - 30, 8 pm, Saturday, Oct. 1, 2 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Admission is \$3 or free with a community activities card.

## CONCERTS

**All-Faculty Recital**, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2:30 pm, Carver Hall, Gross Auditorium.

**Young Person's Concert**, Tuesday, Oct. 11, 10 am and 1 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. The University-Community Orchestra, directed by Mark Jelinek, will perform music for school groups by invitation. For information, contact Ann Stokes at 4293.

**Faculty-Guest Chamber Recital**, Sunday, Oct. 16, 2:30 pm., Carver Hall, Gross Auditorium. Faculty member Wendy Miller (soprano) will be joined by Mary Rowell (violin), William Kuyper (horn), and Robert Miller (piano) in a performance of works by Schubert, Berlioz, Beethoven and Brahms.

**U.S. Navy "Commodores" Jazz Band**, Tuesday, Oct. 18, 8 pm., Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Call 4284 or 3900 for complimentary tickets.

## CELEBRITY ARTIST SERIES

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## PROVOST'S LECTURE SERIES

**Race Matters**, Cornel West, Monday, Oct. 10, 4 pm workshop, 8 pm lecture, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

**The Deaf Search for a Homeland ... and What it Signifies**, Harlan Lane, Thursday, Nov. 3, 7:30 pm lecture; Friday, Nov. 4, 4 pm workshop, 8 pm conference keynote address; Saturday, Nov. 5, conference presentations, 9:30 am to 1:30 pm, Kehr Union.

## ART EXHIBITS

**Kenneth Wilson**, paintings, Oct. 3 to 28, Haas Center for the Arts. Reception, Tuesday, Oct. 4, noon. Bloomsburg alumni reception, Saturday, Oct. 22, noon.

## FILMS

**Schindler's List**, Friday, Sept. 30, and Sunday, Oct. 2, 7 pm, Haas Center.

**When a Man Loves a Woman**, Wednesday, Oct. 5, Friday, Oct. 7, 7 and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Oct. 9, 7 pm, Haas Center.

## MEETINGS

**University Community Task Force on Racial Equity**, Thursday, Sept. 22, Oct. 27, Nov. 17, 8 pm, Magee's Main Street Inn, Bloomsburg.

## LECTURES

**Is Statistics All About Averages?**, Reza Noubary, mathematics and computer science, Tuesday, Sept. 20, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Estimation of Material Toughness for Reliability Calculations**, Scott Inch, mathematics and computer, Tuesday, Sept. 27, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Talking Back: A Panel of Students Assesses the Strengths of Our Mathematics and Computer Science Programs**, JoAnne Growney, mathematics and computer science, Tuesday, Oct. 4, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Assessment of Cognitions of Bulimic Individuals**, Deanne Zotter, West Chester University, Friday, Oct. 7, 3 pm, McCormick Center, Room 2148.

**Insights into Language from Generative — Transformational Rules**, Riley Smith, English, Tuesday, Oct. 11, Bakeless Center, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Room 104.

**Isms and Addictions**, Values and Visions Forum, Thursday, Oct. 13, 8 pm, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room B.

**AIDS and Mathematical Modelling: Current Status and Future Prospects**, Mehdi Razzaghi, mathematics and computer science, Tuesday, Oct. 18, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

## GOVERNANCE

**BUC (Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee)**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Wednesday, 3 pm, Sept. 14 and 28, Oct. 12 and 26, Nov. 16 and 30.

**Forum**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Wednesday, 3 pm, Sept. 21, Oct. 19, Nov. 9.

**Planning and Budget Committee**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Thursday, 3:30 pm, Sept. 8, Oct. 6, Nov. 10, Dec. 8.

# COMMUNIQUE

A NEWSLETTER FOR FACULTY AND STAFF AT BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY

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## Dedication of library site to highlight homecoming

Though construction of the new library won't begin until next spring, the dedication of the site of the new library will be a highlight of Homecoming weekend on Saturday, Oct. 22, at noon.

At the dedication, a sign identifying the softball field adjacent to Waller Administration Building as the site of the new library will be unveiled. A rendering of the library will be framed in plexiglass and mounted on the sign.

Speakers for the dedication will include: Chancellor James McCormick; Carol Matteson, co-chairperson of the library steering committee and interim provost and vice president for academic affairs; Bloomsburg president Jessica Kozloff, co-chair of the library steering committee; Ramona Alley, chairperson of the Council of Trustees; John Scrimgeour, national chairperson of the library campaign, A Treasury of Ideas; J. Daniel Vann, dean of library services.

The theme of Homecoming 1994 is "Through the Years — A Salute to the Decades." Preparation for the weekend begins Monday with elections for Homecoming king, queen and freshmen sweetheart. Students will also compete in residence hall window decorating and banner contests. For more information on student events, call Jimmy Gilliland, assistant director of student activities, at 4346.

On Saturday, Oct. 21, the Newport Jazz Festival will come to Bloomsburg as part of the Celebrity

Artist Series. The jazz festival will get underway at 8 p.m. in Mitrani Hall, Haas Center for the Arts. Tickets are \$15 and \$20, or free with a community activities sticker. For information, call 4409.

The Homecoming Parade will begin Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Bloomsburg High School on Market Street. The parade will travel up Market Street, to Main Street, up College Hill to Carver Hall, and finish in the Bloomsburg Hospital parking lot.

The Alumni Association will register alumni on Saturday beginning at 9 a.m. in the Kehr Union, Multicultural Center. Registration will continue at the alumni picnic on the library mall which begins at 11 a.m. The Alumni Association is also sponsoring a dinner at Magee's 24 West Main Street Inn beginning at 6:15 p.m. The classes of '49, '54, '59, '64, '69, '74, '79, '84 and '89 will gather at the picnic. At the dinner, the classes of '49, '54 and '64 will gather. Tickets are \$7 for the lunch and \$20 for the dinner. Douglas Hippenstiel, director of alumni affairs, expects 300 to 400 alumni to attend the picnic and 175 alumni to attend the dinner. Reservations can be made by calling the alumni office at 4058.

The Huskies football team will face Kutztown at 1:30 p.m. at Redman Stadium. Admission is \$5 for adults, \$3 for student and free with a community activities sticker. The Homecoming king, queen and freshmen sweetheart will be announced at halftime.

## Homecoming at a glance

### Friday, Oct. 21

8 pm – Newport Jazz Festival, Mitrani Hall, Haas Center. Call 4409 for information.

### Saturday, Oct. 22

9 am – Registration/refreshments, Kehr Union, Multicultural Center.

9 am – AIDS Walk begins, 100 block, West Main Street, Bloomsburg.

9 am – University store opens.

10 am – Parade begins, Bloomsburg High School.

11 am – Homecoming picnic, Andruss Library Mall. Tickets are \$7 and must be reserved by calling the alumni office at 4058.

Noon – Site dedication for the new library, lower campus at the softball field.

Noon – Reunion of art majors, Haas Gallery.

1:30 – Football vs. Kutztown, Redman Stadium.

2 pm – Field Hockey vs. Slippery Rock, upper campus.

2 pm – Picnic ends.

6:15 pm – Homecoming dinner, Magee's 24 West Ballroom, Bloomsburg. Tickets are \$20 and must be reserved by calling the alumni office at 4058.

8 pm – Band alumni party, American Legion, Old Berwick Road.

9 pm – Homecoming dance, (free), Magee's 24 West Ballroom, Bloomsburg.

9 pm – University store closes.

### Sunday, Oct. 23

Noon – Field Hockey vs. Sacred Heart, upper campus.

2:30 pm – Homecoming Pops Concert, featuring the Concert Choir, Women's Choral Ensemble and Husky Singers, Mitrani Hall, Haas Center.

4 pm – Concert Choir reunion, Good Old Days, East Street, Bloomsburg.

## News briefs

■ Margaret Boykin, director, university police, has announced the escort service is open from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. daily. In addition to escorting individuals from academic building to academic building, the 11 student escorts will escort individuals from dorm to dorm. Escorts may be requested by calling 5000. Telephones identified by lime green signs have been installed in all academic buildings for the purpose of requesting escorts.

■ Faculty and staff members are welcome to play recreational basketball on Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon in Centennial Gymnasium. For more information, contact Jimmy Gilliland at 4344.

■ The academic grievance coordinators for the 1994-95 academic year and summer 1995 have been appointed. They are Mainuddin Afza, associate professor of management; Henry Dobson, associate professor of curriculum and foundations; Mark Jelinek, associate professor of music. Students wishing to file an academic grievance should be directed to one of the above individuals. The process for filing an academic grievance can be found on page 92 of the 1994-95 Student Pilot.

### COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

Bloomsburg is committed to providing equal educational and employment opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, life-style, sexual orientation, disabilities, Vietnam era veteran status, or union membership.

The university is additionally committed to affirmative action and will take positive steps to provide such educational and employment opportunities.

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**Deadline for submitted material:**  
**Monday, Oct. 17**

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**SHARING AN ARTIST'S VIEW** — Ken Wilson, at left, chairperson of the art department, shares points out a detail of one of his paintings to Susan Rusinko, professor emeritus of English, at a reception for his exhibit, "The Decameron and Other Stories," which is in the Haas Gallery of Art through Oct. 28. At the reception, Sam and Betty Evans of Bloomsburg were honored for their support of the arts at the university. An artist, Mrs. Evans has a painting in the university's collection.

## Conference planned to celebrate young adult literature on Oct. 29

Bloomsburg University will host a Young Adult Literature Conference on Saturday, Oct. 29, in Kehr Union from 7:45 a.m. to 4 p.m.

"The young adult novel is making an impact on curriculum in high schools," says conference organizer Glenn Sadler, professor of English at Bloomsburg University. "They get teens reading books about people their own age level and they help them solve contemporary problems."

The featured speaker for the conference is Paula Danziger, author of more than a dozen books, including *The Divorce Express*, *Remember Me to Harold Square*, and *Earth to Matthew*. Her latest book, *Thames Doesn't Rhyme with James*, is due out this month.

The opening address will be given by Deborah Savage, author of the novel *A Rumor of Otters*, which won an American Library Associa-

tion Notable Children's Book Award and was named School Library Journal Best Book. Her other books include *Flight of the Albatross*, *A Stranger Calls Me Home* and *To Race a Dream*.

Other presenters include: author Nancy Springer; Sadler; author Cara Gillow Clark; editor Joan O'Donnell; and author Jan Cheripko.

The conference, organized by Sadler and Cheripko, is sponsored by Bloomsburg University and Boyds Mills Press in Honesdale.

Registration is \$15 on the day of the conference and \$12 in advance. To pre-register, send a check for \$12 per person, payable to Bloomsburg University, to: Young Adult Literature Conference, care of Glenn Sadler, English department, Bakeless Center for the Humanities.

For more information, call Sadler at 4881.

## Seven faculty appointed to tenure track positions

Seven new faculty members have been appointed to tenure track positions at Bloomsburg. New faculty include:

- Shaheen Awan has been appointed associate professor of communication disorders and special education. Formerly of Marquette, Mich., Awan previously served as an associate professor and interim department head of Northern Michigan University in Marquette. He earned a bachelor's degree in English and history at the University of Western Ontario in London, Ontario; a master's degree in speech pathology at Clarion University of Pennsylvania; and a doctorate in speech pathology at Kent State University in Kent, Ohio.

- Nancy Coulmas has been appointed associate professor of accounting. Formerly of Shinglehouse, Coulmas previously served as an assistant professor at Saint Bonaventure University in Saint Bonaventure, N.Y. She earned a bachelor's degree in accounting at the New York Institute of Technology in Old Westbury; an M.B.A. at Saint Bonaventure University; and a doctorate in accounting at Penn State University in University Park.

- Susan R. Dauria has been appointed assistant professor of anthropology. Formerly of Amsterdam, N.Y., Dauria previously served as a lecturer at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N.Y. She earned a bachelor's degree in anthropology at State University of New York College in Geneseo and a master's degree in anthropology at State University of New York College at Albany.

- Swapan Mookerjee has been appointed assistant professor of health, physical education and athletics. Formerly of Brockport, N.Y., Mookerjee previously served as an assistant professor at State University of New York College at Brockport. Mookerjee earned

bachelor's and master's degrees in physical education at Lakshmi Bai National College of Physical Education in Gwalior, India, and a doctorate in physical education at the University of Wisconsin in Madison.

- Shelley Randall has been appointed assistant professor of curriculum and foundations. Randall, of Bloomsburg, was previously employed as an assistant professor of curriculum and foundations for the 1993-94 academic year only.

- Julie Vandivere has been appointed assistant professor of English. Formerly of Henderson, Nev., Vandivere previously served as a visiting assistant professor at the University of Utah in Salt Lake City. She earned a bachelor's degree in English at the University of Utah; a master's degree in comparative literature at Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah; and a doctorate in comparative literature at Cornell University in Ithaca, N.Y.

- Marianna D. Wood has been appointed assistant professor of biological and allied health sciences. Formerly of White Cloud, Minn., Wood previously served as an assistant professor at the College of Saint Benedict and Saint John's University in Collegeville, Minn. She earned a bachelor's degree in biology and chemistry at Northland College in Ashland, Wis., and a doctorate in biology at the University of Kansas in Lawrence.

### Professional Development Day set for Oct. 14

Bloomsburg will hold its first ever Professional Development Day on Friday, Oct. 14, from 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The program will begin with registration in the Kehr Union Ballroom at 8 a.m. For more information on the program, call the provost's office at 4308.

## Campus notes

**Bruce L. Rockwood**, professor of business law, has contributed a short article titled "The International Legal Environment of Business and International Environmental Law" in the workshop proceedings *Teaching International Environmental Law: Ideas and Experiences from the Seminar Room and the Lecture Hall*, edited by Eric S. Howard of the World Wildlife Fund.

**Chang Shub Roh**, professor of sociology and social welfare, recently delivered the keynote speech at the annual meeting of the Global Awareness Society International Korea Chapter in Seoul. His speech was titled "Korea's New Challenges and Opportunities for Globalization."

**Yixun Shi**, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science, recently presented a paper titled "Enclosing a Root of a Continuous Function Using High Order Inverse Interpolations" at the annual meeting of the Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics in San Diego.

**Reza Noubary**, professor of mathematics and computer science, has published a paper titled "An Envelope Function Model for Forecasting Athletic Records" in volume 13 of the *Journal of Forecasting*. He also presented a paper titled "Using Risk as a Motivating Theme in Introductory Statistics Course" at the State System Mathematics Conference at Slippery Rock University.

**Frank L. Misiti**, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, has a manuscript titled "Teaching Teachers to Use Operational Questions" included in the recently published Association for the Education of Teachers in Science yearbook, *Behind the Methods Class Door: Educating Elementary and Middle School Science Teachers*.

**Samuel B. Slike**, professor of communication disorders and special education, was recently appointed to the Pennsylvania Office of Vocational Rehabilitation's Advisory Committee for Persons Who are Deaf and Hard of Hearing.

**Swapan Mookerjee**, assistant professor of exercise physiology, has a paper titled "Relationship between Isokinetic Strength, Flexibility, and Flutter Kicking Speed in Female Collegiate Swimmers" accepted for publication in the *Journal of Strength Conditioning Research* (Vol. 9, No. 1), a refereed journal published by Human Kinetics Publishers.

## Campus notes

**Marla Brettschneider**, assistant professor of political science, recently presented a paper titled "Transformational Research: A Group Focus" at the American Political Science Association Meeting in New York. She also presented the paper "The Biases of Interests in Hobbes and Locke" to the New York State Political Science Association in Albany, N.Y., and the paper "The Gendered Nature of Interests in Early Liberal Thought" at the Woman as Social Conscience Conference in Vermillion, S.D.

**James E. Parsons**, associate professor of biological and allied health sciences, has recently had a book, *Biology of Microorganisms: A Multi-Cultural Experience*, published by McGraw-Hill Inc. of New York.

**Frank Peters**, professor of English, recently read a paper, "Shear Madness: A Multiple Applied Reading," at the College English Association conference in New York City. Peters also has an article, "Money Talks, Finding Grammar in Stamps and Small Change," published in *Syntax in the Schools*.

**Ronald Ferdock**, associate professor of English, recently spoke in Boalsburg at a meeting of the Friends of Pennsylvania's Military Museum about the relationship between the Battle of Gettysburg and Michael Shaara's Pulitzer Prize-winning novel, *The Killer Angels*. The book, based upon the battle, is the resource for the 1993 film *Gettysburg*.

**Salim Qureshi**, associate professor of marketing, has a paper titled "Communication Contrasts in Classroom Climate" accepted for publication in the *Journal of Professional Services Marketing* (Vol. 1).

### Commodores jazz band to play Oct. 18

The "Commodores," the United States Navy Band's jazz ensemble, will present a free concert at Bloomsburg on Tuesday, Oct. 18, at 8 p.m. in Haas Center for the Arts.

The Commodores feature 19 top jazz and "big band" musicians offering a mixture of styles ranging from the authentic sounds of the swing era to contemporary high-energy music.

Admission to the concert is by free complimentary tickets. Tickets are available at the Kehr Union Information Desk or Haas Center for the Arts, room 115.

Any unclaimed seats will be made available to non-ticket holders just prior to concert time. For more information, call Bloomsburg University's music department at 4286.

## Archives collection grows on Laubach, literacy leader

Bloomsburg's collection of materials related to Frank C. Laubach, the university's most famous graduate, has grown considerably over the past year.

A 1901 graduate of Bloomsburg State Normal School, Laubach gained world renown as a missionary and founder of the "Each One Teach One" literacy method and movement. During a 40-year period until his retirement in 1970, Laubach worked in 103 countries developing literacy readers in 312 languages.

This past summer, university archivist Roger Fromm has collected materials on Laubach from the Bird Library of Syracuse University, where the most important collection of materials on Laubach is located, and from Philip Farber, professor of biological and allied health sciences at Bloomsburg.

From Bird Library, Fromm photocopied diary entries and correspondents with president and managing editors of publishing houses, missionaries and pastors of hundreds of Protestant churches from throughout the world, U.S. State Department officials and teachers in literacy work. Highlights of the materials include letters from presiden-

tial candidate Adlai Stevenson and clergyman E. Stanley Jones.

Farber allowed Fromm to photocopy his long-standing collection of news clippings about Laubach.

A Benton native, Laubach was a graduate of Princeton University, Union Theological Seminary and Columbia University. In 1984, Laubach was posthumously given an honorary doctorate by Bloomsburg University. The author of more than 40 books, his work is carried on today by Laubach Literacy International in Syracuse, N.Y.

The collection on Laubach was started several years ago with a variety of materials collected by Fromm.

In the past two years, materials have been added to the collection from Laubach Literacy International and from the Frank and Effa Laubach Memorial Library in Benton. These materials include four books authored and signed by Laubach.

A more detailed guide to the Laubach collection is available in the University Archives, Bakeless Center for the Humanities, Monday through Friday, from 10 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 3 p.m.

## Psychology department plans lectures

The psychology department is sponsoring a series of informal seminars during the fall semester. The seminars are free and open to the public.

Seminars are on Fridays at 3 p.m. in McCormick Center for Human Services, Room 2148. The following seminars are scheduled:

- Oct. 21 — "Experimental Procedures in Neuropsychology: Imaging the Human Brain," Hank Riordan, Dartmouth University Medical School.
- Nov. 4 — "A Higher-Order

Associative Conditioning Explanation of the McCollough Effect," Julie Kontos, assistant professor of psychology at Bloomsburg University.

- Dec. 2 — "Meditation Research: Present Status and Future Directions," Joseph Tloczynski, assistant professor of psychology.

Three speakers in the series, Zotter, Riordan and Tloczynski, are graduates of Bloomsburg University's psychology program. For more information, contact James Dalton, professor of psychology, at 4475.



# Bloomsburg Wellness Week highlighted by fair on Oct. 18

Bloomsburg has designated the week of Oct. 17 as "Wellness Week." The highlight of the week's events will be a Wellness Fair on Tuesday, Oct. 18, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Kehr Union.

The week's events are sponsored by the University Student Health Center, the residence life office and the departments of nursing, adult health and physical education and human resources and labor relations.

The Wellness Fair will bring together campus and community organizations involved in improving people's well-being. The Gentle Dove of Bloomsburg will demonstrate relaxing massages; As Nature Intended, a Bloomsburg health food store, will provide information on vegetarian dieting; and Green Horizon Herb Farm will have information on herbs and their relationship to wellness. The Women's Center will provide information on issues such as rape, assault and other women's issues. The State Police will have information on drinking and driving. Mary Kay cosmetics will show a video on the prevention of skin cancer and the use of cosmetics. Columbia Montour Family Health will perform hemoglobin blood tests and the American Heart Association will do cholesterol

screening for a minimal fee. The Red Cross will provide AIDS information and facts regarding their donor program. The Pennsylvania Department of Food Safety will show a video on food safety and the storage of foods. The American Cancer Society will show videos on testicular and breast cancer.

Bloomsburg University nursing students will teach fairgoers how to perform self-exams for breast cancer, provide information on mental health problems and assist the Penn State Cooperative Extension Service to provide nutritional information. The Bloomsburg University Counseling Center will present information on stress and depression. The adult health and physical education department will perform measurement of body fat and muscle mass.

Residence Life will have a wellness presentation in Multipurpose Room A at 4 p.m. Sharon Aucker will present "Jest for Life," focusing on the relationship between wellness and humor.

The departments of nursing and human resources and labor relations are planning "Wellness Walks," complete with prizes for those participating most actively in the walks.

## SECA Campaign reaches \$11,569

As of Oct. 10, 104 Bloomsburg employees have contributed \$11,569 to the 1994 SECA (State Employees Combined Appeal) campaign. The goal for this year's campaign, which runs until the end of October, is \$33,400. Employees with questions about the campaign can call campaign chairperson Michael Vavrek at 4420, or campaign assistant chairperson James McCormack at 4328.



## Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police September 1994

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Homicide	0	0
Forcible Rape	0	0
Robbery	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0
Simple Assault	0	0
Burglary	0	0
Larceny Totals	0	0
Book (Bag) Theft	2	0
Theft from Buildings	0	0
Theft from Vehicles	0	0
Theft from the Grounds	0	0
Retail Theft	0	0
Bicycle Theft	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Arson	0	0
Forgery	0	0
Fraud	0	0
Embezzlement	0	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0
Vandalism	1	0
Weapons Possession	0	0
Prostitution	0	0
Sex Offense Totals	0	0
Agg. Indecent Assault	0	0
Indecent Assault	0	0
Indecent Exposure	0	0
Open Lewdness	0	0
Drug Abuse Violations	0	0
Gambling	0	0
Off. Against Family	0	0
D.U.I.	0	0
Liquor Laws	1	1
Drunkness	1	1
Disorderly Conduct	14	13
Disorderly Conduct with Drug Violations	0	0
Vagrancy	0	0
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	1	1

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** Bloomsburg University police have announced that they will now issue state citations to non-handicapped motorists who park in handicapped parking spaces on campus. The state citation for parking illegally in a handicapped parking space is a sliding fine between \$50 and \$200 set by the magistrate. Vehicles parked illegally in handicapped spaces may also be towed.

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**The Telecommunications Revolution in Rural Pennsylvania**, statewide interactive video conference, Thursday, Oct. 20, 8:30 am to 5 pm, Kehr Union. For more information, call 4420.

**Homecoming Weekend**, Friday, Oct. 21, to Sunday, Oct. 23.

**World of Young Adults Books Conference**, Saturday, Kehr Union, Oct. 29. For information, call 4881.

## THEATER

**After the Rain**, Wednesday to Saturday, Nov. 16 to 19, 8 pm, Sunday, Nov. 20, 2 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Admission is \$6 for adults, \$4 for students and senior citizens, and free with a community activities card.

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**Kenneth Wilson**, paintings, through Oct. 28, Haas Center for the Arts. Alumni reception, Saturday, Oct. 22, noon.

**Shawn Paris**, sculptural installation, "Galactic Visions," Nov. 1 to 30, Haas Center for the Arts. Reception, Wednesday, Nov. 2, noon.

**Carol Burns**, crafts, Nov. 1 to Dec. 15, Haas Center for the Arts, outer gallery.

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## FILMS

**Speed**, Wednesday, Oct. 19, Haas Center, Friday, Oct. 21, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 7 and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Oct. 23, 7 pm, Haas Center.

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**True Lies**, Wednesday, Nov. 2, Friday, Nov. 4, 7 and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Nov. 6, 7 pm, Haas Center.

## CONCERTS

**Faculty-Guest Chamber Recital**, Sunday, Oct. 16, 2:30 pm, Carver Hall, Gross Auditorium. Faculty member Wendy Miller (soprano) will be joined by Mary Rowell (violin), William Kuyper (horn), and Robert Miller (piano) in a performance of works by Schubert, Berlioz, Beethoven and Brahms.

**U.S. Navy "Commodores" Jazz Band**, Tuesday, Oct. 18, 8 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Call 4284 or 3900 for complimentary tickets.

**Homecoming Pops Concert**, Sunday, Oct. 23, 2:30 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Wendy Miller and B. Eric Nelson direct the Women's Choral Ensemble, Husky Singers and Concert Choir.

**Studio Band Reunion Concert**, Sunday, Nov. 6, 2:30 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Stephen Wallace directs as band alumni return for the first-ever reunion concert.

## LECTURES

**Isms and Addictions**, Values and Visions Forum, Thursday, Oct. 13, 7:30 pm, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room B.

**AIDS and Mathematical Modelling: Current Status and Future Prospects**, Mehdi Razzaghi, mathematics and computer science, Tuesday, Oct. 18, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Experimental Procedures in Neuropsychology: Imaging the Human Brain**, Hank Riordan, Dartmouth University Medical School, Friday, Oct. 21, 3 pm, McCormick Center, Room 2148.

**Risch Algorithm or Anything You May Want to Know about Integration But Are Afraid to Ask**, Dennis Huthnance, mathematics and computer science, Tuesday, Oct. 25, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

## MEETINGS

**University Community Task Force on Racial Equity**, Thursday, Oct. 27, Nov. 17, 8 pm, Magee's Main Street Inn.

# COMMUNIQUE

A NEWSLETTER FOR FACULTY AND STAFF AT BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY

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## University mourns deaths in community

The university community mourned the deaths of a professor and five young people who died in separate incidents last week.

Thomas Bonomo, associate professor of sociology and social welfare, was killed in a motorcycle accident on Sunday, Oct. 16. (See story on page 3)

The five young people, all current or former Bloomsburg students, died in a fire at an off-campus residence Friday, Oct. 21.

A community service for all university students, faculty and staff, as well as family and friends of the deceased, will be held in Mitrani Hall tonight at 7 p.m. Students and faculty who wish to attend should be excused from their classes.

The victims were identified by the coroner late Saturday evening. They are Kyle Barton of Staten Island, N.Y.; Deborah Keeler of Milton, N.J.; Derek Mooney of Downingtown; James Palmer of Millville; and Joseph Selena of Wyoming, Pa.

At an open meeting at 3 p.m. on Friday, more than 700 students, faculty and staff gathered to express their sorrow in Gross Auditorium.

"We have suffered a loss today," said President Jessica Kozloff to the assembled crowd. "I know that many of you are sorting through a realm of emotions. This entire university shares your loss."

University officials and student leaders decided to cancel the homecoming parade and library site dedication ceremony last Saturday.

In place of the parade, many university students, faculty and staff gathered Saturday morning along Lightstreet Road near the sorority houses in a silent vigil for the dead. A ten-minute memorial ceremony was held before the start of the homecoming football game.

### Communicating the tragedy

On Monday, letters from the president were sent to parents and members of the university to inform them of the tragedy. In the letters, President Jessica Kozloff summarized Friday's events.

University officials learned of the fire at the 57 Iron Street residence at approximately 5:30 a.m. In the letter Kozloff stated "I tried to contact the parents of the young people who either lived in the residence or were guests there. I wanted to make sure that a personal contact from the university informed families about the possible tragedy before they learned of the fire from news sources. We invited these parents to Bloomsburg, where the university provided counseling and a place for them to wait as news developed."

Throughout the day on Friday, students on campus were alerted that there had been a fire. Notices were posted throughout campus within two hours after the fire was discovered. Information was available through the Be Safe Hotline and the Rumor/Communication line. Students were encouraged to contact their parents about their safety.

### Counseling services provided

Because of the scope of this tragedy, it will undoubtedly take time for students to get back into the norm of college life. Faculty have been asked to be especially sensitive to student absences and missed class work.

Counseling services, which have been available since the day of the fire, will continue for any student for as long as counseling support is needed. A room has been reserved in Kehr Union for students to go to if they need to talk to someone. Counseling is available through Campus

Ministry, the Counseling Center on campus, the university's nursing and psychology departments, Family Counseling Services in the Town of Bloomsburg and through Geisinger Medical Center in Danville.

### Task force being formed

At a news conference on Monday, Oct. 24, President Kozloff discussed the university's concern for students wherever they live. The university has a coordinator for off-campus housing who deals with landlord-tenant disputes and refers code violation complaints to the town's code enforcement office. "The university has long had a cooperative relationship with town officials," said Kozloff. "Bloomsburg Mayor Bauman and I have already discussed plans to form a task force to explore how the university and town might work together even more closely to address off-campus housing issues."

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## News briefs

■ Beginning in January 1995 computer services will move all MAPPER applications to a UNIX machine. The systems to be moved include Maintenance Work Orders, Network Maintenance Requests, Student Advisement and Fixed Assets. The method of accessing these systems will change. Training sessions will be offered over the next several months to familiarize everyone with the new procedures. The university will realize significant cost savings by moving this software to a UNIX computer.

■ The financial aid office will be closed Wednesday, Oct. 26, through Friday, Oct. 28, for renovations. All inquiries should be directed to the S.O.L.V.E. office at 4455 or 4788. The financial aid office will resume normal business hours, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., on Monday, Oct. 31.

■ News items may now be sent to the Communiqué through e-mail in care of Eric Foster. The address on the WordPerfect office network is Fost.

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## Harlan Lane to speak on deaf issues for Provost's Lecture Series Nov. 3-5

Harlan Lane, an expert in speech, language and deafness, will give a presentation titled "The Deaf Search for a Homeland ... and What It Signifies" at Bloomsburg University on Thursday, Nov. 3, at 7:30 p.m. in the Kehr Union Ballroom. The speech, part of the university's Provost's Lecture Series, is free and open to the public.

Lane, distinguished professor at Northeastern University in Boston, MA, has written 13 books in both English and French. An expert in French as well as American sign language, Lane has published more than 100 articles in a number of languages on issues related to the deaf/hard of hearing and linguistics.

He is quoted in the Oct. 3 issue of *Time* magazine in an article about Heather Whitestone, winner of the



Harlan Lane

1994 Miss America pageant, who is deaf.

Lane received a *Doc. és Lettres* in linguistics from the University of Paris and did graduate and undergraduate work at Columbia University in New York City.

On Friday, Nov. 4, Lane will give a workshop titled "Cochlear Implants and Mainstreaming" at 2 p.m. in the Kehr Union Ballroom as part of the regional Harlan Lane Conference. On Friday evening at 8 p.m., he will give the conference keynote address, "Language, Power and Deaf People," in the Ballroom. On Saturday, Nov. 5, he will give two presentations, "Deaf Centered Education and Empowerment" at 9:30 a.m. and "What is Happening to Deaf Education: Here and Now" at 1 p.m. in the Ballroom.

All presentations are open to the public. Interpreters or transliterators will be provided. Individuals or groups with special interpreting needs should call 4080.



### TOMORROW'S LIVING ROOM

Artist Shawn Christopher Paris will give a glimpse of what he thinks the living room of the future may look like in an exhibit titled "Galactic Visions: A Sculptural Living Environment," which will be in the Haas Gallery of Art from Nov. 1 to 30.

Using a variety of materials including wood, foam, metal, holographic mylar and even meteorites, Paris has created space-age living and dining room suites.

He created the special living environment because he and his family had no furniture when they moved into their Hollywood, FL, home several years ago. "Since we really couldn't afford to buy normal furniture at the time," says Paris, a native of Philadelphia, "I decided to create a living environment out of art."

An artist's reception will be held Wednesday, Nov. 2, at noon in the gallery. Gallery hours are Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## University community remembers Tom Bonomo

Hundreds of friends gathered Wednesday, Oct. 19, to remember sociology professor Thomas A. Bonomo, who was killed Oct. 16 when the motorcycle he was driving struck a car.

At the gathering in Gross Auditorium in Carver Hall, students, faculty and friends remembered Bonomo's sense of humor, commitment to teaching, love of food and dedication to his family.

Bonomo, 46, taught the university's criminal justice courses and planned internships for students in criminal justice settings.

Born in Pittsburgh, he was the only son of Anthony and Olga Jean Hirsch Bonomo. A 1966 graduate of Wilkinson High School, Pittsburgh, he received a bachelor of science degree in sociology from Muskingum College in New Concord, Ohio, in 1970; a master's degree from Wayne State University in Detroit, in 1974; and a doctorate in sociology and criminology from Wayne State in 1979.

He had been employed as an associate professor of sociology and social welfare at Bloomsburg since August, 1983. Previously, he taught sociology at Moravian College, Bethlehem, from 1980-83, and at Millikin University, Decatur, Ill., from 1978-80.

He attended St. Columba Catholic



Thomas Bonomo

Church in Bloomsburg. Surviving in addition to his parents, are his wife, the former Nawal Jabbour, with whom he had celebrated their 14th wedding anniversary on March 28, 1994, and three children: Natalie A., 11, Jason A., 7, and Brendan A., 5, all at home.

He was a member of the Association

for Humanist Sociology, Global Awareness Society International, American Correctional Association and Mid-Atlantic States Correctional Association.

This September, Bonomo helped to organize the workshop and moderated the debate with criminologist Gary Kleck as part of the Provost's Lecture Series. He was principal organizer for the Forum on Civil Rights and Racial Hostility in 1988 at Bloomsburg, organizer and moderator for a panel discussion on Race, Crime and Imprisonment at Bloomsburg in 1988 and 1989.

At Bloomsburg, he was chair of the grievance committee from 1987-91 and a member of the university-wide promotion committee from 1991-93. He was a playground and lunchroom monitor at St. Columba School from 1993 to the present.

A funeral service was held in the Dean W. Kriner Funeral Home. Burial was in New Rosemont Cemetery, Espy.

The sociology and art departments have established the "Bonomo Fund" through the Husky Fund. Those who would like to contribute, please write your check payable to "Husky Fund" with a note on the bottom of the check for "Bonomo Fund" and send it to David Hill, Community Activities, Kehr Union.

## Radical political activist Angela Davis to speak here Nov. 18

Radical political activist Angela Davis will speak at Bloomsburg University on Friday, Nov. 18, at 3 p.m. in the Kehr Union, Ballroom.

Davis, currently professor in the history of consciousness program at the University of California, Santa Cruz, dominated national headlines in 1969 and 1970 because of her social activism and membership in the Communist Party. Because of her activism, she was removed from her teaching position in the philosophy department at UCLA in 1969. In 1970, Davis was placed on the FBI's "Ten Most Wanted

List" and was the subject of an intense police search that culminated in one of the most famous trials in U.S. history.

During her 16-month incarceration, an international "Free Angela Davis" campaign was organized before she was acquitted in 1972. Harnessing the momentum of that campaign, Davis and her colleagues co-founded the National Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression, an organization that continues to oppose racism in the criminal justice system today.

The author of five books, including *Angela Davis: An Autobiography* and *Women,*

*Race and Class*, Davis remains an advocate for prisoners' rights.

Most recently, she has conducted a series of interviews with incarcerated women for a research project designed to develop ideas for new, progressive legislation to improve the penal system. Her next book will focus on women in the justice and prison systems and alternatives to imprisonment.



Angela Davis

# Calendar

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**Semester Student Recital**, Tuesday, Nov. 29, 7:30 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

**"The Joy of Christmas Concert,"** Friday, Dec. 2, 7:30 pm, and Sunday, Dec. 4, 7:30 pm., First Presbyterian Church, Market Street, Bloomsburg.

**Happy Holidays Dance**, Saturday, Dec. 3, 7 pm, Kehr Union Ballroom. An open social with seasonal and general dance music by the Studio Band directed by Stephen Wallace. Special appearances by the Chamber Singers directed by Wendy Miller. (Dress-up, but not formal.)

**Chamber Singer Banquet-Concert**, Saturday, Dec. 10, 7:30 pm., Kehr Union, Ballroom. Annual theme presentation by the Singers, with dinner and holiday atmosphere. Tickets required; call 4284 beginning Nov. 8 for information.

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## CELEBRITY ARTIST SERIES

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**Corrina, Corrina**, Wednesday, Nov. 9, Haas Center, Friday, Nov. 11, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 7 pm and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Nov. 13, 7 pm, Haas Center.

**The Mask**, Wednesday, Nov. 16, Friday, Nov. 18, 7 pm and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Nov. 20, 7 pm, Haas Center.

## THEATER

**After the Rain**, Wednesday to Saturday, Nov. 16 to 19, 8 pm, Sunday, Nov. 20, 2 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Admission is \$6 for adults, \$4 for students and senior citizens and free with a community activities card.

## ART EXHIBITS

**Shawn Paris**, sculptural installation, "Galactic Visions," Nov. 1 to 30, Haas Center for the Arts. Reception, Wednesday, Nov. 2, noon.

**Carol Burns**, crafts, Nov. 1 to Dec. 15, Haas Center for the Arts, outer gallery.

**Master's Thesis Exhibition**, Dec. 5 to 15, Haas Center for the Arts.

## LECTURES

**Graphs, Networks and Algorithms**, Erik Wynters, associate professor of mathematics and computer science, Tuesday, Nov. 1, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**A Higher-Order Associative Conditioning Explanation of the McCollough Effect**, Julie Kontos, assistant professor of psychology, Friday, Nov. 4, 3 pm, McCormick Center, Room 2148.

**Molecular Computation in Visualization in Chemical Education**, Wayne Anderson, professor of chemistry, Tuesday, Nov. 8, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Separation of Church and State — or is it Separation of Religion from Society?**, Values and Visions Forum, Thursday, Nov. 10, 8 pm, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room B.

**Signal Processing in Music**, Stan Mason, mathematics and computer science student, Tuesday, Nov. 15, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**World of Young Adults Books Conference**, Saturday, Kehr Union, Oct. 29. For information, call 4881.

**Into the Streets**, Friday, Nov. 11. For information, call the S.O.L.V.E. office at 4788.

## MEETINGS

**University Community Task Force on Racial Equity**, Thursday, Nov. 3, Nov. 17, 8 pm, Magee's Main Street Inn.

## New task force plans meetings on off-campus housing

The community task force looking into issues of student housing in Bloomsburg will hold its first fact-finding meetings within the next two weeks. The first open-meeting will take place just three weeks after a fire in an off-campus residence killed five university students.

Town Mayor Dan Bauman and Bloomsburg University President Jessica Kozloff announced that the task force will meet Tuesday, Nov. 15, at 7 p.m. The second meeting will be held Thursday, Nov. 17, at 7:30 p.m.

Both meetings will be held in the cafeteria of St. Columba School on East Third Street, Bloomsburg.

WBUQ plans to broadcast all or part of the hearings to the community.

According to Bauman and Kozloff, the Student Housing Safety Task Force has been charged to review university and town policies and procedures regarding the safety and responsibility of students in off-campus housing. The task force is also expected to develop recommendations regarding student safety in that housing.

The mayor and the university president indicated that they expect the task force to issue its report by April 15, 1995.

Bauman invited interested individuals to offer comments at the Nov. 15 meeting. "Collecting public comments are part of the task force's fact-finding mission," he explained.

Presentations will be limited to five minutes to accommodate the expected number of people who may choose to speak. Individuals or groups who elect not to make public presentations at the Nov. 15 meeting may submit their remarks in writing to the task force.

Address written communication to Joan Lentzner, director of university relations and communication, Bloomsburg University, Waller Administration Building, Bloomsburg, Pa 17815.

President Kozloff said that the Nov. 17 meeting will be devoted to collecting commentary from invited "experts" – individuals and regulatory agencies – who are expected to provide additional factual information for

the task force before it begins its deliberations.

The process of identifying and contacting these "experts" is not yet complete, said Kozloff. She expects that "code enforcement officers from nearby college communities will be asked to provide information about what is done in their jurisdictions." She indicated that invitations will be issued to fire officials, insurance industry representatives and individuals from a variety of government agencies who can provide perspective for members of the task force.

Co-chairing the task force are Roy Pointer, a chemistry professor at Bloomsburg University, and Mary Lenzini Howe. Pointer, appointed by President Kozloff, has taught at the university for 25 years. A resident of Bloomsburg, he serves on the town-gown committee. Mary Lenzini Howe, named by the mayor, is a Bloomsburg native who is member of Town Council and owner of La Groceria.

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### REC CENTER BUILDING ENCLOSED

Workers installed brick siding and glass walls on the Student Recreation Center in October. Students will be able to work out in the new center before the spring is over. Construction of the 56,000 square-foot building began in the fall of 1993 and is expected to be completed by February of 1995. Students voted to assess themselves a \$60 per semester fee in 1991 to fund the \$5.6 million construction cost of the center. The center will include a gym with four intramural size basketball courts, which can also be used for volleyball and tennis. An indoor jogging track will circle the basketball courts, and the south wall of the arena will be made of glass panes for the first eight feet so joggers can view the Catawissa Mountain and surrounding area. There will also be Nautilus and free weight rooms, a multipurpose room for aerobics and dance and four racquetball courts.

## News briefs

■ Sabah Salih, assistant professor of English, will give a lecture Thursday, Nov. 10, at 7 p.m. in the Kehr Union, Multicultural Center. The lecture, titled "Poetry and Multiculturalism," will focus on the impact Saddam Hussein's dictatorship has had on Kurdish poetry in southern Kurdistan. Refreshments will follow the lecture, sponsored by the university's International Faculty Association.

■ Open parking hours on campus have changed for the winter months to 4:30 p.m. to 2 a.m. Monday through Thursday. Weekend open parking is Friday from 4:30 p.m. to Monday at 2 a.m.

■ The Harvey A. Andruss Library will have an exhibit entitled "Angela Davis: A Matter of Conscience" displayed in the library lobby from Monday, Nov. 7, to Monday Nov. 21.

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## Fund established for fire victims

President Jessica Kozloff has announced establishment of the Five Friends Memorial Fund within the Bloomsburg University Foundation.

The fund memorializes five young people who died in an off-campus fire on Oct. 21. Three of the five were from Pennsylvania: Derek Mooney from Downingtown, James Palmer from Millville and Joseph Selena of Wyoming in Luzerne County. The other two were Kyle Barton of Staten Island, NY, and Deborah Keeler of Milton, NJ.

According to Kozloff, the newly established fund will provide for creation of an "outdoor gathering place for students" on the university campus. The small park will feature five

benches, each with the name of a respective victim of the fire.

"The memorial will be a place for students and faculty to gather, share informal moments in a natural environment," said Kozloff. "We believe the memorial reflects the values of the young people whose lives we are celebrating."

Contributions to the Five Friends Memorial Fund may be sent to the Development Center and made payable to Bloomsburg University Foundation, 400 East Second Street, Bloomsburg, PA 17815. Please designate the name of the fund on a note accompanying gifts.

For additional information about the fund, call 4128.

## Task force

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The 16-member task force will include Dara Cacciamani and Mike Hancock, students selected by the Community Government Association, and a faculty member to be named by the faculty union. Other appointees are Tom Wallish, a retired fire chief from Point Township, and a representative of the university to be named by the Council of Trustees.

President Kozloff has also named two parents who volunteered to serve. They are Patricia Mohr of Blooms-

burg and Karen Lunger of Danville.

The mayor's appointees are Rosemary Hummel and Rochelle (Chick) Warhurst, Ed Crawford and James Newsomme, Norman Mael, Gerry Depo and Robert Rupp.

Hummel and Warhurst own rental properties in town. Crawford and Newsome are residents of the community. Mael, manager of Magee's Main Street Inn, was selected from the Chamber of Commerce to represent downtown commercial interests.

## Vice presidential searches underway

Searches are underway for vice presidents of student life, university advancement and for provost and vice president of academic affairs.

In the search for vice president for university advancement, the deadline for applications is Wednesday, Nov. 30. Review of applications will begin Nov. 13. The position will be filled during the spring 1995 semester. Mary Kenny Badami, professor of communication studies, is chairperson of the committee. Applications should be submitted to committee secretary Joann Mengel.

In the search for provost and vice president of academic affairs, applications must be postmarked by Dec. 12. Review of applications will begin Nov. 13. Selection will be during the Spring 1995 semester. David Minderhout, professor of anthropology, is chairperson of the committee. Applications should be submitted to committee secretary Ann Mariano.

Five finalists have been selected for vice president of student life. Brian Johnson, professor of geography and earth science is chairperson of the committee; Mona Bartholomew is secretary.



## Orchestra performance to feature works suggesting the Southwest

Cellist James Fittz will be the guest soloist when the Bloomsburg University-Community Orchestra presents its annual fall concert on Sunday, Nov. 13, at 2:30 p.m. in Mitrani Hall. The concert is free and open to the public.

The concert program includes performances of Aaron Copland's "An Outdoor Overture," Ronald LoPresti's "From the Southwest: Suite No. 1 for Orchestra," and Edward Elgar's "Cello Concerto in E minor, Op. 85."

Guest cellist James Fittz has performed throughout the world as recitalist, concerto solo artist, chamber music artist, in festival orchestras, and on public radio and television. Cello professor and chair of the department of strings at the University of Northern Colorado School of Music in Greeley, Fittz has recorded on

the ASC label. He began his formal music studies at the age of five and won first prize as a high school student in the International Music Competition in Japan.

Fittz earned his master's and doctoral degrees in music at the University of Arizona in Tucson.

The University-Community Orchestra's conductor, Mark Jelinek, shares with Fittz a Southwestern American heritage, which is reflected in the character of the Copland and LoPresti pieces. Jelinek, a cellist as well as conductor, earned his bachelor's and master's degrees at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales and earned his doctoral degree at Arizona State University in Tempe. Jelinek knew composer LoPresti, who was a professor at Arizona State University.

## Campus notes

**Mary Kenny Badami**, professor of communication studies, recently spoke on "K-12 Competency Goals in Oral Communication" to teachers, administrators and community members of the Shickellamy School District, which is developing its strategic plan and revising its curriculum. In August, she was a member of a U.S. National Park Service task force charged with revising competency requirements and employee development goals for the career path of "Interpreter: communicating to the public the natural, historical, and cultural stories of the national parks through a variety of media." During the summer, Badami also made presentations on "Customer Service and Communication Skills" for rangers and volunteers in San Juan, Puerto Rico; and at Gettysburg, Independence and Steamtown National Parks in Pennsylvania.

**Salim Qureshi**, associate professor of marketing, has a paper titled "Minding Morale of Institutional Markets" accepted for publication in the *Journal of Hospital Marketing* (Vol. 10, issue 1, 1995-96). He also has an article titled "Communication Contrasts in Classroom Climate" accepted for publication in the *Journal of Professional Services Marketing* (Vol. 1, 1996-97).

**Donald A. Vannan**, professor emeritus of curriculum and foundations, has an article titled "Social Studies — The Marble Game" published in the September issue of *Elementary Teacher Ideas*, a Princeton Educational Publication for classroom teachers in grades K-8. Vannan also has an article titled "The Science in Your Classroom Desk" published in the October issue of *Elementary Teacher Ideas*.

**Lawrence Tanner**, assistant professor of Geography and Earth Science, has published two book reviews in the current issue of the *Journal of Sedimentary Research*.

**Julia Bucher**, assistant professor of nursing, presented an all-day workshop on family Caregiver Education at a special conference at the University of Texas M.D. Andersen Cancer Treatment Center in Houston. The conference was sponsored by the National Cancer Institute. Bucher also presented a short paper at the quarterly meeting of the Southwest Oncology Group in San Antonio in October, and met with their nursing and research committees to plan the addition of "prepared family caregiver" courses to ongoing cancer clinical trial research.

**Arthur G. Dignan**, assistant professor of communication disorders and special education, has been appointed to the Pennsylvania Department of Education's steering committee guiding educational resources for children with hearing loss.

## SECA campaign surpasses \$30,000

Two hundred and eighty-four Bloomsburg employees have contributed \$30,835 to the SECA (State Employees Combined Appeal) campaign as of Nov. 4. The campaign runs until mid-November. Last year, Bloomsburg employees contributed \$31,487 to the SECA campaign, with \$15,579 of those funds going to support the United Way of Columbia County and its member agencies. Bloomsburg raised the most money of the State System universities and had the largest number of participants, with 305 employees contributing to the campaign.

Bloomsburg's SECA campaign goal is \$33,400, or \$1.71 per pay per member of the university community. Employees with questions about the campaign can call campaign chairperson Michael Vavrek at 4420 or James McCormack, campaign assistant chairperson, at 4328.



## Employees to be recognized for service Nov. 16

President Jessica Kozloff and the university's vice presidents will honor approximately 120 faculty and staff members for their service to the university during Employee Recognition Day on Wednesday, Nov. 16.

The two-hour program, which recognizes 10, 15, 20, 25, 30 and 35 years

of service to the university, will begin at 1 p.m. in the Kehr Union Ballroom.

For the first time since the program's inception, two employees, Glenn Blyler in purchasing and Richard Boyer in the storeroom, will be recognized for 35 years of service to the university.

# Provost's lecturers examine diversity issues

## Cornel West On Race

The author of *Race Matters* rested his forearm on the podium throughout most of his two-hour-long speech as he spoke with compassion about being black in America. In a relaxed and gentle manner, Cornel West asked the question that is often evaded and avoided in America, he said, and that is: "How does it feel to be a problem?"

One of the interesting features of America is that "we specialize in problem solving," he said. However, he criticized individuals as well as institutions who cast black people as "problem people" rather than "people with problems." This is "an attack on black intelligence," he emphasized patiently during his talk last October in Carver Hall.

In response to one of the questions from a panel of representatives from the University/Community Task Force on Racial Equity, West defined the term "racism" as "a structural form of idolatry.

"By idolatry, I mean a person who worships at the altar of some god (he emphasized the small "g") that claims to be able to endow (the worshipper) with meaning and significance. This structural form of idolatry is not just at the individual or interpersonal level, it's institutional," he stressed. And, he added, "it is *structural* precisely because it renders something high in value," such as "white privileges and benefits," when "actually it is a trap that leads us to lose track of our humanity."

Our challenge as a society is to take off the "veil — the lines of demarcation — between the white world and the black world," he said. Only then, can "we engage in dialogue that acknowledges humanity in each of us and allows for a free and civil ex-

change of ideas, which is critical to creating bonds of trust and living in community."

## Harlan Lane On Deaf Culture

Arguing that the deaf represent a "linguistic and ethnic" minority with a unique language, identity and culture, Provost's Lecture Series speaker Harlan Lane last week urged listeners to recognize the civil rights of the deaf and hard-of-hearing.

Lane, a distinguished professor at Northeastern University in Boston, spoke on Thursday, November 3, about the deaf's right to a "homeland." At a workshop in the Kehr Union Ballroom on Friday, he argued against mainstreaming in public education and denounced surgical interventions to improve hearing.

On Saturday, he took part in a regional conference on deaf education that attracted approximately 150 participants.

In his presentations, Lane argued that much of society's treatment of the deaf amounts to "forced assimilation" into a dominant culture. He spoke forcefully against the use of cochlear implants, which involves surgical insertion of a mechanical device to improve hearing, to "create adherence to the societal majority." The use of implants, he said, amounts to tacit agreement that the deaf "are biologically inferior."

He argued against mainstreaming deaf children into public education classrooms. Parents of deaf children often must choose whether to have their children "drown in the mainstream" or "drown in the side stream."

He urged an "acceptance of deafness" and an "embracing of sign language" as appropriate responses of a "linguistic minority," not a "disabled minority."



Harlan Lane



Cornel West

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**WELCOME TO THE FUTURE?** — Sean Paris welcomes visitors to an exhibit of his futuristic home furnishings in the Haas Gallery of Art.

## Exhibits combine *the futuristic . . . .* and the traditional

Two exhibits in the Haas Gallery of Art through mid-December contrast the futuristic with the traditional.

Artist Shawn Christopher Paris has created space-age living and dining room suites using a variety of materials including wood, foam, metal, holographic mylar and even meteorites that are part of an exhibit titled "Galactic Visions: A Sculptural Living Environment."

"By combining materials on the cutting edge of technology with items that are older than the Earth itself, I feel I am creating a great time span in each of my pieces," says Paris. "I am certain that in the future, when we vacation in space, we will all be bringing home meteorites and making art from them just as we do with seashells today."

Paris decided to make a living and dining room suite out of art when he and his family had no furniture when they moved into their Hollywood, Fla., home several years ago. "We really couldn't afford to buy normal furniture at the time," explains the Philadelphia native. The out-of-this-world furniture soon caught the attention of gallery directors who asked him to bring the ensembles on tour.

Paris has agreed to create a specially-designed mobile to hang in the fireplace lounge of the Kehr Union. He estimates that the project will take approximately six months to complete.

Carol Burns, associate professor of art at Bloomsburg, has seven mixed-media sculptures on exhibit in the outer gallery. The sculptures are the fruit of a university released-time project titled "New Beadwork, Contemporary Images — Ancient Traditions." The project entailed studying and researching diverse beading traditions and then producing a body of work which explores the use of the bead, sequin, or stitch as a minute building block. "These building blocks metaphorically represent the rhythm and significance of time in shaping and observing the substance of human existence," says Burns.

Gallery hours are Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.



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### Players to stage 'After the Rain'

The Bloomsburg University Players will present the futuristic play "After the Rain," from Nov. 16 to 20 in Carver Hall's Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

Written by John Bowen in 1965, "After the Rain" portrays a ritual 200 years in the future where people remember ancestors who survived a flood which destroyed much of the world. Megan Gantt, a senior theater major from Newport, has designed the costumes for the production. Gantt was recently recognized by an American College Theatre Festival adjudicator with a "Certificate of Merit" for her contributions to the costume design in the Bloomsburg Players' production of "The Boys Next Door" last spring.

The play will be performed at 8 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday, Nov. 16 to 19, and at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 20. Tickets are \$6 for adults, \$4 for senior citizens and students and free with a community activities card.

Carol Burns, associate professor of art, talks with art graduate student Robert Randolph, at a recent reception in Haas Gallery. At right is Burn's multimedia sculpture, "Ropa Divina," or divine garment.

## Campus notes

**Shaheen N. Awan**, associate professor of communication disorders, recently had a paper published in the *Journal of Voice* titled "Improvements in Estimating the Harmonics-to-Noise Ratio of the Voice" (Vol. 8, No. 3).

**Dee Welk**, professor of nursing, has a research study titled "The Effect of Instructional Format on Nursing Student Cue Recognition of the Pulmonary Edema: A Pilot Study" published in the October issue of *The Journal of Nursing Education*. She also presented a paper titled "Using Research in Clinical Practice: The Ways, Means and a Little Advice from Zandar™" for Bloomsburg's Theta Zeta chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International.

**JoAnne S. Growney**, professor of mathematics and computer science, was recently the featured reader at the meeting of the Mulberry Poets and Writers Association in Scranton. Growney read several new poems, including "My Dance Is Mathematics," written in honor of mathematician Amalie Emmy Noether (1882-1935), as well as selections from her recently-published collection, *Intersections*.

**Ronald Ferdock**, associate professor of English, recently read a paper analyzing the personification of evil in Tod Browning's classic film, *Dracula*, at the Fourth Annual Central New York Conference on Language and Literature at SUNY Cortland.

**Reza Noubary** and **Mehdi Razzaghi**, professors of mathematics and computer science, published a joint paper titled "Earthquake Hazard Assessment Based on Bivariate Exponential Distributions" in the journal *Reliability Engineering and System Safety* (Vol. 44, 1994).

**Leon Szmedra**, assistant professor of exercise physiology, has co-authored a paper titled "Carbohydrate Drinks and Cycling Performance," which has been accepted for publication by the journal *Sports Medicine and Physical Fitness*.

**Brian A. Johnson**, professor of geography and earth science, was recently elected to the board of directors of the Central Section of the Pennsylvania Planning Association. He also served on the jury for the 1994 planning awards which were presented at the association's annual conference.

**Harry C. Strine III**, associate professor of communication studies, conducted a session titled "Persuasive and Informative Speaking" at District VII of the American Forensic Association's Individual Events Conference at Prince George's Community College in Largo, M.D.

## Forum votes 'no' to firearms for university police officers

The university's Forum voted "no" to the question "Should police have firearms on campus?" at its October meeting in McCormick Center for Human Services. The university currently has a policy of no firearms on campus.

The vote against police carrying firearms was taken to "get a sense of the Forum," explained chair Peter Stine. "There is currently no proposed policy on this matter before the Forum," he said. However, the Forum voted on the question at the request of the general administration committee. The Forum's vote was eight in favor, 21 against, and three abstentions.

Community Government Association president Mike Gillespie was among students who spoke in favor of endorsing availability of firearms to the police. University police spoke in favor of carrying firearms at a Forum meeting during the 1993-94 academic year.

In other business, the Forum voted to endorse revisions to the Institutional Review Board for Human Subjects Research policy.

Julie Kontos reported for the university advancement committee that \$3.267 million has been raised so far in the Library campaign; \$3.5 million

is the goal. Faculty and staff have contributed \$129,000 toward their goal of \$130,000.

—A committee headed by Mary Badami has been formed to search for a permanent vice president for university advancement. This search should be concluded sometime in February.

—April has been designated President's Inaugural Month. Events include the President's Inaugural Ball on Saturday, April 1, and the inauguration and convocation on Saturday, April 22, with a reception in the sculpture garden on the library mall.

—A common calendar is available to everyone on campus who has Word Perfect Office. That means anyone can enter information about an event they are scheduling on the calendar. Vice presidents are responsible for monitoring their own areas.

—A Prototype for Developing a Campus-wide Information System has been reviewed, and the university technology committee has approved stage one of the prototype. An ad hoc team is working on giving Bloomsburg University a presence on the Internet. First stage includes posting general information about the university and the Graduate Catalog on the Internet.

There were no BUCC, Planning and Budget or Student Life reports.

## Wynn named 1994 Black Achiever

Management professor Pamela Wynn has received *Black Opinion Magazine's* 1994 Annual Black Achiever Award.

*Black Opinion Magazine*, based in Pittsburgh, is published six times a year. Black Achiever Awards recognize and show appreciation to blacks who have made outstanding contributions in their professions.

A faculty member at Bloomsburg since 1989, Wynn is co-founder and project director of the Local Enterprise Assistance Project (LEAP), a program that helps small businesses

in the region start and grow. Wynn has served on the university's curriculum and presidential search committees. She has given numerous presentations on economic development to local and regional organizations, and has testified before the state legislature's Committee on Business and Economic Development.

She is the second Bloomsburg faculty member to achieve this award. Irvin Wright, assistant director of developmental instruction, was named a Black Achiever last year.

## BUCC approves proposed master's program in mathematics

The department of mathematics and computer science plans to begin offering a master of science degree in applied mathematics within the next two years.

The program proposal was approved by the Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee (BUCC) in September. To be implemented, the proposed master's program must next be approved by the provost, the president, the Council of Trustees and the State System.

"There is a demand; people have been asking for a program like this," says professor Mehdi Razzaghi, who began working on the program proposal two years ago.

In preparing the program proposal, Razzaghi met with department chairs at other universities which have master's programs in mathematics, such as Wilkes and Bucknell universities. He also had graduate mathematics course syllabi sent to him from universities across the state.

Bloomsburg's program will be different from most offered by other institutions, Razzaghi says. "Ours is more application oriented. Students will work with real-world industrial mathematics problems." It will be a

very hands-on, applied type of program." All students would take 15 credits of core courses, which includes courses in applied statistics, mathematical modeling and computer applications. After passing a candidacy exam, they will specialize in one of three fields: computing, statistics or mathematics.

Courses in quality control, experimental design and forecasting will make the program very attractive to scientific professionals, says Razzaghi.

Another unique feature of the proposed program is the plan for courses to be taught simultaneously at the Dixon University Center in Harrisburg by faculty at Bloomsburg using two-way video technology.

During the first five years of the program, Razzaghi projects there would be about 15 students taking classes on Bloomsburg's campus and up to 30 students at the Dixon University Center.

"We did a survey of about 50 local industries and we had a very positive response," says Razzaghi. "They feel it's a very good idea. We've talked to a lot of people about this and we think the program will be very successful."

## Mark Lloyd named media relations director

Markland G. Lloyd has been named director of news and media relations.

In his new position, Lloyd will assist in managing the institution's internal and external news operations.

Lloyd comes to Bloomsburg after having served as chief marketing officer with Providence Health System in Williamsport, and as chief communication officer with the Geisinger health care system, headquartered in Danville.

He has more than 15 years of experience in institutional public relations. In addition, he has ten years of full-time teaching experience in colleges and universities in Georgia, Ohio and



Mark Lloyd

Pennsylvania.

Lloyd holds a doctorate from Ohio University and completed his undergraduate work at Wittenberg University in Springfield,

Ohio. He is certified by the American Society for Health Care Marketing and Public Relations and received the Pinnacle Award for lifetime achievement from the Public Relations and Marketing Society of the Hospital Association of Pennsylvania.

## Campus notes

English faculty members **Julie Vandivere** and **David Randall**, assistant professors, and **Ervene Gulley** and **Frank Peters**, professors, presented a panel on *Forrest Gump* at the New York College English Association conference in Rochester, N.Y. Vandivere presented a feminist interpretation, "Was Gump Framed? How to Domesticate the Heterogeneous." Randall offered a comparison with other films, "*Forest Gump* Platoon: Or Must Everybody Get Stoned." Gulley compared the novel and film, "What Kind of Fool am I? Novel/Film Dialogue in *Forest Gump*." Peters questioned "Why *Forest Gump* Appeals."

**Yixun Shi**, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science, recently had a joint paper titled "Efficient Line Search Algorithm for Unconstrained Optimization" accepted for publication in the *Journal of Optimization Theory and Application*. He has also coauthored a paper "Enclosing Zeros of Continuous Functions" which is accepted for publication in *ACM Transactions on Mathematical Software*. The Fortran/77 code package that implements the computational methods developed in the second paper is also accepted and will be published in the *Netlib—TOMS CALGO*.

Several Bloomsburg communication studies faculty and students contributed to the 55th Annual Meeting of the Speech Communication Association of Pennsylvania held recently in State College. **Janet Reynolds Bodenman**, assistant professor and chairperson of the Interpersonal and Organizational Communication Interest Council, organized a panel discussion titled "Communication Problems or Opportunities in the Work Place." **Mary Kenny Badami**, professor, presented a paper on "Diversity" for the Work Place panel. **Janice Youse**, assistant professor, participated in a panel discussion on how to effectively evaluate public speakers in forensics tournaments. Graduate students Joyce Staten-Luyken, Robert Williams and Isabelle Yanni, and senior Lisa A. Belicka, presented papers for the "Symbols and the Intricate Web of Meaning" panel. The 1994 Speaker of the Year Award was presented to James H. McCormick, chancellor of the State System of Higher Education.

**Samuel B. Slike**, professor of communication disorders and special education, was recently appointed to the Center on Deafness Advisory Board of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf in Pittsburgh.

**William S. O'Bruba**, professor of curriculum and foundations, has been selected for membership on *The Reading Teacher* editorial advisory board for 1995-97. *The Reading Teacher* is the official journal of the International Reading Association.

# Calendar

## CONCERTS

**University-Community Orchestra**, Sunday, Nov. 13, 2:30 pm, Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Mark Jelinek directs as the orchestra performs music by Elgar and Lo Presti, with guest cellist James Fittz.

**Semester Student Recital**, Tuesday, Nov. 29, 7:30 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

**"The Joy of Christmas Concert,"** Friday, Dec. 2, 7:30 pm, and Sunday, Dec. 4, 7 pm, First Presbyterian Church, Market Street, Bloomsburg.

**Happy Holidays Dance**, Saturday, Dec. 3, 7 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. An open social with seasonal and general dance music by the Studio Band directed by Stephen Wallace. Special appearances by the Chamber Singers directed by Wendy Miller. (Dress-up, but not formal.)

**Chamber Singers Banquet-Concert**, Saturday, Dec. 10, 7:30 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. Annual theme presentation by the Singers, with dinner and holiday atmosphere. Tickets required; call 389-4284 beginning Nov. 8 for information.

## ART EXHIBITS

**Shawn Paris**, installation, "Galactic Visions," through Dec. 17, Haas Center for the Arts. Reception, Wednesday, Nov. 2, noon.

**Carol Burns**, crafts, through Dec. 15, Haas Center for the Arts, outer gallery.

## THEATER

**After the Rain**, Wednesday, Nov. 16, to Saturday, Nov. 19, 8 pm, Sunday, Nov. 20, 2 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium. Admission is \$6 for adults, \$4 for students and senior citizens and free with a community activities card.

## CELEBRITY ARTIST SERIES

*All performances are at 8 pm in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Call 4409 for information.*

**Epic Brass**, Friday, Dec. 9. Community activities ticket pickup begins Nov. 28.

**Minnesota Orchestra**, André Watts, soloist, pianist, Friday, Jan. 20.

**The Barber of Seville**, New York City Opera National Touring Company, Friday, Jan. 27.

**Ballet Theatre de Bordeaux**, Saturday, Feb. 18.

## MISCELLANY

**Into the Streets**, national project designed to introduce students and community members to community service, Friday, Nov. 11, noon to 1 pm, rally at Coarver Hall; 1 to 3 pm, volunteer work at off-campus sites; 4 to 7 pm, recognition party in Kehr Union. For information, call the S.O.L.V.E. (Students Organized to Learn Through Volunteerism and Employment) office at 4788.

**Image**, sign language performance group, Sunday, Nov. 20, 2 pm and Monday, Nov. 21, 8 pm, Mitrani Hall, Haas Center.

**Thanksgiving** recess begins Wednesday, Nov. 23 at 2 pm. Classes resume Monday, Nov. 28 at 8 am.

**Classes End** Saturday, Dec. 10. Sunday, Dec. 11 is a reading day.

## GOVERNANCE

**BUC (Bloomsburg University Curriculum Committee)**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Wednesday, 3 pm, Nov. 16 and 30.

**Planning and Budget Committee**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Thursday, 3:30 pm, Nov. 10 and Dec. 8.

## LECTURES

**Separation of Church and State — or Is It Separation of Religion from Society?**, Values and Visions Forum, Thursday, Nov. 10, 8 pm, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room B.

**Signal Processing in Music**, Stan Mason, mathematics and computer science student at Bloomsburg University, Tuesday, Nov. 15, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Breaking Public Key Cryptosystems**, Kaiti Yarrington, mathematics and computer science student at Bloomsburg University, Tuesday, Nov. 29, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Meditation Research: Present Status and Future Directions**, Joseph Tloczynski, assistant professor of psychology at Bloomsburg University, Friday, Dec. 2, 3 pm, McCormick Center, Room 2148.

**AIDS — Where's the Moral Dilemma?**, Values and Visions Forum, Thursday, Dec. 8, 8 pm, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room B.

## FILMS

**Corrina, Corrina**, Friday, Nov. 11, Kehr Union, Ballroom, 7 pm and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Nov. 13, 7 pm, Haas Center.

**The Mask**, Wednesday, Nov. 16, Friday, Nov. 18, 7 pm and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Nov. 20, 7 pm, Haas Center.

**The Client**, Wednesday, Nov. 30, Friday, Dec. 2, 7 pm and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Dec. 4, 7 pm, Haas Center.

**Clear and Present Danger**, Wednesday, Dec. 7, Saturday, Dec. 10, 7 pm and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Dec. 11, 7 pm, Haas Center.

## SPECIAL LECTURE

**Radical political activist Angela Davis**, professor of the history of consciousness at the University of California, Santa Cruz, Friday, Nov. 18, 3 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom.

# COMMUNIQUE

A NEWSLETTER FOR FACULTY AND STAFF AT BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY

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## University puts best foot forward on donated carpet

The recent installation of new carpet in Carver Hall will help the university put its best foot forward.

Bloomsburg Carpet Industries, Inc., located on Route 11, has donated the carpeting to assist the Carver Hall restoration program. Built in 1867, Carver Hall is listed in the National Register of Historic Places.

The carpet incorporates the colors of the university, maroon with the seal of the university woven in gold.

Previous restoration of Carver Hall has included refurbishing the Gross Auditorium on the building's second floor.

"That's a very, very good piece of carpet," says Carver Hall custodian Keith Eves, who is in a position to know. Besides being responsible for keeping the carpet, as well as the rest of Carver Hall, clean, Eves worked a variety of posts at a carpet mill in town before coming to the university

15 years ago. He didn't operate the weaving machines at the mill, but he was around long enough to pick up a thing or two about carpet.

Like many other custodians at the university, Eves starts at 6 a.m., making sure that his building is ready for the business day to begin at 8 a.m.

"The carpet adds a lot of class to the place. I don't think it's going to be a problem to keep it clean," says Eves, adding that "people at the university have a lot of pride."

"Partnerships between public universities and corporate sponsors enable public institutions to enrich their programs and services beyond what state subsidies and student fees can provide," says Jessica Kozloff, president of Bloomsburg University.

"Our corporate gifts program has enabled us to provide scholarships for needy students. It has funded research efforts.

It has supported the arts and enriched the quality of life for the region. And now it has beautified one of the most historic buildings on our campus."

Bloomsburg Carpet Industries' donation represents just one more in a series of "generous gifts" that the local mill has provided to the university, says Anthony Ianiero, interim vice president for university advancement. "Over the past several years," says Ianiero, "Bloomsburg Carpet has made four major in-kind gifts to the university." The value of these gifts approaches \$20,000.

Ianiero indicated that corporate gifts to Bloomsburg University in the past four years have amounted to more than \$1.2 million.

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## Nixon named director of Multicultural Center

Thomas A. Nixon has been named director of the Multicultural Center at Bloomsburg University. He will begin his appointment at Bloomsburg on Jan. 3, 1995. A welcoming reception will be held on Dec. 16, at 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the Multicultural Center of the Kehr Union.

Nixon, as assistant director of residential life for the past two years at the Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Md., was responsible for managing a 500-student residence hall. There, he also developed programs to recruit and retain minority students.

A graduate of Shippensburg University, where he also earned his master's degree, Nixon previously served as a residential director at Drexel University in Philadelphia. At Bloomsburg, Nixon will develop a program to focus on the contributions of Americans who represent diverse cultures at the university. The Multicultural Center, dedicated in Jan. 1994, is intended to foster tolerance and respect for different cultures.

### COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

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The university is additionally committed to affirmative action and will take positive steps to provide such educational and employment opportunities.

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## SECA campaign tops goal

*More than 300 employees contribute \$34,172*

Bloomsburg employees have contributed \$34,172 to the SECA (State Employees Combined Appeal) campaign as of Nov. 18, surpassing the campaign goal of \$33,400. Three-hundred and fourteen employees participated in the campaign, reaching 83.5 percent of the 376 employee participation goal.

Campaign chairperson Michael Vavrek expects that there are still some employees planning to make contributions in the next week.

Last year, Bloomsburg employees contributed \$31,487 to the SECA campaign, with \$15,579 of those funds going to support the United Way of Columbia County and its member agencies.

Employees with questions about the campaign can call Vavrek at 4420 or James McCormack, campaign assistant chairperson, at 4328.



## Fall enrollment declines slightly

Fall enrollment at Bloomsburg has declined slightly from the previous year's total. The decline at the local institution mirrored the pattern experienced in the other 13 public universities in the State System of Higher Education.

Bloomsburg's enrollment fell by slightly more than 1 percent. That is the equivalent of about 70 full-time students.

Enrollment throughout the State System declined by 1.4 percent.

Bloomsburg's enrollment decline, said President Jessica Kozloff, "is within acceptable planning targets. We expect to offset the shortfall by

increasing the number of new students for spring semester."

She indicated that Bloomsburg continues to attract far more applicants than it can accept. For the fall semester, the university received 6,270 applications and accepted 3,204, slightly more than 50 percent.

"We are well positioned in the college marketplace," Kozloff said. "Last month, 'U.S. News & World Report' ranked Bloomsburg as one of the 'best values' among regional universities in the northeastern United States. We remain an attractive choice for higher education."

## Bloomsburg to observe World AIDS Day

Bloomsburg will commemorate the seventh annual observance of World AIDS Day on Thursday, Dec. 1. Among campus activities will be a candlelight vigil at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 30, in the Kehr Union, Multicultural Center, and a program on "AIDS and the Family: Families Take Care," at 2 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 1, in Carver Hall, Gross Auditorium.

Beth Boyer Kollas, protestant campus minister, will introduce the pro-

gram on Thursday and members of the university community will offer personal reflections regarding the impact of AIDS. As part of the university's commemoration of World AIDS Day, a touring art exhibit by Michael David titled "Bearing Witness" will be on display in the Kehr Union Multicultural Center from Nov. 21 to Dec. 1.

Nearly 200 countries have designated this day to draw public attention to the AIDS epidemic.



# Student housing task force hears ideas from experts

The committee charged with looking into student housing issues in Bloomsburg met twice this month, on Nov. 15 and Nov. 17, less than a month after a fatal fire in an off-campus residence killed five young people.

In the first of the two open meetings, the task force heard from parents, students, fire company officers, university representatives and town residents who voiced their concerns about student housing in the town.

In the second meeting, the task force listened to commentary solicited from a number of "experts."

They included the Union County code enforcement officer, college administrators from Bloomsburg and Wilkes universities, fire safety personnel from the Town of Bloomsburg, an insurance industry executive, legal counsel from the State System of Higher Education, a representative from the Pennsylvania department of labor and industry and a state police officer.

The experts talked about issues of student responsibility and accident prevention.

**... suggestions included stricter code enforcement, insurance penalties for irresponsible property owners and mandatory fire safety programs for university students.**

A number of suggestions were offered to improve off-campus student housing, including the formation of a tenant association and the development of a tenant-rights education program for off-campus students. Other suggestions included stricter code enforcement, insurance penalties for irresponsible property owners and mandatory fire safety programs for university students.

Several students at the first meeting complained about unresponsive landlords. Property owners reported

that students frequently disabled fire detection systems.

Speaker after speaker suggested that resolving off-campus housing problems required individual responsibility – by students as well as landlords. One fire company officer at the first meeting suggested that additional regulation might be ineffective, because "you cannot legislate against stupidity."

Formation of the Student Housing Safety Task Force was announced by Bloomsburg Mayor Dan Bauman and Bloomsburg University President Jessica Kozloff following the Oct. 21 fire. The task force was charged to review university and town policies and procedures regarding the safety and responsibility of students in off-campus housing. It is scheduled to issue its recommendations to Bauman and Kozloff next spring.

The task force, co-chaired by Mary Lenzini Howe and Roy Pointer, represents a broad cross-section of the town and university community, said Howe. The committee includes university students and town residents, landlords, parents, town officials, a faculty member, a member of Town Council and a representative of the university's Council of Trustees.

Members of the task force are Dara Cacciamani, Ed Crawford, Gerry Depo, Mike Hancock, Rosemary Hummel, Karen Lunger and Gerald Malinowski.

Other task force members are Patricia Mohr, James Newsome, Norman Mael, Timothy Rumbough, Robert Rupp, Tom Wallish, and Rochelle (Chick) Warhurst.

The agenda of future meetings was not announced. However, task force co-chairman Roy Pointer indicated that future meetings will be publicized so the public can attend.

Written comments for the task force can be sent to Joan Lentzner, director of university relations and communication, 104 Waller Administration Building.

## Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

October 1994

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Homicide	0	0
Focible Rape	0	0
Robbery	0	0
Aggravated Assault	2	1
Simple Assault	0	0
Burglary	2	2
Larceny totals	5	2
Book (Bag) Theft	0	0
Theft from Buildings	1	0
Theft from Vehicles	1	0
Theft from Grounds	0	0
Retail Theft	2	0
Bicycle Theft	1	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Arson	0	0
Forgery	0	0
Fraud	0	0
Embezzlement	0	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0
Vandalism	7	2
Weapons Possession	0	0
Prostitution	0	0
Sex Offense Totals	0	0
Agg. Indecent Assault	0	0
Indecent Assault	0	0
Indecent Exposure	0	0
Open Lewdness	0	0
Drug Abuse Violations	0	0
Gambling	0	0
Off. Against Family	0	0
D.U.I.	0	0
Liquor Laws	11	11
Drunkenness	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	11	9
Disorderly Conduct with Drug Violations	4	4
Vagrancy	0	0
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	3	2

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** Be sure to follow a few building security tips before starting the weekend. Make sure your office, labs and class rooms (if you have the last class of the day) are secured. No one wants the added aggravation of loss of equipment or personal items on Monday morning. Don't volunteer to become a weekend victim.

# Employees recognized for years of service

*Two recognized for 35 years of service at annual Employee Recognition Day*

Hundreds of employees were honored for their years of service to the university at the Bloomsburg's fifth annual Employee Recognition Day on Wednesday, Nov. 16, in the Kehr Union Ballroom.

"We need to do more to recognize people who give so much to the institution," said President Jessica Kozloff. "We're going to find more ways to give you the applause you deserve."

Kozloff presented Jennie Carpenter, interim vice president for student life, with her clock for 25 years service.

Vice presidents from each area presented their employees with recognition awards for their service.



**HONORING LONG SERVICE** — Glenn Blyler, left, assistant director of purchasing, and Dick Boyer, center, office equipment repairman, were presented with carved Huskies at the recent Employee Recognition Day in honor of their 35 years of service to the university by Robert Parrish, right, vice president for administration.

## Academic Affairs

### 30 years of service

Theodore Shanoski; Prof., History  
Kenneth Wilson; Chair/Prof., Art

### 25 years of service

Richard Anderson; Assoc. Prof., History  
Hank Bailey; Prof., Math & Comp. Sci./Dir. IIT  
James Cole; Prof., Bio & Allied Health Sciences  
Frank Davis; Prof., Computer & Info. Systems  
John Fletcher; Asst. Prof., Bio & Allied Health Sciences

P. Joseph Garcia; Assoc. Prof., Physics  
Nancy Gill; Assoc. Prof., English  
JoAnne Growney; Prof., Math & Comp. Science  
Paul Hartung; Prof., Math & Comp. Science  
Richard Haupt; Coord. for Student Life Operations  
Oliver Larimi; Prof., Philosophy/President, APSCUF  
Sandra Long; Clerk Steno., Math & Comp. Science  
Jerry Medlock; Chair/Prof., HPEA  
Louis Mingrone; Chair/Prof., Bio. & Allied Health Sciences

Jack Mulka; Dean, Academic Support Services  
Janet Olsen; Asst. Prof./Admin. Serv. Librarian  
Joseph Pifer; Assoc. Prof., Geography & Earth Science

Roy Pointer; Prof., Chemistry  
Carroll Redfern; Chair/Prof., Comm. Dis. & Special Ed.

Robert Reeder; Assoc. Prof., Anthropology  
Burton Reese; Assoc. Prof., HPEA/Asst. Athletic Dir.  
Ralph Smiley; Prof., History  
James Sperry; Chair/Prof., History  
Barbara Strohman; Assoc. Prof., Art  
M. Gene Taylor; Prof., Physics  
June Trudnak; Prof., Math & Comp. Sci.  
Stephen Wukovitz; Assoc. Prof., Physics

### 20 years of service

John Abell; Asst. Dean, Extended Programs

Christopher Armstrong; Prof., Soc. & Social Welfare  
William Baillie; Prof., English  
Jesse Bryan; Chair/Prof., Developmental Instruction

Steven Cohen; Prof., Psychology  
Josephine Crossley; Library Technician  
Roger Fromm; Assoc. Prof., Reference/Univ. Archivist

Norman Gillmeister; Prof., Geography & Earth Science

Mary Hill; Prof., Comm Dis. & Special Ed.  
I. Sue Jackson; Chair/Assoc. Prof., Sociology & Social Welfare

Richard Micheri; Asst. Prof., Political Science  
Gorman Miller; Prof., Curriculum & Foundations  
David Minderhout; Chair/Prof., Anthropology  
William O'Bruba; Chair/Prof., Curriculum & Foundations

Alex Poplawsky; Prof., Psychology  
Constance Schick; Prof., Psychology  
Alexander Shiner; Library Asst.  
John Stockalis; Clerk Typist, Admissions  
Sharon Swank; Administrative Asst., College of Arts & Sciences

### 15 years of service

Richard Angelo; Prof., Comm. Disorders & Special Education

Carol Arnold; Clerk Steno., Graduate Studies/Research

Vicki Beishline; Clerk Steno., HPEA  
Peter Bohling; Prof., Economics  
Colleen Brandon; Clerk Steno., Management  
Robert Campbell; Asst. Prof., Nursing  
Ellen Clemens; Assoc. Prof., Bus. Ed./Ofc. Admin.

James Dalton; Prof., Psychology  
Melanie Dworsak; Clerk Steno., English  
Harold Frey; Assoc. Prof., Comp. & Info. Systems  
Nancy Gilgannon; Prof., Curriculum & Foundations  
Marilou Hinchcliff; Asst. Prof., Cataloging/Preparations

Saleem Khan; Prof., Economics  
Sharon Kribbs; Asst. Prof., Nursing  
Charles Laudermilch; Assoc. Prof., Soc. & Soc. Welfare

Mark Melnychuk; Assoc. Prof., Bio & Allied Health Sciences

Bonnie Mordan; Clerk Steno., Soc. & Soc. Welfare  
James Mullen; Instructor, Devc. Instruction - Reading

Sam Slike; Prof., Comm. Disorders & Special Ed.  
Sherri Valencik; Clerk Steno., Accounting  
Peter Walters; Coord., Tutorial & 504 Services  
Julia Mount Weitz; Assoc. Prof., Comm. Disorders & Spec. Ed.

### 10 years of service

Mary Amick; Clerk Typist, Nursing  
Dianne Angelo; Assoc. Prof., Comm. Disorders & Spec. Ed.

Eileen Astor-Stetson; Prof., Psychology  
Thomas Bonomo; Assoc. Prof., Soc. & Soc. Welfare  
Veronica Breisch; Clerk Steno., Economics  
Gilbert Darbouze; Assoc. Prof., Lang. & Cultures  
Mehdi Haririan; Assoc. Prof., Economics  
Michael McCully; Assoc. Prof., English  
Thomas Martucci; Asst. Prof., HPEA  
Kathy Miller; Clerk Steno., Comm. Dis. & Spec. Ed.  
Terry Oxley; Assoc. Prof., Music/Dir. of Bands  
James Parsons; Assoc. Prof., Bio. & Allied Health Sciences

Michael Pugh; Asst. Prof., Chemistry  
Paul Quick; Dir., Curriculum Materials Center  
John Riley; Prof., Math & Comp. Sci.  
Glenn Sadler; Prof., English  
Gloria Jean Schechterly; Asst. Prof., Nursing  
Karen Slusser; Asst. Dir., Plan., Inst. Res. & Info. Mgt.

Christine Sperling; Assoc. Prof., Art  
Heather Strauch; Clerk Typist, Grants Office  
Cynthia Surmacz; Prof., Bio. & Allied Health Sciences

Karen Swartz; Clerk Typist, Upward Bound  
Dana Ulloth; Chair/Prof., Mass Communications

## Administration

### 35 years of service

Glenn Blyler; Asst. Dir., Purchasing  
Richard Boyer; Office Equipment Repairman, Purchasing

## Recognition

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### 30 years of service

Sandra Hess; Clerk Typist, Student Payroll/Travel

### 25 years of service

Clyde Bailey; Computer Programmer, Computer Services

Eugene Chesney; Computer Programmer, Computer Services

Linda Haines; Press Operator, Duplicating

Dallas Harris; Semi-Skilled Laborer, Maint.

Donald Hock; Dir., Budget & Admin. Serv.

Robert Knapp; Groundskeeper, Maint.

Rosemary McGrady; Clerical Supervisor, Mail Room

E. Marie Park; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Barbara Pflieger; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Charles Ross; Oper. Systems Prog. Spec.,

Computer Services

### 20 years of service

Jean Hawk; Clerk, Purchasing

Janet Huntington; Clerk Steno, Maint.

### 15 years of service

Robert Abbott; Dir., Academic Computing

Ralph Barnes; Electrician, Maint.

Jane Bennett; Custodial Worker, Maint.

William Bisset; Maint. Repairman, Maint.

Keith Eves; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Madeline Foshay; Accounts Payable Supervisor, Business Office

Patrick Gaffney; Electrician, Maint.

Maxine Gottstein; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Joanne Hess; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Ronald Mourey; Refrigeration Plant Supervisor, Maint.

B. Maxine Nevil; Custodial Worker, Maint.

John Pollard; Police Officer, University Police

Carol Sands; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Joyce Shaffer; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Jule Smathers; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Doris Snyder; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Paul Thomas; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Harold Woomey; Maint. Repairman, Maint.

Larry Yeager; Utility Plant Operator, Maint.

### 10 years of service

James Appelman; Painter, Maint.

Lynn Davis; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Helen Dietrich; Clerk, Purchasing

Timothy Downs; Plumber Foreman, Maint.

Susan Hayes; Clerk Typist, Accounts Payable

Gary Hilderbrandt; Draftsman, Planning &

Construction

Barbara Jumper; Custodial Worker, Maint.

Nicholas Kalanick; Administrative Asst.,

Planning & Construction

James Kaleta; Painter, Maint.

David Knorr; Utility Plant Operator, Maint.

Ronald Laubach; Equipment Operator,

Maint.

Gerald Murphy; Plumber, Maint.

Joseph Quinn; Dir., Purchasing

Colin Reitmeyer; Project Manager, Plan-

ning & Construction

Luci Ruckle; Executive Secretary, Administration Office

John Simons; Plumber, Maint.

Jerry Smith; Maint. Repairman, Maint.

Dolores Sponseller; Fiscal Technician, Human Resources

## Student Life

### 25 years of service

Jennie Carpenter; Interim Vice President

John Trathen; Dir., Student Activities/Ke-

hr Union

### 20 years of service

Mary Gardner; Asst. Prof./Athletic Dir., HPEA

Linda Hunt; Clerk Steno., Career Develop-

ment

Ronald Morgan; Stock Clerk, HPEA

### 15 years of service

Deborah Barnes; Coord. of Publications and Programs

Carol Barnett; Dir., Career Development

Mona Bartholomew; Executive Secretary, Student Life

Joanne Fedder; Clerk Typist, Residence Life

Janet Hutchinson; Head Coach, Softball/Field Hockey

Linda Sowash; Dir., Residence Life

Frank Williams; Coach, HPEA

### 10 years of service

Nancy Graboski; Clerk Typist, HPEA

Thomas Kresch; Assoc. Dir., Residence Life

Judith Roach; Clerk Steno., Couns. & Human Dev.

## Kebr Union and University Store

### 15 years of service

Marge Wegrzynowicz; General Book Buyer, Univ. Store

### 10 years of service

Kevin Harder; Shipping/Receiving Clerk, Univ. Store

Elizabeth Pursel; Clerk, Information Desk

Julie Shoup; Clerk Typist, Student Act/Kebr Union

## University Advancement

### 25 years of service

Helen Adler; Executive Secretary, Univ. Advancement

Linda Long; Clerk Typist, Alumni Affairs

### 10 years of service

Anthony Ianiero; Interim Vice President

Ann Mariano; Clerk Steno., Affirmative Action

Peg Trathen; Fiscal Asst., Development/Alumni

## President explains reorganization linking academic, student affairs

At the Nov. 9 meeting of the University Forum, President Jessica Kozloff explained that building "linkages with academic and student affairs" divisions was part of her rationale behind the need for organizational restructuring.

She reported her plan would involve moving academic support services and student retention to student affairs. In turn, the responsibility for orientation and the Multicultural Center would be moved to academic support services and student retention. Such changes, she said, would more fully support a university-wide commitment to sustaining a strong academic mission.

Under the present structure, she said, too much of the commitment is "lumped into academic affairs."

John Riley, professor of math and computer science, commended the president's plan because retention "is not the responsibility of any one division." He said he strongly believed that "all divisions are responsible for retention."

Oliver Larmi, president of APSCUF, said such a change may be perceived as a problem if it affects faculty status — departmental status," although he added he personally didn't think this "local reorganization" is a concern.

According to the reorganization plan, developmental instruction and international education would remain within the academic affairs division.

Emphasizing the importance of balancing friend-building needs with fund raising, Kozloff explained the office of university advancement would assume additional responsibilities for community outreach. In furthering "our efforts to bring the community onto campus and culture into the community," she said, the School of Extended Programs as well as Celebrity Artists Series and the Provost Lecture Series would move to university advancement.

The president said she intends to negotiate the reorganization plan with the finalists in the three vice presidential searches — university advancement, academic affairs and student life. "I do intend to make a change," she said. "I want to be as consultative as I can with your thoughts and ideas." She said the structural reorganization will be made before the new vice presidents arrive.

In other Forum business:

Responding to President Kozloff's request, Forum chair Peter Stine took a vote of the Forum on the revised Leave Guidelines During Emergency University Closings policy, which was sent to the Forum without the endorsement of the general administration committee. The sense of the Forum was 11 no; four, yes; and six abstentions.

John Riley, chair of Bloomsburg University curriculum committee (BUCC), invited everyone to the BUCC meeting on Nov. 23 to hear Mary Berger, vice chancellor for academic affairs, discuss the 40 percent rule, which has "met with considerable objection." The rule, which was passed as policy by the Board of Governors, requires undergraduate students to take 40 percent of their general education credits from 300 and 400 level courses.

## Viewpoints

Viewpoints makes its debut this issue. The column provides excerpts from a selection of stories about the university.

■ *Armed with rake, hammers, garbage bags, brochures and storybooks, more than 200 BU students headed across the community Friday to work on 20 service projects for the fourth annual "Into the Streets" day.*

*"It's supposed to wet your whistle, to get you out into the community more," said senior Jacob Brown.*

— *The Press-Enterprise, Nov. 12*

■ *During that first trip to Millville, these two varsity football players began to wonder if they'd made a mistake by agreeing to be teaching interns at the Greenwood Friends School — a small mostly all-white Quaker school.*

*Not only are they the first paid student interns, but these burly athletes are the only men on staff and the only African-Americans at the school.*

*"When we both first drove out, we were a little skeptical," Brooks said. "We thought a lot of people would be looking at us differently, but that didn't happen. There are some really beautiful people here and we felt at home right away."*

— *The Sunbury Daily Item, Nov. 13, in a story about Bloomsburg students Joseph Headen and Syheed Brooks teaching internship at Greenwood Friends school.*

■ *Rosemary Peacocke, a top education official in England an authority on early childhood education, talked about the spiritual aspect of education during a visit Monday at Bloomsburg University.*

*In England, religion is part of school life for all pupils. The idea is not to convert students, but to expose them to the doctrines of the world's major religions, like Christianity, Judaism and Islam.*

*"We must teach tolerance in our society," she said ...*

*"There are key values in all cultures," she said, such as telling the truth. "We believe in this very powerfully."*

— *Sunbury Daily Item, Nov. 15, in a story about Peacocke giving presentations to Bloomsburg education majors.*

■ *"She's definitely on target with her focus on education," Bloomsburg University trustee John McDaniel observed ...*

*"When you educate, you give people opportunities. Prisons limit opportunities. (There is) particularly a need for funding resources in inner-city schools and suburban schools."*

— *The Press-Enterprise, Nov. 19. McDaniel was reacting to a speech at Bloomsburg by political activist Angela Davis.*



PHOTO BY JOAN HELFER

**"We are moving in the direction of an increasingly incarcerated society," said political activist Angela Davis, shown at left, to more than two hundred people gathered in the Kehr Union Ballroom recently.**

## Speaker Angela Davis blasts U.S. 'punishment industry'

In almost Orwellian terms, Angela Davis spoke of an "out-of-control punishment industry" to several hundred people in the Kehr Union Ballroom in November.

After lamenting the recent victories of conservative Republicans in Congress, Davis focused on three issues: crime, immigration and welfare in her presentation.

"We are all affected by the ideology that shapes the image of the criminal. Crime has a specific kind of face and that's a racialized face," said Davis.

Davis, professor in the history of consciousness program at the University of California, Santa Cruz, came to national attention in 1969 after being removed from her teaching position in the philosophy department at UCLA because of her social activism and membership in the Communist party.

"Fear has always been an integral part of racism. Even black people are taught to visualize the criminal as a black person," said Davis.

Davis stressed that the growing fear of crime is based more on ideology than reality.

"The incidence of crime has not gone up. In a lot of places it's gone down," said Davis, yet "in the United

States there are over 5 million people incarcerated, paroled or on probation.

"Communism is no longer the force which the nation imagines as its enemy. The space formerly occupied by communism is now occupied by crime. The capital which formerly flowed to the military industry is now flowing to the punishment industry ... We have an out-of-control punishment industry.

"We are moving in the direction of an increasingly incarcerated society," warned Davis, who linked the globalization of capital to the growing incarceration of large numbers of people and to welfare and immigration issues.

"Oftentimes women are on welfare because they can't afford to work," said Davis. "Welfare is the result of the failure to create jobs with benefits." Davis charged that in the recent campaigns Congressional candidates' focus on the welfare and immigration issues was an example of "blaming the victims" of global economic changes.

Davis's lecture was supported by many campus organizations and arranged by Marcei Woods, coordinator of minority affairs.

# December brings holiday concerts to Bloomsburg

*B*loomsburg will herald December's holiday season with a variety of concerts by university musical groups and by the Epic Brass quintet as part of the Celebrity Artist Series.

The concert season will begin when three choral groups made up of more than a hundred singers from Bloomsburg will present the annual "Joy of Christmas Concert" on Friday, Dec. 2, and Sunday, Dec. 4, at the First Presbyterian Church, Market Street, Bloomsburg. The concert will begin at 7:30 p.m. both days.

"We will perform music from the 1500s to the present day, including traditional carols and classical works, both acappella and accompanied," says the concert's director B. Eric Nelson, assistant professor of music. The groups performing in the concert will include the Concert Choir and Husky Singers, directed by Nelson, and the Women's Choral Ensemble directed by Wendy Miller, associate professor of music. The audience will be asked to join in singing several of the carols during the program.

*O*n Saturday, Dec. 3, the Bloomsburg University Studio Band, directed by Stephen Wallace, associate professor of music and chairman of the department, will provide music for dancing at the annual "Happy Holidays Dance" beginning at 7 p.m. in the Kehr Union Ballroom. The university Chamber Singers will provide a guest interlude.

Admission is by complimentary ticket, available until Nov. 28 in room 114 of the Haas Center for the Arts or at the Fenstemacher Alumni House on Lightstreet Road.

Light refreshments will be served, and door prizes will be awarded. Attire is not formal, but dress-up is requested.

*A*s part of the Celebrity Artist Series, the Epic Brass quintet will present a performance of holiday music on Friday, Dec. 9, at 8 p.m., in Haas Center for the Arts.

Founded by trumpeter Earl Raney in 1983, the Boston-based quintet appears frequently on PBS radio stations and boasts a repertoire that spans renaissance, baroque, classical, sacred and popular music.

Since its founding, Epic Brass has blazed a trail across 42 states with performances at Carnegie Hall and the Kennedy Center, along with tours in Canada, Bermuda, Austria, Germany, France, Great Britain and Poland.

The group's Bloomsburg program includes traditional carols such as "Jingle Bells" and a "Carol of the Bells" from the Ukraine, along with classical music by Mozart, J.S.



**EPIC BRASS** — The Epic Brass quintet will present a performance of holiday music on Friday, Dec. 9, at 8 p.m. in Haas Center for the Arts as part of the Celebrity Artist Series. Tickets for the performance are \$10 and \$15 and can be purchased by calling 4409. Those with community activity cards may pick up free tickets at the Kehr Union Information Desk.

Bach and Tchaikovsky.

Tickets for the Epic Brass performance are \$10 and \$15 and can be purchased by calling 4409. Those with community activity cards may pick up free tickets at the Kehr Union Information Desk.

*T*he sounds of holiday carols will ring on Saturday, Dec. 10, as the university's Chamber Singers present "An International Holiday Celebration" banquet.

While diners feast on dishes from around the world in the university's Kehr Union Ballroom, the Chamber Singers will sing a variety of festive music. The menu will include chicken Barcelona, hot and sour shrimp soup and dishes with origins ranging from Finland to Ethiopia.

The 15-member Chamber Singers will sing holiday music from Europe, Africa and North and South America. The group will dress in international costumes. Tickets for the banquet, which begins at 7:30 p.m., are \$16 each and are available until Dec. 7. For more information, call 4284.

## Holiday Concerts

**Joy of Christmas Concert**

Friday, Dec. 2

Sunday, Dec. 4

7:30 p.m.

**First Presbyterian Church  
Market Street, Bloomsburg**

**Happy Holidays Dance**

Saturday, Dec. 3

7 p.m.

**Kehr Union Ballroom**

**Epic Brass**

Friday, Dec. 9

8 p.m.

**Haas Center for the Arts**

**An International Holiday**

**Celebration Banquet**

Saturday, Dec. 10

7:30 p.m.

**Kehr Union Ballroom**

# Calendar

## CONCERTS

**Semester Student Recital**, Tuesday, Nov. 29, 7:30 pm, Carver Hall, Kenneth Gross Auditorium.

**"The Joy of Christmas Concert,"** Friday, Dec. 2, 7:30 pm, and Sunday, Dec. 4, 7 pm, First Presbyterian Church, Market Street, Bloomsburg.

**Happy Holidays Dance**, Saturday, Dec. 3, 7 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. An open social with seasonal and general dance music by the Studio Band directed by Stephen Wallace. Special appearances by the Chamber Singers directed by Wendy Miller. (Dress-up, but not formal.)

**Chamber Singers Banquet-Concert**, Saturday, Dec. 10, 7:30 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. Annual theme presentation by the Singers, with dinner and holiday atmosphere. Tickets required; call 389-4284 beginning Nov. 8 for information.

## MISCELLANY

**Thanksgiving recess** begins Wednesday, Nov. 23 at 2 pm. Classes resume Monday, Nov. 28 at 8 am.

**Classes End** Saturday, Dec. 10. Sunday, Dec. 11 is a reading day.

**Final Exams** begin Monday, Dec. 12, and end Saturday, Dec. 17.

**Winter Commencement** is Saturday, Dec. 17.

**Spring semester** begins Monday, Jan. 16, with Martin Luther King Day. Spring classes begin Tuesday, Jan. 17 at 8 am.

## GOVERNANCE

**Planning and Budget Committee**, McCormick Center for Human Services, Forum, Thursday, 3:30 pm, Dec. 8.

## CELEBRITY ARTIST SERIES

*All performances are at 8 pm in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Call 4409 for information.*

**Epic Brass**, Friday, Dec. 9. Community activities ticket pickup begins Nov. 28.

**Minnesota Orchestra**, André Watts, soloist, pianist, Friday, Jan. 20.

**The Barber of Seville**, New York City Opera National Touring Company, Friday, Jan. 27.

**Ballet Theatre de Bordeaux**, Saturday, Feb. 18.

## FILMS

**The Client**, Wednesday, Nov. 30, Friday, Dec. 2, 7 pm and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Dec. 4, 7 pm, Haas Center.

**Clear and Present Danger**, Wednesday, Dec. 7, Saturday, Dec. 10, 7 pm and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Dec. 11, 7 pm, Haas Center.

## LECTURES

**Breaking Public Key Cryptosystems**, Kaiti Yarrington, mathematics and computer science student at Bloomsburg University, Tuesday, Nov. 29, 3:30 to 4:30 pm, Bakeless Center, Room 104.

**Meditation Research: Present Status and Future Directions**, Joseph Tloczynski, assistant professor of psychology at Bloomsburg University, Friday, Dec. 2, 3 pm, McCormick Center, Room 2148.

**AIDS — Where's the Moral Dilemma?** Values and Visions Forum, Thursday, Dec. 8, 8 pm, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room B.

## ART EXHIBITS

**Shawn Paris**, installation, "Galactic Visions," through Dec. 17, Haas Center for the Arts.

**Carol Burns**, crafts, through Dec. 15, Haas Center for the Arts, outer gallery.



**LENDING A HELPING HAND**  
Donna Cochrane (standing center), associate professor of business education and office administration, was one of 200 members of the university community who participated in the university's annual observance of "Into the Streets" Nov. 10. Cochrane helped university volunteers put siding on a home in Berwick for Habitat for Humanity.

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## Library campaign tops \$3.375 million goal

*A \$210,000 planned gift in memory of an 1890 alumna puts the library campaign over its goal.*

Bloomsburg University's library fund-raising campaign, *A Treasury of Ideas*, has surpassed its \$3.375 million goal, announced Anthony Ianiero, interim vice president for advancement and executive director of the Bloomsburg University Foundation.

As of Dec. 7, the Bloomsburg University Foundation had raised \$3,510,265 in gifts, deferred gifts and pledges towards the construction of a much-needed new library.

"We have to give special recognition to the development office for their work and the very impressive number of alumni, faculty and staff who gave to the campaign," says President Jessica Kozloff. "While we had some large donors, what you see here is a massive giving effort by many individuals who care about the university."

**"This success is the culmination of months of hard work from many many people."**

Kozloff also thanked the library steering committee, chaired by interim provost Carol Matteson, for its work in planning the new library. "Throughout the long planning process for the new library, the steering committee has done a wonderful job of making sure the new facility

matches the needs of the academic program. The people who are going to use the library have been involved in planning the new building."

The most recent contribution to the Bloomsburg University Foundation for the campaign is a \$225,000 gift from the estate of Mary Taubel Rieder in memory of her mother, the late Mary Moore Taubel, who was an 1890 graduate of Bloomsburg Literary Institute and Normal School. A \$100,000 gift to the foundation was also made from the estate to be used for history scholarships in memory of Mary Moore Taubel.

"This success is the culmination of months of hard work from many, many

people," says Ianiero. "I want to recognize the alumni association, the students, parents, faculty, businesses and friends in the community. I also want to thank the Foundation Board for their outstanding commitment to the project.

"This library is an investment in the community of Bloomsburg and will serve as a vital resource for the students of the university as well as many people from the region," adds Ianiero.

National campaign chairperson  
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## WVIA chief to give commencement address

A. William Kelly, president of WVIA radio and television stations, will deliver the address for Bloomsburg University's 125th annual winter commencement on Saturday, Dec. 17.

Commencement will begin at 2:30 p.m. in Haas Center for the Arts on campus. Bloomsburg will confer 480 undergraduate and 66 graduate degrees at the ceremony. Dr. Curtis English, former interim president of Bloomsburg University, will be awarded an honorary doctorate.

Kelly began his life-long interest in radio at age 12 when he began broadcasting from his basement radio station. By ninth grade he was working at WTTC in Towanda and describing everything from Harry James' music to horse-pulling contests.

Today, Kelly is president of WVIA-

TV Channel 44, and WVIA FM 89.9, the region's public television and radio stations. Along the way, Kelly earned his bachelor's degree in English from Bloomsburg University. In 1988, he was named "Young Alumnus of the Year." In his commencement address, Kelly will discuss his own experiences at Bloomsburg University and talk about the passion that creates success.

Kelly's radio career spanned nine stations in Pennsylvania and New York, where he became known for his attention-getting public service projects. While at WARM in Scranton, his 25-mile Winter Walk for the March



A. William Kelly

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of Dimes raised more than \$25,000 to fight birth defects. Two years after the Hurricane Agnes flood, Kelly described the natural beauty of the river from a canoe in WARM's 100-mile "Great Canoe Expedition" down the Susquehanna River.

Kelly represents the state's seven public television stations as board member of the Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters. He has taught media courses at Bloomsburg University as an adjunct professor for many years.

At WVIA, Kelly is the station's chief executive officer and serves as executive producer of several programs, two of which were nominees for the prestigious IRIS Award of the National Association of Television Program Executives. He is executive producer of "The News Directors" and host of the station's monthly series, "State of Pennsylvania."

Kelly resides in Mountaintop with his wife Janice and their three children.

### COMMUNIQUÉ

A newsletter for Bloomsburg University faculty and staff, COMMUNIQUÉ publishes news of activities, events and developments at Bloomsburg University bi-weekly throughout the academic year.

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## LEAP awarded \$261,000 loan fund from Presbyterian Foundation

The Local Enterprise Assistance Project at Bloomsburg University has been awarded a \$261,000 loan fund contribution from the Presbyterian Foundation, U.S.A. Initial funding for the project was provided through grants from the Center for Rural Pennsylvania.

The Local Enterprise Assistance Project (LEAP) helps small businesses in Columbia County and the region to start and grow. So far, the project has aided in the establishment or strengthening of 25 small businesses, ranging from restaurants to a fitness center.

"With this fund, we will be able to lend funds to more small enterprises. Bloomsburg University will support their development through technical assistance and business training," says Pamela M. Wynn, professor of management and the project's director.

"This loan fund would not be available without the support of the local Presbytery, especially Rev. David Kingsley and his budget committee, Paul Reichart, president of the Columbia County Farmers National Bank, and Ed Edwards, executive director of the Bloomsburg Chamber of Commerce," Wynn said.

Wynn co-founded the LEAP program with Frank Lindenfeld, professor of sociology and social welfare. The LEAP program is an initiative of the Rural Enterprise Development Corporation, a regional non-profit intermediary.

LEAP has several components; a

micro loan program to provide access to credit, and technical assistance from Bloomsburg University students to help with business planning and problems. The business owners are also provided with formal business training classes in all of the various aspects of starting and running a business enterprise.

"The LEAP program has a tremendous success rate," says The Rev. David Kingsley, pastor of First Presbyterian Church in Bloomsburg. "The program is self monitoring, it teaches freedom and responsibility and it reaches individuals who would not qualify for other loans."

"I'm a firm believer that the small entrepreneur needs training," says Paul Reichart, president of Columbia County Farmers National Bank. "I have seen too many small businesses fail because the owners don't understand inventory or accounting or they don't have business plans."

The concept for the LEAP project originated with the Grameen Bank in Bangladesh. Borrowers are organized into groups of five to 10 members and discuss their business progress with one another at regular meetings. The group decides who receives the first loan and monitors repayment.

A public information meeting about LEAP services will be held on Thursday, Dec. 15, at 7 p.m. at the Columbia County Farmers National Bank in Lightstreet. For reservations, call 784-2522.

## Trathen named interim vice president

John J. Trathen has been named interim vice president for student life. The appointment was announced by President Jessica Kozloff.

The student life division includes residence life, student activities, financial aid, athletics, career development and counseling and human development.

Trathen will assume student life responsibilities on Dec. 23, following

the retirement of Jennie Carpenter. The university has undertaken a national search to find a permanent replacement for Carpenter. Kozloff indicated that "it is unlikely that Carpenter's permanent replacement will arrive on campus until after the spring semester has begun."

Trathen, who has worked at Bloomsburg since 1968, is director of student activities and the Kehr Union.



**FRONT VIEW**

The latest plans for the new library call for a long porch, reminiscent of Old Waller Hall, to be constructed along the front facade.

## Library campaign tops goal

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John Scrimgeour, faculty emeritus from Bloomsburg, isn't surprised at the success of the campaign.

"I think this campaign has been successful for a couple of reasons. One, the library is such an important facility," says Scrimgeour. "I also think that there are people from Bloomsburg, both graduates and people from the area, who have a good feeling about the school.

"This campaign has been an effort by many people, making many gifts. The response from alumni has been gratifying," adds Scrimgeour. "It's just gone very smoothly from the start."

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While the active fund-raising stage of the campaign has been completed, Susan Helwig, acting director of development, stresses that the campaign will continue for another two to three years while pledges are collected. "We've made the goal in pledges," says Helwig. "This campaign was successful because of thousands of gifts and pledges of all amounts. More than 5,000 alumni have contributed or pledged over \$1.6 million to the four-year campaign."

A larger library has been Bloomsburg's top priority capital project for many years. Since the current Harvey A. Andruss Library was constructed 27 years ago, enrollment at Bloomsburg has doubled.

The campaign began in the spring of 1993 in conjunction with Operation Jumpstart, announced by the governor in October, 1992. Under the program, the state would provide 75 percent of the funding for the project, while the university would raise 25 percent in private donations.

Bloomsburg was the first university to meet the governor's challenge by raising \$2.325 million in June.

Originally, the plans for the new library called for the construction of a four-story building with the top floor left unfinished for future expansion. In the fall of 1993, the Bloomsburg University Foundation voted to raise Bloomsburg's library campaign goal by \$1 million, to a total of \$3.375 million, so all floors of the 105,000 square-foot building could be finished. The total cost of the project, including the design cost and private and matching construction funds to meet the \$10.5 million construction cost, will exceed \$12.4 million.

The new four-story library will be located on the present site of the softball field, next to Waller Administration Building. Seating will increase from 387 reader stations to 1,219 while the stacks will hold more than 400,000 volumes. The Curriculum Materials Center collections and the University Archives resources will be again housed in the library, along with 35,000

bound periodicals and other materials currently in off-campus storage.

Construction of the library is anticipated to begin in June, 1995 and will take approximately 18 months to complete, according to Colin Reitmeyer, facility planner.

## A Treasury Of Ideas

### Library Campaign

Donations and pledges:

(As of Dec. 1)

Alumni — \$1,629,806

Parents — \$231,625

Employees — \$120,125

Students — \$1,125

Friends — \$394,437

Businesses and Corporations  
— \$93,911

Matching Businesses and Corp.  
— \$727,715

Organizations — \$202,522

Private Foundations — \$40,000

Projected Interest Income  
— \$65,000

**Total Gifts and Pledges**

**— \$3,510,265**

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## Campus notes

**Zahira S. Khan**, assistant professor of mathematics and computer science, recently presented a paper titled "Performance Comparison of a Hash-Join Algorithm on a SIMD and MIMD Architecture" at the IASTED International Conference on Parallel and Distributed Computing Systems in Washington, D.C. The paper was published in the conference proceedings. She presented the paper "Scalability of a Parallel Hashing Algorithm on a SIMD Machine" at the Seventh International Conference on Parallel and Distributed Systems in Las Vegas. At the Tenth Annual Eastern Small College Computing Conference in Rochester, N.Y., Khan presented "Programming Assignments in an Undergraduate Parallel Processing Course." The paper was published in a special issue of *The Journal of Computing in Small Colleges*. She made a poster presentation titled "Performance of the HiPPI in a Distributed Heterogeneous Supercomputing Environment" at the IEEE and ACM sponsored Supercomputing Conference in Washington, D.C.

**Chang Shub Roh** and **James H. Huber**, professors of sociology and social welfare, recently conducted a roundtable session on "Global Education and Social Science" at the 44th annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Sociology Society.

**Mark Jelinek**, assistant professor of music, recently guest-conducted the Festival Orchestra at the 11th Annual Weekend for Strings hosted by the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley. The orchestra consisted of the university's wind section and 85 high school string musicians selected by audition. Jelinek also recently debuted as artistic director with the Southwest Symphony in a performance in Hobbs, N.M.

**Donald A. Vannan**, professor emeritus of curriculum and foundations, has an article titled "Smelly Science" published in the November issue of *Elementary Teacher Ideas*. The article, which deals with odors, the nose, molecules, the olfactory bulb and brain identification, features a cut-out working model on how to identify odors.

**Wendy Lee-Lampshire**, assistant professor of philosophy, recently presented a paper titled "Wittgensteinian Visions: A Queer Context for a Situated Episteme" at the Sixth North American Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Studies Conference at the University of Iowa in Iowa City. She has a paper titled "Decisions of Identity: Feminist Subjects and Grammars of Sexuality" accepted for publication in *Hypatia*. A paper originally published in *Hypatia*, "Moral 'I': Feminist Subjects and Grammars of Self-Reference" will be translated into Swedish and reprinted in an anthology published by the Swedish journal *DOXA*, a volume due to appear this winter.



PHOTO BY JOAN HELFER

**AIDS DAY OBSERVANCE** — Twenty-five members of the university community gathered at a Candlelight vigil in the lobby in Carver Hall on Wednesday, Nov. 30, in observance of World AIDS Day. Shown from left are Dee Hranitz, nursing supervisor in the Student Health Center, Paul Kappel, residence director of Luzerne Hall, and Sister Anita McGowan from Catholic Campus Ministry. The observance of World AIDS Day also included a program Thursday, Dec. 1, in Gross Auditorium.

## Viewpoints

Viewpoints provides excerpts from a selection of stories about the university.

■ "Intellectually, people have heard the message, but I'm not sure they are practicing measures over and over the way they should."

— Dee Hranitz, nursing supervisor of the Health Center from *The Press Enterprise*, Dec. 1, story about AIDS Day observances at Bloomsburg.

■ *This business education teacher doesn't see instructing business courses as strictly lecturing. "Business students don't just learn, but they do actual work required in the workplace."*

— Bloomsburg alumna Chris Deromedi, a business teacher at Mount Carmel Area Junior-Senior High School in a story profiling her from *The Shamokin News-Item* on Nov. 21.

■ *That positive word-of-mouth advertising has meant rapid growth for SHARE.*

*Its 40 volunteers, part of the university's SOLVE program, may now help as many as 100 middle school students weekly with their studies after school, said guidance counselor Laura Davis.*

*"They really like it," Davis said. "I just had one student today who wanted to sign up and I had to say, 'Wait until January.'"*

— *The Press-Enterprise*, Nov. 30, in a story about Bloomsburg students volunteering as mentors at the Berwick Middle School and a scavenger hunt for the children at the university.

■ *"I was a part of all the distractions (facing young people)... But I kept my head, and I owe it all to my mother and father. They kept me focused."*

— Bloomsburg education student and football player Syheed Brooks in a profile from the *Philadelphia Daily News* on Nov. 29.

## Liaison program helps match library needs with resources

In order to help faculty and students make the most of the library's resources, the library has assigned reference librarians to serve as liaisons to specific academic departments.

"The function of the liaison is to inform the faculty of the services that may be appropriate to them or their students," says reference librarian Charles Lumpkins.

The reference librarian assigned to an academic area or department can help faculty find materials such as books, journals or databases related to their field. Questions about acquiring new materials should be directed to Aaron Polonsky.

"We decided in 1988 that we would begin to recruit reference librarians as subject specialists with the idea of being able to cover groups of disciplines with faculty librarians," says J. Daniel Vann, dean of library services. "Six years ago we brought in our first subject specialist. Our aim is that each liaison will have a graduate degree in

their subject area."

In general, the humanities are covered by Nancy Weyant; the social sciences by Charles Lumpkins; the sciences and health sciences by Anatole Scaun; and business areas by William Frost. Education disciplines will be covered by a new reference librarian scheduled to be hired this spring.

### Library holiday hours

Hours for the Harvey A. Andruss Library during the holiday season will be as follows:

Sunday, Dec. 18, closed; Monday, Dec. 19, to Friday, Dec. 23, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 24, to Monday, Jan. 2, closed; Jan. 3 to 16, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Saturday and Sunday closed.

Regular library hours will resume Jan. 17.

## Extended Programs plans trip to Italy

The School of Extended Programs is sponsoring a trip to Italy from March 10 to 18, 1995.

Tour director Anthony Sylvester, professor emeritus of history at Bloomsburg University, will host a one-day predeparture conference on Feb. 25 focusing on various aspects of modern Italian history, including the unification of Italy and Italian immigration to the United States.

The cost of the trip is \$1,175 per person based on double occupancy, and includes round trip airfare via Alitalia, seven nights of tourist class hotel accommodations with a private bath or shower and continental breakfast daily. There will be a half-day guided tour of Rome including stops at the Pantheon and St. Peter's Basilica and optional day excursions to Florence, Pompeii and Naples.

The trip is one in a series of tours of European countries sponsored by

Bloomsburg University which focuses on the experiences of immigrants to the United States.

For more information on the trip to Italy, call the university's School of Extended Programs at 4420.

## Alumni elected to political offices

Three Bloomsburg alumni were elected to political office in Pennsylvania during the November elections.

Mark S. Schweiker, class of 1975, was elected lieutenant governor.

Tim Holden of St. Clair, class of 1980, was elected to the U.S. House of Representatives.

Phyllis B. Mundy of Kingston, class of 1970, was reelected as state representative for the 121st District in the Kingston area of Luzerne County.

## Bloomsburg University Crime Report Prepared by the University Police

November 1994

Offenses	Reported to or by University Police	Arrests Made or Incidents Cleared by Other Means
Homicide	0	0
Focible Rape	0	0
Robbery	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0
Simple Assault	0	0
Burglary	0	0
Larceny totals	7	0
Book (Bag) Theft	1	0
Theft from Buildings	4	0
Theft from Vehicles	2	0
Theft from Grounds	0	0
Retail Theft	0	0
Bicycle Theft	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0
Arson	0	0
Forgery	0	0
Fraud	0	0
Embezzlement	0	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0
Vandalism	4	0
Weapons Possession	0	0
Prostitution	0	0
Sex Offense Totals	0	0
Agg. Indecent Assault	0	0
Indecent Assault	0	0
Indecent Exposure	0	0
Open Lewdness	0	0
Drug Abuse Violations	2	0
Gambling	0	0
Off. Against Family	0	0
D.U.I.	0	0
Liquor Laws	0	0
Drunkenness	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	6	3
Disorderly Conduct with Drug Violations	0	0
Vagrancy	0	0
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	1	3

This report reflects only incidents which occur on university property. It does not include incidents in the Town of Bloomsburg.

**Safety Tip:** While many university employees and students are taking advantage of the excellent facilities at the university to remain, or become, physically fit. Because of thefts in the locker rooms, university police recommend that you do not place anything of value in the gymnasium lockers.

# Calendar

## CONCERTS

### Chamber Singers Banquet-Concert,

Saturday, Dec. 10, 7:30 pm, Kehr Union, Ballroom. Annual theme presentation by the Singers with dinner. Tickets required; call 4284 for information.

## ART EXHIBITS

**Shawn Paris**, installation, "Galactic Visions," through Dec. 17, Haas Center for the Arts.

**Carol Burns**, crafts, through Dec. 15, Haas Center for the Arts, outer gallery.

## Holiday food drive runs Dec. 12-16

The university will hold a holiday food drive Monday, Dec. 12, through Friday, Dec. 16. Canned or processed food will be accepted and contributions of S&H Green Stamps will be used to buy holiday turkeys at Weis Markets.

The food will be distributed to several social agencies in the area so deserving families receive it. Donors may designate a family to receive the food.

The food may be dropped off at the following locations: Andruss Library, employee lounge; Bakeless Center, English department; Ben Franklin Hall, room 11; Carver Hall, lobby; Elwell Hall, G-45; Haas Center, room 114; Hartline Science Center, room 125; Luzerne Hall, academic support services office; Maintenance Center, lobby; McCormick Center, room 1132; Navy Hall, room 101; Nelson Field House, room 238; Old Science Hall, room 103, history department; Sutliff Hall, faculty/staff lounge; Waller Administration Building, APSCUF office or switchboard.

For more information, contact Audra Halye at 4023, Bonita Rhone at 4038 or Bob Wislock at 4414.

## CELEBRITY ARTIST SERIES

All performances are at 8 pm in Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall. Call 4409 for information.

**Epic Brass**, Friday, Dec. 9. Community activities ticket pickup begins Nov. 28.

**Minnesota Orchestra**, André Watts, soloist, pianist, Friday, Jan. 20.

**The Barber of Seville**, New York City Opera National Touring Company, Friday, Jan. 27.

**Ballet Theatre de Bordeaux**, Saturday, Feb. 18.

## FILMS

**Clear and Present Danger**, Saturday, Dec. 10, 7 pm and 9:30 pm, Sunday, Dec. 11, 7 pm, Haas Center.

## MISCELLANY

**Classes End** Saturday, Dec. 10. Sunday, Dec. 11, is a reading day.

**Final Exams** begin Monday, Dec. 12, and end Saturday, Dec. 17.

**Winter Commencement** is Saturday, Dec. 17.

**Spring semester** begins Monday, Jan. 16, with Martin Luther King Day. Spring classes begin Tuesday, Jan. 17, at 8 am.

## LECTURES

**AIDS — Where's the Moral Dilemma?**, Values and Visions Forum, Thursday, Dec. 8, 8 pm, Kehr Union, Multipurpose Room B.

# Campus notes

**Lawrence B. Fuller**, professor of English, has written three articles in the recently published *Beacham's Guide to Literature for Young Adults*, (volumes 6-8). Books discussed in the articles are Raija Nieminen's *Voyage to the Island*, Deborah Savage's *A Rumour of Otters* and Sandra Scoppettone's *Playing Murder*. In each article, Fuller provides biographical background about the author, a critical overview of the work, topics for discussion, suggestions for student projects and a bibliography. Fuller also has an article on "Critical Viewing" included in the recently published *Encyclopedia of English Studies and Language Arts*. Fuller's essay discusses ways to encourage students to analyze visual images ranging from still photographs to commercial films.

Exercise science and adult fitness faculty and graduate students recently presented three papers at the Mid-Atlantic Regional Chapter of the American College of Sports Medicine meeting in Lancaster. **William Shearn** of Girardville presented a paper titled "Physiological Responses of College-Aged Sedentary African-American Females to a Bout of Acute Exercise." Coauthors were **Leon Szmedra** and **Swapan Mookerjee**, assis-

tant professor of exercise physiology, and students **John Bolesta** of Edwardsville and **Nichole Weber** of Middleburg. **Kelly Detering** of Danville presented a paper titled "Percent Body Fat, Weight and Age as Predictors of Race Time in Recreational Runner." Coauthors were Mookerjee, Szmedra and students **Jennifer Schweiser** of Bloomsburg, **Laurie Davis** of New York City, **Tina Snyder** of Muncy and Shearn. **Nick Ratamess** of Berwick presented a paper titled "Predictors of Race Performance in Male and Female Recreational Runners." Coauthors were Mookerjee and Szmedra, and students Shearn, Detering and **Jean Simon** of Danville.

**Kara Shultz**, assistant professor of communication studies, recently presented two papers at the 80th annual meeting of the Speech Communication Association in New Orleans. The papers were titled "Silence and Voice: Listening to Feminist Theory as One Might Listen to the Piano" and "Should We Laugh or Cry?: John Callahan's Humor as a Tool to Change Societal Attitudes Toward the Physically Handicapped." The second paper was coauthored with Darla Germeroth of the University of Scranton.