

Vice President Scott calls for new look at unit fee structure

By CLAUDIA PIRAS
and TERRY SPENCER
TM Editors

Enrollment is down 7 1/2% at Cerritos College compared to this time last year, and Vice-president of Instruction Olive Scott is calling on the legislature to reconsider the current fee structure.

Some 18,498 students have enrolled, compared to 19,998 in the Fall Semester last year.

Enrollment at neighboring districts has also fallen, with Los Angeles City losing 15% and Long Beach City dropping 10%.

Scott feels that one of the prime reasons for the decrease is the jump from \$25 for a student who is taking five units, to \$50 for those taking six units or more.

"Many of our part-time students take two, three unit classes. I was hanging around registration quite a lot this time," Scott said, "and you hear students saying that 'I'm only going to take one course this time.'"

Scott also felt that the current fee structure was part of a general philosophy by the state to lower enrollment at the community colleges.

"They've been trying to cut back on enrollment at community colleges because they thought that we were growing out of bounds."

She added that "It's just the student who's made a career out of being a student that we want to discourage from coming to the community college all of the time."

With the five unit cut-off, Scott also feels that students who want to take two courses are being penalized.

"Historically, community college courses are three units, so we're making them settle for three or go to nine or 12 units in order to get their moneys worth."

It's the big jump from three units to six that has caused the problem....

"I'm sure the community colleges are going to jump on this," she said, "and talk to their local legislators".

Scott adds that the role of community colleges is to be comprehensive, and that the transfer function is as strong as ever.

The other curriculums of vocational, A.A., and adult education are expected to also continue at their present pace.

Because of low budget increases, it's been impossible to offer faculty increases in pay, which may cause a problem since faculty might be lured to higher paying four year institutions.

"At the moment, our salaries are pretty comparable from community colleges to state colleges, and in some cases even better."

"As I see it, our big problem is going to come in keeping our faculty updated with the new technology that's just over the horizon."

The legislature's move to recap the Average Daily Attendance (ADA),

which is the method by which the state funds community colleges, based on the 1981-82 enrollment, has caused Scott to believe that the philosophy of the community colleges is one of keeping the students moving through the process with a goal in mind and completing that goal within a reasonable time.

Scott does not expect this year's drop in enrollment to cause substantial cutbacks in next year's funding or courses.

"I don't see Cerritos College dropping too much, at least not based on enrollment this fall."

"We're down a little, but we've always run a cost-effective program, so if we don't drop dramatically, I think we can adjust."



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Parking lot attack spurs suspension

By MARK TODD
TM Campus Editor

A 23-year old male student faces an expulsion hearing Wednesday, Sept. 12, following his arrest in a parking lot fracas.

Kenneth Jones has been temporarily suspended and charged with "repeatedly striking about the face a fellow female student and subsequently battering her head against her vehicle."

The ruckus ensued over an argument for a parking stall on Aug. 27 around 10:30 a.m., according to police reports.

The victim's car windshield was broken in the melee.

An anonymous caller reported the incident to Campus Security. L.A. County Sheriff's Department transported Jones to the Norwalk division where he was booked on a felony assault and subsequently released on bail.

The woman suffered "minor abrasions and contusions and a possible sprain," according to reports.

She is currently attending classes. Jones was immediately suspended, pending expulsion, under Board Policy 4050 which lists four causes for such action.

These include 1) Abuse of any person on college owned or controlled property; 2) Assault, battery or any threat of force or violence upon a student; 3) Abusive behavior directed toward a member of the college community; 4) Willful damage to property in the possession of a member of the college community.

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ASCC elections kick off tomorrow



COOLING WATER — Enterprising students find way to beat heat in Student Center fountain.

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33 open seats in Senate run

By TERRY SPENCER
TM Editor-in-Chief

ASCC Senate elections open tomorrow, while ASCC President Fred Regan has nominated his cabinet for the coming year.

The deadline to file as a candidate for the election had not passed at presstime, but as of 4 p.m. Thursday only 19 people had filed for the 33 or 34 seats that will be available.

Student government officials were awaiting final enrollment figures in order to determine how many seats will be contested.

The number of senators is determined by adding one seat for every 500 full-time students over 4,000, onto the minimum number of seats, which is 30.

Polling Booths Hours today & tomorrow
8:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.; 6 - 9 p.m.

Of the candidates who had announced by presstime, four clubs were represented, along with several independents.

Traditional ASCC Senate power, the Latter-Day Saints Student Association (LDSSA), was the only group to have yet filed a full slate of 10 candidates.

The candidates representing LDSSA include David Mittleman, who served in last year's senate and was an unsuccessful candidate against Regan in last spring's Presidential Election, Elizabeth Fonti, Kameron Johnson, William Ahern, Richard Brunner, George Sims, Jeffery Asbell, Derek Spence, Phillip Conley, and Gary Reynolds.

Circle K had entered three candidates: Kathleen Sutton, Jeff Mitchellcraft, and Helen Jakob.

Alpha Phi Beta and Alpha Gamma Sigma are each represented by one candidate each: J.B. Quick and Paul Moore respectively.

Independent candidates include Hector Monseratte, Tina Smets, Barbara Medina, and Robbie Diaz. Full slates from VICA/Cosmetology and Athletics are expected, along with individual candidates from other clubs and organizations.

In announcing his cabinet selections, Regan felt that his biggest accomplishment was that he was able to balance his choices between men and women, and among different age groups.

"We tried to choose a group of what we consider intelligent people," Regan said.

"We didn't choose two people from the same club or organization, and we have both males and females, and people of all age groups."

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ACADEMIC RETIREMENTS, CHANGES

New faculty, counselors join staff

By JENNIFER KNOX
TM Features Editor

Eight new faculty members and three new counselors have been added to the Cerritos College roster this fall.

Six divisions, including Liberal Arts, Technology, Science/Engineering and Math, Business, Fine Arts/Communication, and Counseling have introduced new personnel.

Data Processing instructor Margaret Hohly and Accounting instructor Kepner Kieffer were both approved by the Board of Trustees in April, and have taken positions in the Business Division. Dr. Lee Westefin, former Assistant Dean of Business, is resuming her teaching position in the Marketing/Management/Business program.

The Fine Arts/Communications Division has added Theatre Professor

William Schreiner, replacing Dr. Lee Korf who retired at the end of the 1982-83 school year.

English professors Beverly C. Kimmel and Loretta Scott of the Liberal Arts division replaced William Bonnycastle and Jack Lackman, who both retired last spring. Dr. Donald Karvelis, formerly of Community Services, has returned to the classroom and is teaching history.

Math teacher Lorraine Edison was approved by the Board in March.

Papa Doo's do it here on Sept. 18

Papa Doo Ru Run will be the featured group at the semester's first Noon Concert, which will be held Sept. 18, at 11 a.m. in the Student Center.

The concert is sponsored by the ASCC and is free with your student body card.

to partially replace the late George McMahon, while Chemistry teacher Dr. Mervat Zewail replaced Dr. Dorris Baxter who retired last spring. Both instructors are from the Science/Engineering and Math Division.

Electronics instructor Clair Gene Lazor has replaced Edwin Dunkin who retired last spring from the Technology Division.

Counselors Joyce Ricci and Lisa Sugimoto replaced Dr. Robert Bos, who retired last spring and Patricia Sova, who resigned last spring. Helen Beykirch has replaced Wayne Rew, who began his position as Associate Dean on August 15.

Reading Professor Alice Smith from Leeward Community College of Pearl City, Hawaii has exchanged positions with Cerritos instructor Dr. William Broderick for the 1984-85 school year.

Club Info Night to promote membership; free dinner set

By MONA MENDOZA
Staff Writer

Club Information Night, sponsored by Inter Club Council (ICC) will be held September 13, at 7 p.m. in the Student Center.

A free lasagna dinner will be available to students with a current ASCC card.

The program will start at about 7:30 p.m. Information will be provided on the various clubs and organizations on campus.

Representatives will be in attendance to answer any questions and to discuss club opportunities.

"It serves a dual purpose," said ICC Commissioner Sammi Ramirez, "it promotes membership and allows students to socialize amongst themselves."

A slide show, presented by Mrs. Pat Regan, will highlight events during the school year.

"All clubs on campus are urged to

attend and seize the opportunity to publicize themselves," said Ramirez. Door prizes and free soft drinks will be provided.

First Fall Co-Rec on Sunday night

By STELLA AGUILAR
TM Staff Writer

This semester's first Co-Rec night will be held Sept. 16 between 6:30 - 9:30 in the Cerritos College gym.

Volleyball, basketball and racquetball are some of the sports featured.

Door prizes and points will be given to winners of individual and team events.

Free refreshments will be available during the sport events.

There is no admission charge but individuals will be required to have a valid Id sticker to either watch or be involved in the sport events.

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ANIDATES CORNER

ASCC Senate candidates list their credentials and goals, in an attempt to win your vote.

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New conference for football team will feature three of last year's national top 10.

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Current heat wave has Columnist Jennifer Knox seeing the 'bare' facts about cooling.

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CLUB BOOTH DAY BUSTLES

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AND MIKE ROBSON

SENATE CANDIDATES

SHELLY MATTRICK Age 18

Freshman
City: Long Beach
Affiliation: Independent
Clubs: Ski Club, Scuba Club, FBIA
Student Government Experience:
NONE

Statement: Leaders are to guide, not dominate. It takes much time, effort and mostly compromise by the students to make a change for the better. I will help guide, but I can only do this with your help. I am only one person, but what if you helped out, there could be hundreds.

PAUL MOORE Age 26

Sophomore
City: Downey
Affiliation: Alpha Gamma Sigma
Student Government Experience:
NONE

Statement: I believe that an active student body is the secret to continuing the tradition of high quality education, student activities, and sports here at Cerritos College. All these areas are important to achieve an atmosphere of school spirit that makes Cerritos the best possible place to get an education. If I am elected to the ASCC Senate, I would encourage all students to become more active in school activities, and I would work for increased support for the organizations on campus that make Cerritos College the best school in Southern California.

HECTOR MONSERRATTE

Age 18

Freshman
City: Cerritos
Affiliation: Independent
Clubs: ICC
Student Government Experience: Associated Student Body President at Cerritos High, Junior Class President, Sophomore Class Vice-President, Homeroom Representative, Student Board of Education Representative, Attended State Conventions in Sacramento, San Francisco, and Santa Barbara, CASC member, CSBA member, Leadership Conference planning committee for two years, International Club Executive

Statement: I feel that it's very important for students to voice their opinions on which relate to them. That is one of my reasons for running for ASCC Senate. I believe if you want something changed, you need to speak out and do something about it. If I am elected to Senate I am not going to promise anything, the only thing I will promise is to do my best as Senator. It's up to you, to make the decision.

DEREK SPENCE Age 21

Sophomore
City: La Mirada
Affiliation: LDSSA
Clubs: LDSSA
Student Government Experience: Political Advisor for Independent High School Newspaper
Statement: I hope to prepare my fellow students with career goals and objectives.

RICHARD BRUNNER Age 21

Freshman
Affiliation: LDSSA
Clubs: LDSSA
Student Government Experience:
NONE

Statement: It is our duty (as students) to see to it that the money set apart for our students is put back for the students, evenly. Along with my fellow Senators from LDSSA we know better how to serve you.

ELIZABETH FONTI Age 18

Freshman
Affiliation: LDSSA
Clubs: LDSSA
Student Government Experience:
NONE

Statement: I Elizabeth will do my best to bring unity to the students of Cerritos College.

JEFF MITCHELLCRAFT Age 20

Sophomore
City: Bellflower
Affiliation: Circle K
Clubs: Circle K
Student Government Experience:
NONE

Statement: I plan on doing the best job humanly possible to represent the students of Cerritos College and to make sure their voice is heard.

HELEN JACOB Age 21

Sophomore
Affiliation: Circle K
Clubs: Circle K, Homecoming committee, awards committee, ICC rep, ICC Commissioner-service, accreditation committee
Student Government Experience:
NONE

Statement: The future of Cerritos College is in the hands of the students. So as a student I believe my experience and knowledge will be a benefit to the student government and this college as a whole.

I feel I will be able to work well with the incoming Senate members, and I hope to accomplish much and be a voice for all of the students at Cerritos.

KATHLEEN SUTTON Age 20

City: Long Beach
Affiliation: Circle K
Clubs: Circle K, HSCC, Beautification committee, Safety committee
Student Government Experience:
NONE

Statement: The position of a Student Body Senator is a very demanding job, that I am willing and ready to undertake. With the incoming Senators, I believe we can work together as a team, to make Cerritos College Student Body a more enjoyable and smoother running campus for all (full-time and part-time) students.

BARBERA MEDINA Age 18

Freshman
Affiliation: Independent
Clubs: Keywanettes, Prep Club, "The Club", dance committees
Student Government Experience: Frosh President, Sophomore Representative, Junior Secretary, Senior Representative
Statement: I will do my best to promote spirit and to help in any way. I will dedicate my time to fulfill the duties of the Senate. I feel that my leadership ability and enthusiasm will help benefit student government.

TINA SMETS Age 17

Freshman
Affiliation: Independent
Clubs: CSF, Spanish Club, dance committee
Student Government Experience: Jr. class rep, Sr. class secretary
Statement: If elected to the Student Body Senate, I will do my best to fulfill all my duties and promote school spirit and activities. With my leadership abilities I feel I am fully qualified to accomplish these duties. I do not give up very easily and my enthusiasm I would be an asset to Student government.

TALON MARKS presentation of these candidate statements does not constitute an endorsement of these or any other candidates.
All candidates were given an equal opportunity to file their statements; however only those that were received by our announced deadline are enclosed here-in.

The Editor

Faculty Senate looking at 100% sabbatical leave plan

BY SARAH HILL
TM News Editor

The Faculty Senate is expected to call for a 100% salary for a sabbatical leave after the 10th year.

The sabbatical leave of absence is a program set up for intellectual refreshment, usually obtained by study, research, travel, work experience or other creative activity.

Its main objective is the enhancement of service to the college.

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The hearing committee will consist of two members from the faculty, two students, and one member of the administration.

Under college policy, Jones will have the option of either having a public or private hearing.

A final ruling on expulsion or suspension will be made by the Board of Trustees.

A woman was arrested in a parking lot clash two years ago for attacking a male student with a tire iron in a parking space dispute.

YD's go active

By DARLINE BROWN
TM Staff Writer

The campus Young Democrats (YD's) club is becoming active for the 1984 presidential election.

Robert Martin is president, with John Barr serving as vice-president.

The club has been actively recruiting, along with campaigning to get students to register to vote.

Monday, Sept. 3, the YD's attended a Walter Mondale and Geraldine Ferraro rally at the Long Beach Airport.

Rally speakers included Lt. Governor Leo McCarthy, state Attorney General John Van de Kamp, California Secretary of State March Fong Eu, and former Governor Jerry Brown.

The leave of absence is granted by the Board of Trustees.

An applicant for sabbatical must be a certified employee of the Cerritos College Community District for at least 6 consecutive years immediately preceding the leave time.

The current policy offers 70% of salary for a semester or a school year leave.

Faculty with Board approved leaves for this school year include Roger Holland, Dr. Donald Desfor, Dr. Frank Bock (Fall 1984 only), Dr. Hugh Wilkoff (spring 1985 only), Scott Henderson, and Joan Walker.

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Each cabinet member must be confirmed by the senate at its first meeting on Sept. 19.

The commissioner-designates are: Records and Information- Janet Smith; Finance and Budget- Wendy Myers; ICC- Sammi Ramirez; Public Relations- Greg Lamphear; Activities- Elizabeth Rios; Athletics- Amy Skibel; Communication and Fine Arts- Vincent Pena; Student Services- John Husek; Extended Day- Mike Styles; Financial Aid- Belinda Rouse; Handicapped Students- Rod Thomas.

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Tough football team ready for tough league

By JOHN VAN GASTON
TM Sports Editor

'The Pac-9 is easily the toughest conference in the country,' states Head Football Coach Frank Mazzotta, as his Falcons prepare to take on a Scottsdale, Arizona team Sept. 22.

There are a few faces missing on this year's squad. For example, defensive lineman Guy Teafatiller, the JC All-Everything last year, has moved to the University of Illinois.

Also at Illinois is last year's leading rusher Jackie Johnson.

Quarterback Steve Steenwyk has gone up north to Oregon State, and the entire offensive line has graduated.

One would tend to think Coach Mazzotta is a bit worried about his offense, but Mazzotta states, 'I think we are better off, because we have a bigger offensive line than last year's.

The key is how fast they can mature on the field.' When you think of the Cerritos Falcon offense, the first name to come to mind is wide receiver Wendell Peoples.

'Wendell is the most highly recruited wide receiver in the country,' says Mazzotta.

He was not always such a good pass catcher. According to Mazzotta, 'When Wendell first got here, he couldn't even catch a cold. But, he practiced harder than anyone on the field. At first he (Peoples) didn't think he could catch the ball. He now knows that his success has come from hard work.'

Returning to the tight end position is 6-4 235 Tony Bevaqua.

At the quarterback position will be returning letterman Andy Movsesian.

Coach Mazzotta plans on passing the ball 50% of the time, which means a Movsesian to Peoples combination could be interesting.

Mazzotta gets his offensive scheme from former Cerritos College football player and current Washington Redskins football coach Joe Gibbs.

'We do all the things they (Redskins) do. Every play has a Redskins flavor to it. We are going to use a one-back offense (a la John Riggins).'

Rounding out the offense is returning kicker Robert Barone.

'Robert Barone is the best kicker we have ever had at Cerritos,' states Mazzotta. 'Robert will also be handling the punting this year too.'

The Falcon defensive backs return intact with Scott McClure, Freddie

Payton, Greg Williamson, Sidney Johnson and Gerg Rhea.

Mazzotta considers the secondary to be the 'highlight of our defense.'

Trying to fill the shoes of Teafatiller will be returning letterman Brian Espinosa.

Also returning to the defensive line will be Bob Antee and Collis Brazil.

Returning at the linebacker position will be Rich Shoenberger and Jon McMaster.

Mazzotta states that, 'The defense will be good this year. We have the players who can fill up the gaps from the graduating players. We have the kids to fill the position we couldn't last year.'

With such a tough conference facing Mazzotta and his players, depth will have to be a must, in order to endure the rigorous schedule.

'The key to the league is depth,' said Mazzotta. The team that can stay healthy will win it (conference).

If any team goes undefeated, they have to be considered one of the best teams ever to play the game.'

'The team that wins the league will have at least two losses.'

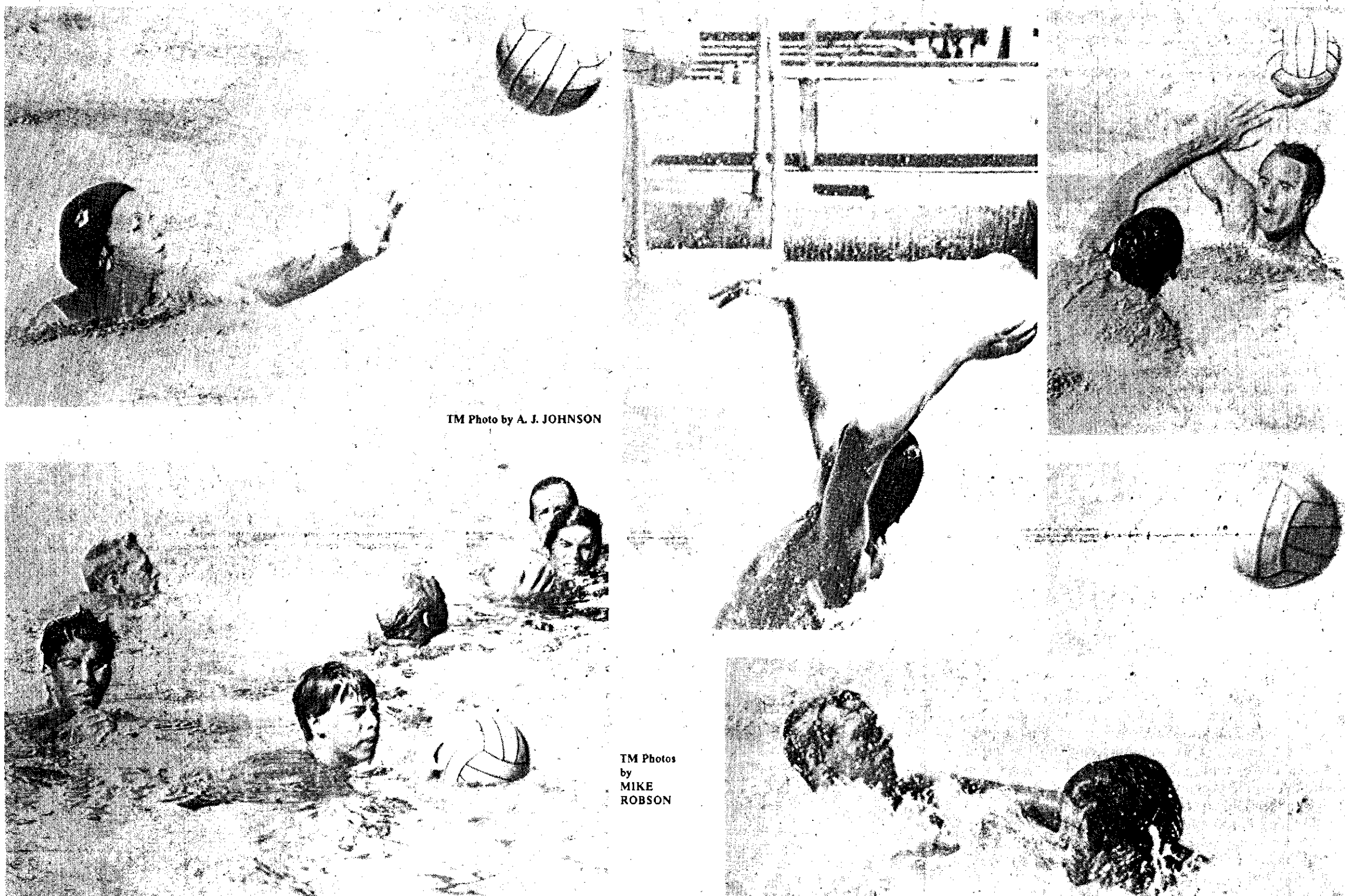
'One poll has us picked fifth in the conference, and ninth in the country.'

'Who knows, the ninth place team in the league could be rated as the ninth best in the state.'

Mazzotta considers Fullerton, last year's State and National Champion to be the team to beat.

The Falcons lock horns with the Hornets on Sept. 29, here at Cerritos.

Water polo workouts



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Fall Soccer squad shows promise

By ANSELMO PEREZ
TM Staff Writer

With ten players returning, the Cerritos College soccer team hopes to do better than their third place showing last year.

Robert Flores, head coach for the last two years, is glad that they have a big return of last year's players.

Two of the returning starters are Enrique Andrade and Miguel Lomeli.

Coach Flores is confident that his team will do well, but confesses that Santa Ana and Orange Coast will be the teams to beat in the South Coast Conference.

He also admits that the Falcons have not been a major force in the SCC.

Flores puts his team through a lot of conditioning drills and running. He teaches them to keep the ball moving

at all times and passing from one player to another.

The Falcons start the pre-season Sept. 11 against Long Beach on the soccer field just behind the Weight Room at 3 p.m.

The pre-season will run through till Oct. 2, when they play the Cal State Fullerton JV's.

The team will start the regular season on Oct. 5 here against Fullerton at 3:00.

Water polo faces building season

Inexperience.

That is what this year's Falcon water polo team is filled with, as they start the season Sept. 10, with only two returning players.

According to Coach Pat Tyne, 'They are all inexperienced. We'll just have to wait and see.'

Tyne also stated that there will be some roster changes before the season opener at Cal Tech.

Tyne has not had much of a chance to evaluate his team's potential, as they have only been practicing for about two weeks.

It may be a long season for Tyne and his team, because they are regarded as having one of the toughest schedules in the state.

Fresno opener for X-country this Saturday

By JOHN VAN GASTON
TM Sports Editor

With no returning letterman on this year's men's cross country team, the outlook could be on the dark side.

The Falcon team is still regarded as one to be reckoned with, but as Coach Dave Kamanski puts it, 'The South Coast Conference has always been one of the toughest in the state.'

Heading this year's team will be Melchor Lopez, who was the Conference Champion at La Serna.

Also regarded as top prospects are David Rivera (Huntington Park), and Abe Vaughese (Bellflower).

Returning after a two year hiatus is Robert Awona.

Kamanski will need consistent performances from his 'all freshman' team to improve on their fourth place (4-3) dual meet finish last year.

At last year's all-conference meet, the Falcons finished a distant fifth to champion Orange Coast.

The Falcons open the season Saturday Sept. 15 when they travel to the Fresno Invitational.

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The need to know

Two acts of violence have involved students on campus within the last two weeks.

One was an attempted rape.

We thought you should know that.

Somebody apparently doesn't agree with us.

The first attack occurred in the parking lot. A male student felt that a woman had cut him off as they both sought the same parking place. He responded by beating her senseless.

Reportedly, several other students saw the attack.

Reportedly, they did nothing.

The man was arrested and word is he was bailed out.

His victim is recovering from her bruises and cuts.

Details of the second attack are even sketchier. We have it from "reliable sources" that there was an attempted rape on campus. At this time, that's about all we know.

We did considerable leg work. We went through the proper channels. Yet somebody, someplace, decided that we — and therefore you — didn't need to know this information.

Our goal wasn't to sensationalize what occurred, but to inform you...so that you could make intelligent decisions to ensure your own safety.

We thought you should know that.

Remembering...

We forgot.

You probably did too.

We had intended to include an editorial last issue commending the American labor force and suggesting that we all take a few minutes out of your picnic or barbecue to remember the contributions that the working man and woman have made to this country.

But we didn't.

We're probably not alone in the lapse.

Labor Day should be one of our most personal of national holidays.

The religious holidays of Christmas, Thanksgiving, and Easter are about ideals, as is the Fourth of July.

Few of us knew personally the war heroes that we salute on Memorial Day, and we have only read of Lincoln and Washington.

But we all know the American Laborer.

He is hard working, he is able, and given the right tools and environment, can out-perform any of his foreign counterparts.

But mostly, he is us.

Let's not forget that.

Unkindest cut-off

The drop in enrollment at California's Community College's has been caused by many reasons.

The early calendar, implementation of tuition, and a drop in the unemployment rate, all have taken their toll.

But the chief reason is the structure of the tuition.

Many part-time students have in the past taken two, three unit classes. That was especially true of night students, who by taking two classes a semester could finish their A.A. in 3-5 years, while maintaining their commitments to their jobs and families.

The jump of \$35 from one class to two classes may be prohibitive for someone on a limited budget.

We urge the Board of Trustees to contact our local legislators and suggest that a change in the fee structure is in order.

A more equitable plan would call for a \$5 per unit fee, with a \$50 maximum. This would enable all students to take the classes that they need, without putting an unreasonable or unfair financial burden upon anyone.

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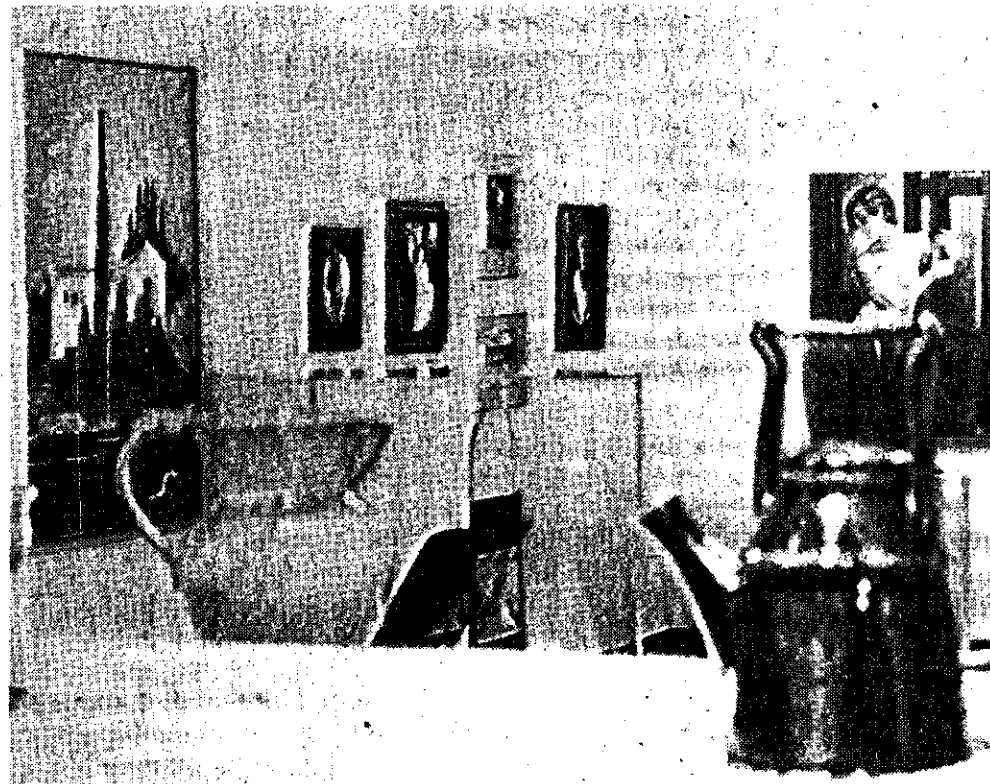
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Faculty art on exhibit



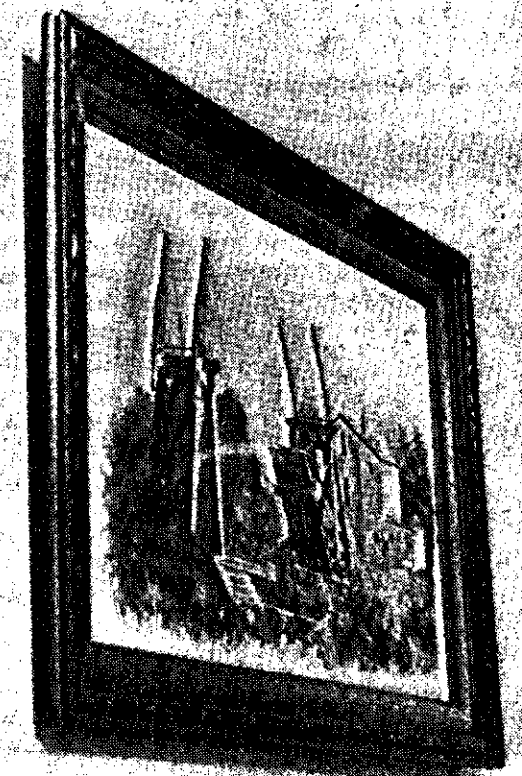
By MELISSA HERNANDEZ
TM Fine Arts Editor

Sept. 4 marked the beginning of the Annual Faculty Art Exhibition of the Cerritos College Fine Arts and Communications Division. The show is scheduled to run through Sept. 20 in the Art Gallery.

Says ceramics instructor Wilbur Fenner, "Art is a many-splendored thing." Indeed, there is a wide variety of art on display, including oil paintings, photographs, drawings, water colors, ink and charcoal drawings, ceramics, calligraphy, and wood carvings.

Submitting faculty members are Rudolph Aquirre, George Deremo, Manuel De Leon, James Nastasia, Stephen L. Berens, Joan Salinger, Elizabeth Kenneday, Cynthia Kastan, Jay Stoegbauer, Larry Klepper, Joseph Girtner, Wilbur Fenner, Larry Brady, Marsha Brady, and Michael R. Coppenger.

Students and staff are encouraged to come by and take a look at the exhibition.



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Office offers health services for students

By Connie Sager
TM Staff Writer

As head of the Student Health Service, Registered Nurse Shirley Jankowski is the picture of a contented individual.

She likes her job, the people she works with, her family and her home in Long Beach.

Hailing from Boston, Massachusetts, Jankowski carries a subtle New England accent. She moved to California 19 years ago, where her husband John began a new career as an officer for the Long Beach Police Department.

Jankowski worked in hemodialysis at the Doctors' Hospital in Lakewood before taking on her position here 10 years ago.

"The primary focus of the Student Health Service," she points out, "is on health education and intervention. If a student is having a health problem or abnormal symptoms, they can come here. We will evaluate the problem then refer them to the appropriate agency for treatment."

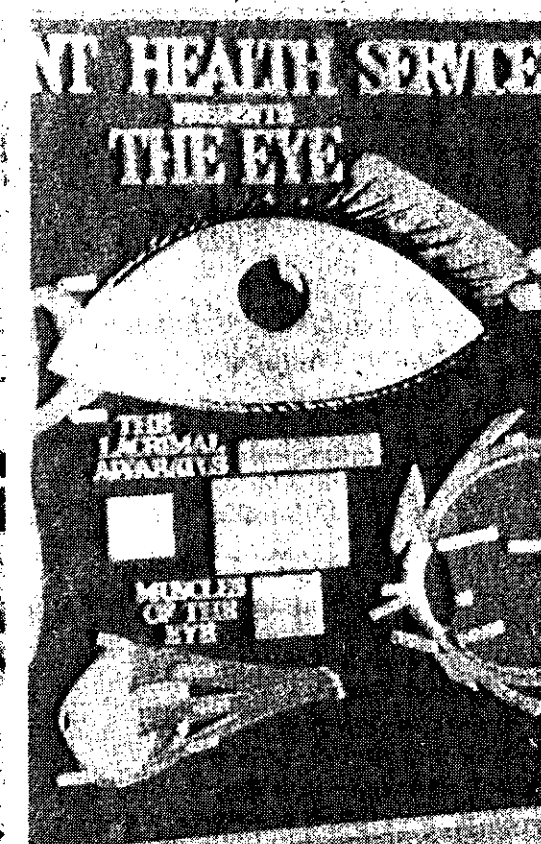
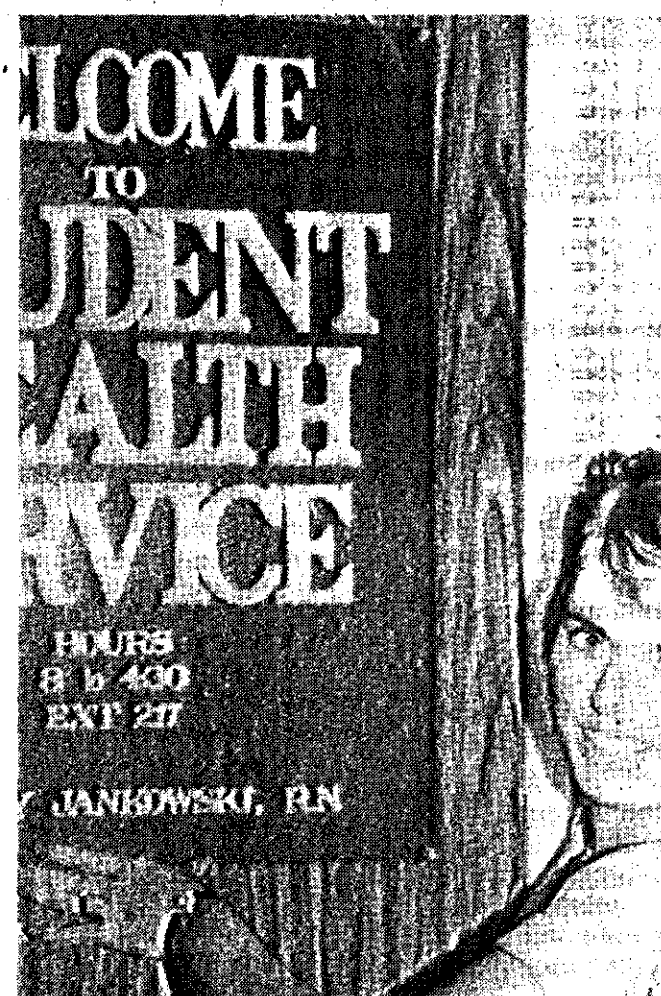
Other aids available in the Student Health Service include a broad range of literature dealing with a variety of health concerns, confidential health counseling, diet workshops, first aid and emergency care and a blood pressure clinic.

When she's not working Jankowski enjoys ice skating and playing the piano to relax.

"Playing the piano," she claims, "takes my mind off things and allows me to wind down."

"What I like most about being here," Jankowski comments, "is working with the students and getting to know people from the different departments. By now I'm getting a real feel for the campus."

Students can get acquainted with Jankowski and take advantage of the Student Health Service program located in the Learning Resources Center between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.



CAMPUS NURSE — One of RN Shirley Jankowski's main duties is in health education and awareness.

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BARE FACTS OF THE MATTER

Middle of the road heat solution

By JENNIFER KNOX

Labor Day marked the end of summer, but I think someone forgot to tell the sun.

It's been hotter than you-know-where lately, 24 hours a day. Daytime temps have been sweltering into the 100's, while nights offer little relief, with the mercury hovering somewhere around 80 degrees.

Beating the heat is no easy game. I find myself dreading the end of even my least favorite classes. I know that when the lecture ends, so does the cool comfort. I leave class only to be fried in a car which has black upholstery and an air conditioner

which hasn't worked for about a decade.

When and if I arrive home, I'd turn on my air conditioner. But since I don't own one of these handy little contraptions (nor could I afford to run it even if I did), I resort to my trusty fan. If it weren't for this inexpensive little miracle appliance, I am sure that I would have melted by now.

When temperatures get beyond about 90 degrees and the little fan just doesn't cut it, I find the the market an effective solution. I usually hit the frozen food section and camp out until the store manager asks me to leave.

And since there is so many grocery

stores in the area, it's a never-fail method of cooling off.

I've seen other folks take varied approaches to beating the heat. Some people have resorted to wearing little or no clothing, like one gentleman I observed in the middle of the street a few evenings ago. Apparently, he didn't own a fan and the market was closed, so he decided to get naked out on Alondra and Norwalk Blvds. He wasn't completely nude of course. He had his shoes and socks on. I guess he didn't want to burn his feet.

I won't stand nude in the street. It hasn't gone that far yet.

But let it get 10 or 20 degrees hotter, and I may consider it.