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Elective poster rip-off artists still at large

ASLCC vice presidential candidate requests an investigation regarding an alleged conspiracy.

By Kristine Sohnrey Editor-in-Chief



Three high school completion students ripped campaign posters from LCC Center building.

Early morning, Tuesday, April 23 two LCC students witnessed these young men removing upcoming election posters for presidentialvice presidential running mates

Adam Young and Pam Brooks. One witness stopped the violators.

But suspicions of complicity on the part of Jeff Kuhns, former ASLCC vice presidential candidate who was running with ASLCC presidential candidate Max Reams, stimulated investigative activities at the Student Government, the Student Activities, the Security and The Torch offices.

Thursday, Student Activities Director Barbara Delansky said Reams dropped Kuhns and substituted Diane Pearson as his vice presidential running mate in their write-in campaign. Brooks submitted a written complaint, and Kuhns is no longer running.

Was this act simply mischief, an elections violation or more?

Did Kuhns pay the young men to remove the

"I don't know why anyone would do this," says Young, "but it hurt a lot."

"Violation of election rules and guidelines is grounds for disqualification," says Delansky, who is the advisor for ASLCC.

According to the election rules, "Any challenges to the elections process must be submitted in writing to a member of the Judiciary Board or the Director of Student Activities before the Board of Tellers convenes to count the votes... If a challenge is submitted in accordance with these rules, the Judiciary Board shall convene as soon as possible thereafter, to make a ruling on the challenge.'

During the elections orientation the candidates learn the inappropriateness of removing, moving or vandalizing an opponent's campaign materials. However, specific information about this is not written within the ASLCC By-Laws, the ASLCC Constitution or the election rules. Delansky says candidates are expected to act with integrity, and no previous behavior has warranted a more specific reference within any of these documents.

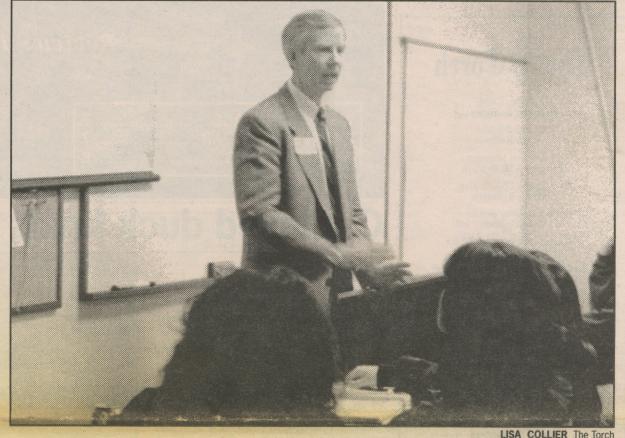
That will change in the near future.

Kuhns denied all allegations.

The three young men have not been questioned to determine their motivation, since they split the scene. Also, probable doubt of complicity based upon contextual information does exist.

In accordance with ASLCC grievance procedures, Young and Brooks did talk with Reams and Kuhns regarding their problems, and Reams apologized to them.

The race is on



LISA COLLIER The Torch

Democratic Seante candidate Tom Bruggere spoke to Steve Candee's American government class on Thursday, April 18. Bruggere, co-founder of Mentor Graphics, is running for his first political office.

eware of thieves on campus

By Aaron Frank and Kristine Sohnrey The Torch



Theft on campus has taken a sudden upturn.

Since April 10 thieves have been stealing books, wallets and credit

cards from the physical education lockers, primarily during three frenzies. Though the total value is not high, according to Paul Chase, head of security, it is a Theft 2 offense. About 12 people have fallen victim to the thief or

\$500 each.

Chase said, "We're breaking our necks on it," regarding the investigation, "I don't particularly like thieves."

Theft is a concern for the LCC's bookstore too, but school security and employee involvement minimizes shoplifting occurrences, according to Bookstore Manager Shelly Dutton.

"One of my main objectives, as store manager, is the security of the students and faculty when dealing with shoplifting. Fortunately, our store is at a low risk," says Dutton.

Thieves steal various store

candy bars, but the bookstore personnel seldom officially record them due to the numerous items stocked. Sutton says students caught shoplifting are charged by normal police regulations and penalties.

Training employees to spot shoplifters, providing student lockers and requiring students to leave book bags at the store entrance contribute to low shoplifting activities within LCC's bookstore.

Until the thefts stop, students need to report thefts to security immediately after the occurrence and safeguard their be-

of O lecturer denounces abuses

By Bryan Petersen The Torch

Renowned political activist, speaker and writer Primitivo Rodriguez was at LCC on Monday, April 15 speaking to a full Forum 309.

Rodriguez spoke on such timely issues as Mexican/U.S. relations, globalization and immigration, and the state of affairs in Mexico itself.

"As Mexico's neighbor and major trade partner, the U.S. influ-

country or block of countries in the world," Rodriguez began, "For good or bad, we have been neighbors for a century and a half, and will be...connected as long as our two nations exist."

Rodriguez was born in rural Mexico. He spent his early years attending Jesuit schools, where he excelled in all of his subjects. He completed his undergraduate studies at the Collegio de Mexico, then came to the U.S.and earned his master's de-

ences Mexico more than any other gree in Latin American History at the University of Chicago.

Since then, he has worked in many areas, some of which have regarded Latin American rights and environmental issues. He is currently the 15th holder of the Wayne Morse Chair of Law and Politics at the University of Oregon, and the first non-U.S. citizen to hold the position.

Besides LCC, Rodriguez also spoke at the U of O, the EWEB training room, and the First Congregational Church.





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Confused duck leads ducklings to death

By Achsa Davis

The Torch

A troubled female duck greeted LCC student Greg Rundo when he arrived at school Friday, April 19.

The duck was frantically pacing by the storm drain in front of the flagpoles at the campus main en-

"I tried to chase the duck away, to get her out of the road, but she just circled around and tried to get back to the drain," says Rundo. He then noticed the reason for the duck's anxiety; her ducklings were caught in the drain.

"I went into the planning department (Campus Services) and told them what was going on. I thought that someone better get the ducks out of there before the drain started filling up with water," he says. It was shortly after 7 a.m. when LCC parttime groundskeeper Cort Richer pulled off the grate and climbed into the four-foot drain to retrieve the trapped ducklings.

"There were 12 baby ducks down in a storm drain," Cort Richer says. "I had to be careful not to step on them when I went down, and then I didn't move my feet until all 12 were out," he says.

Although 12 ducklings came out alive and well, their lives were still in

"The problem is that this mother led them straight to the reflecting ducklings drown." pond and jumped in," says Richer.



SUSAN SUTTON

LCC groundskeeping staff's best efforts failed to save ducklings.

"The ducklings follow her into the pond, and then they can't get out. They were only one or two days old."

This is the third year in a row that she has chosen to nest by the fountain. It's her home. She has two broods a year. She takes her babies into the reflecting pond, and then doesn't show them how to get out," he says. It's a frustrating situation for the groundskeepers, says Schoen.

"When we see the ducklings are in the reflecting pond, we raise the water level and put boards in (to serve duck just isn't very smart. When the as ramps), but it takes too long for ducklings were out of the drain, she the fountain to fill up enough and the

According to Richer a few ducks

were saved from the pond, but most of them weren't that lucky, and the mother duck has been seen wandering on campus without her ducklings

"I should have put them in a box and ... relocated them to the drainage ponds in front of the school, where there are other ducks... or to the country," says Richer wishing he could have done more.

"We do have a strategy for next time this happens, which will probably be sometime in June when she has her second brood. We will call the Wildlife Rescue as soon as we see this happening. Hopefully, more (babies) can be rescued," says Schoen.

Moskus a finalist for Illinois CC presidency

By Kristine Sohnrey

Editor-in-Chief

LCC President Jerry Moskus is among the top three candidates for the presidency of College of Lake County, Illinois.

Lane staff and faculty were surprised to hear Moskus' announcement regarding this employment opportunity when they listened to their voicemail after 4 p.m., Thursday, April 25.

"I didn't go looking for this (job); they came looking for me," says Moskus. "Another college president nominated me." A professional recruiter contacted Moskus about the job, and he applied. Now he's in the

College of the Lake County is 40 miles south of Milwaukee, Wis. and 40 miles north of Chicago, a cold area of the nation during the winter months — where residents are still digging out from the snow.

Moskus says, "At this point almost anything could happen. I have no preconceived expectations.

"I don't know if I'd take the job."

Covert racism deprives all students



Countervailing Force

Harry C. Jacobs

Well, guess what? If you grew up in Eugene, or anywhere else that is predominately white, there are racist stereotypes and assumptions that govern your ideas, feelings and opinions of minorities.

The April 15 issue of The Torch reported on instructor William Powell's allegations of "institutional racism" in LCC's hiring policies, as well as the racism that exists in various other -

mostly covert — forms at LCC.

The operative word here is "covert." I strongly suspect that I would be hard-pressed to find anyone at LCC who would admit to having racist views or inclinations. In fact, quite the opposite position is taken up and championed by a mostly well-intentioned student body. I would have long since run out of fingers and toes were I to count the number of times I have overheard students declare, "I'm not in the least bit prejudiced," or "I'm so grateful that I grew up in a home without any prejudice. Therefore, I don't know what it means to be prejudiced."

If you had the benefit of growing up in an inter-racially mixed neighborhood, not the white suburbs of the big city, then you might have some notion of the pervasive, countless forms of "covert" racism that are alive and well everywhere in America today. From the debate over affirmative action — with white people declaring "reverse discrimination" — to the passing of California's Proposition 187, to the recent racial conflict on the campus of Oregon State University; issues of race are alive and well.

Let's turn this debate back to the LCC

Some months ago at the LCC board of Education meeting, a university professor spoke to the need of hiring a more diverse faculty at LCC; not because he wished to satisfy the small percentage of minority students. Rather, he suggested that it is the large majority of white students who suffer the injustice of not being presented with minority viewpoints and opinions that can only be legitimately espoused by minority faculty.

In denying greater access to minority representation, white students are, in effect, being deprived of any meaningful insight concerning minority views. Minority students, particularly black students, (who have expressed their opinions to me) feel some tangible sense of alienation from the school's vast majority of white faculty.

I learned more about issues of race while attending Powell's Writing 122 and Black American Literature classes than I had collectively learned throughout my entire life. A life, I might add, that includes a vast amount of traveling around the world, including many countries where white people are the minority.

I believe that only by increasing the number of minority faculty members at LCC might we begin to erase the (most) subtle, "covert" racism that plainly exists among the self-proclaimed, so-called non-prejudiced student body, faculty and administration.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

OSPIRG benefits

LCC students.

OSPIRG office, I was surprised at every voter.... the variety of socio-economic levhence "public interest."

During fall term, I attended an

OSPIRG conference.... By the end LCC students aware that financial I feel prompted to give a per- of the term, I had a completely dif- aid was in jeopardy. Students resonal account of the benefits ferent perspective on government. sponded with a flood of commu-OSPIRG provides to me and other There are avenues through which nication to the decision makers. average people can affect public Senator Hatfield heard students I feel every student benefits policy without dumping money and decided to vote in favor of from having OSPIRG on campus. into lobbyists — by using the financial aid. When I first stopped by the power which lies in the hands of

els and perspectives which com- unrepresented in the political de- ment with OSPIRG has taught me prised the organization. It's prob- bate, but we can create change a lot about how to do that. ably the most diverse group at around issues important to our Lane. This is because the organiza- communities as students and citition focuses on human issues, zens. All it takes is someone speak- Christopher R. Eilers ing for the people.

For example, OSPIRG made Eugene, OR

OSPIRG was founded at Lane by students wanting to make a The public interest is largely positive difference. My involve-

OSPIRG Project Leader

LCC NEWSWIRE

The Oregon Health Sciences University School of Nursing RN/BS Outreach program is sending representatives to LCC on April 29 at 1 p.m. in Health 103. This program is geared for registered nurses who want to obtain a bachelor in science in nursing from OHSU and want to stay in Eugene while completing the degree. Students can complete lower division requirements at Lane Community College. LCC is an Ed-Net downlink site for the upper division classes. For more information, call Jean Conklin at (541) 747-4501, ext. 2802.

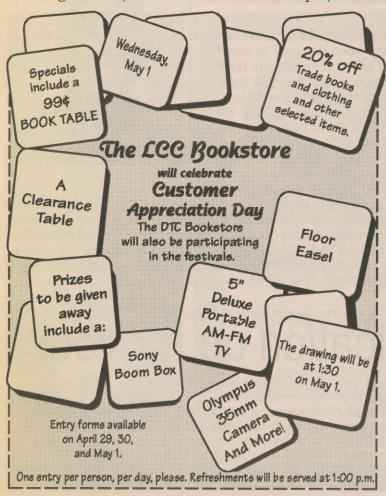
May 1 is Customer Appreciation Day at the LCC Bookstore. There is going to be refreshment and drawings. Specials include a 99 cent book table, clearance table, 20 percent off trade books, clothing and selected items. Prizes to be given away include a Sony boom box, floor easel, 5 inch Deluxe portable am/fm TV, Olympus 35mm camera and more. Entry forms are available April 29 and 30 and May 1. Drawing is held on May 1 at 1:30 p.m. Refreshments are at 1 p.m. One entry per person per day.

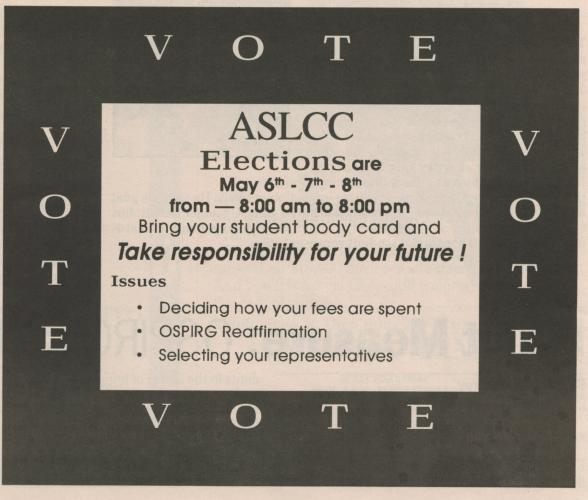
ASLCC elections are May 6, 7

Wednesday, May 15 and Thursday, May 16 from 1-3 p.m. in PE 205. Breath of Life will present a stop-smoking workshop. Call ext. 2178 for more info.

Sunday, May 19 Womenspace is having its annual action called "Sweet Celebration of Spring" at the Eugene Hilton. Admittance tickets are \$12 at the door and \$10 prepaid by May 13. Tickets include the dessert buffet, which will be served at 2 p.m. before the auction begins. For more information, call 485-8232.

Portland State University is offering an Introduction to Workplace Education course at Lane on Thursday evening on May 23 and all day May 24. If there is enough local interest, PSU will offer other workplace courses at LCC. For more info. call Elaine Pray at ex. 2089.



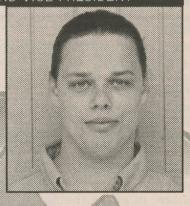


ASLCC ELECTIONS '96

RUNNING MATES FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

Adam Young

YOUNG hopes to continue his work as ASLCC President with Pam Brooks, his livein partner, by his side. His goals include completion of projects he began this year. Some of these are the creation of affordable, on-campus housing with on-site child care and stipends, and returning full-time students to the Oregon Health Plan. He plans to work with groups like OSPIRG to ensure protection of Financial Aid, and has had experience interacting with the LCC



Board of Education, Lane County Human Rights Committee, Community Colleges of Oregon Student Coalition, District 4J Natives Program Advisory Board Young cites experience, energy, organizational skills, cultural diversity, management skills, policy and procedure experience, and a sense of humor as his main attributes. (To relieve stress, he does Kermit the Frog and Popeye impressions.) He also considers himself to be a good listener and communicator, and believes in team work being utilized for the common good. He says he's running for a second term because supporters encouraged him, impressed by his dedication and efforts.

RUNNING MATES FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

Randy Dreiling

DREILING has been a member of the ASLCC Senate all year, where he has served on the cultural, budget, and recycling committees. His business focus has helped reduce the budget deficit this year, and he plans to continue working on it. He feels he has a lot to offer students in the way of interaction, communication, and helping student groups. He says he hopes to work directly with students via an open-door policy, also citing interest in community



outreach projects as well as student housing and other related student issues. He has had experience in facilitating and organizing student activities such as the Annual Ski Bowl and the current recycling program. He believes in working together, and has coached Junior high and high school track, believes in working through problems rather than avoiding them, mountain bikes his way through stress, and is the proud owner of two iguanas named Stubby and Dragon.

Pamela Brooks

BROOKS says she has experience as a member of student government and a student advocate around campus. She also feels that being a mother of three requires patience, ability to compromise, and communication skills. She is a parent representative at the ASLCC Co-op. "As a student senator I have been actively involved in creating affordable housing for students. I would like to see the expansion of on-site child care facilities. Students with children



need to be commended for their dedication and determination they have put forth into educational, economic, and social advancement." She is actively involved in activities that celebrate her Native American heritage, and has worked to promote cultural awareness. As Young's running mate and full-time partner, she says she is committed to being available to work with him on all issues surrounding the ASLCC

Laura Wattier White

WHITE points to her extensive experience in leadership roles, having served both as a volunteer and within professional organizations. She says the student body needs to be empowered by becoming more involved in the process of government. She says she has maturity, integrity, efficiency, and is confident in her ability to provide students with resources. She says she has a good relationship with student personnel having worked in the Student Services of-

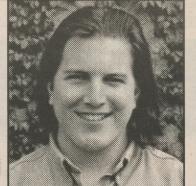


fice for two years. Her goals are to improve disability access on campus, and to work with NASA and Administration to see the Longhouse project take off. She also cites Ashlane Housing, Internet access, and Bond Committees as important issues. She states that she is at her best when working with a team, and hopes to communicate with a diverse group of people to come up with innovative solutions. To deal with stress, she cuts back on coffee and surfs the Net. A gentle Pisces, she is also a single mother of three boys, a rat named Thunder and a beta fish named Flipper.

RUNNING FOR TREASURER

Daniel Armanino

ARMANINO, who was appointed ASLCC Treasurer in April, says he has studied this year's budget in order to prepare for next year, and was responsible for finding a \$5,000 clerical error and correcting the mistake. He is familiar with all neccessary computer programs, and has been financially independent and responsible since he was 16. He describes himself as a good listener who is also adept at organizing facts in his head and communicating. He wants to con-

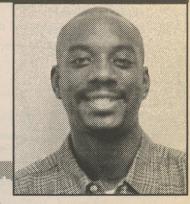


tinue to be involved in making a positive impact objectively. He says his goal as Treasurer will be not only full reduction of the ASLCC budget deficit, but to combine a balance of idealism and pragmatism by involvement with student issues and all aspects of student representation.

RUNNING FOR ASLCC CULTURAL DIRECTOR

Robert Dickerson

DICKERSON, a Native of New York City, says he has always been exposed to many different kinds of cultural events. He feels he has excellent public relations and organizational skills, which would contribute to his work as Cultural Director, he says. He also hopes to bring a wider variety of cultural events to the LCC campus. His own hobbies include music, dancing, art, and learning about other cultures. Major issues for him as a student include acceptance of



ethnic diversity, and getting students involved as active participants. His experience in working with groups comes from working in the medical field for years and his current office as the Black Student Union Treasurer of LCC. He says he sees himself as a team player, saying that he acts and thinks as an individual yet coordinates and brainstorms very well as part of a group. He says he is an excellent listener, doesn't ever stress, and is a Cancer.

Ballot Measure: OSPIRG ratification up for vote

By Kristine Sohnrey

Editor-in-Chief

This year's election carries only one ballot mea-

"OSPIRG (the Oregon Student Public Interest Research Group) is a statewide, student-direct organization which will actively involve LCC stu-

dents in the issues of hunger and homelessness, recycling, environment, consumer interest, renter and students' rights, community service and other issues of general public interest. Do you support the continued existence of the LCC chapter of OSPIRG through the student activity fee at an amount which reflects \$2.25 per student per term?"

According to the OSPIRG Campus Organizer

Kristine Lee voting YES on this measure means two things. First, it means OSPIRG will continue operating at LCC for the next three years. Second, it means students will pay an increase in student activity fees to accommodate an increase in OSPIRG's operating budget. Voting NO on this measure means OSPIRG would need to renegotiate their presence at LCC.

RYAN BATE, EDITOR 747-4501 EXT. 2014 THE TORCH

Baseball coach appointed; Bob Foster on medical leave

By Ryan Bate Sports Editor



During Baseball Head Coach Bob Foster's medical leave, Steve Wolf will take over the team as interim coach.

Wolf, a former assistant coach at LCC, was assistant varsity baseball coach at South Eugene High

School. He was on the coaching staff at LCC from 1982-1992.

Wolf said that upon his arrival the team acted "insecure. They had a feeling of where they played for Bob, but with his departure they lost that comfort zone. And, there was a little doubt, I think."

Starting the season out 0-6 in its division, the team has apparently gained at least part of that comfort zone back, sweeping a double-header from Linn-Benton Community College — the best team in the division — 8-5 and 3-2 last April 14. The team had a season high 15 hits in the first

On April 20 LCC dropped a pair of games to Chemeketa, 3-12, and 1-4. Both doubleheaders were played on the road.

According to Wolf, the team has played only six innings — out of 17 games played — on its home

field, due primarily to drainage problems that have been ignored for years. "We've been in the van, this season, more than in the dugout. It's tough to play on the road. Our goal is to sweep our games at home and split on the road, but it's hard when you're always on the road."

Wolf says that Lane has had some "quality starts and good relief. We're as good as anybody in the league with our hitting, speed and defense." Wolf remains "optimistic" as to the rest of the regular

The team's next games are against Mt. Hood Community College at LCC Tuesday, April 30 at 3 p.m. and at Gresham on May 2 at 1 p.m.

Lane track and field exceptional at Oregon invitational

By Ryan Bate Sports Editor

LCC and Clackamas Community College put their strengths to the test, and as indicated by the results, LCC caused a rift in the field of athletes from several NCAA colleges.

The UO, Portland University, Idaho State, the University of Montana, Seattle Pacific, Weber State, Utah State, Pacific Lutheran and Gonzaga were all present at this year's Oregon Invitational track meet. Held at UO's Hayward Field on April 11 through April 13. Women's head coach Tim Boyce said, "It was their (LCC's) best

three years...maybe ever."

The women captured six top-five finishes, including a first place in the shot put from Becky Stahl, who heaved the iron shot 43-7, nearly a foot farther than a second place contender from Idaho State who had a 42-9 mark.

Jackie Hunter claimed second place in the 200 meter dash, beating out competitors from Oregon, Portland and Montana, with a time of 25.36. Teammate Sarah Wasyinka also grabbed a second place finish in the 400, with a time of 59.06.

Boyce said the meet was a good

in the invitational, at least in the last challenge for the Lane women athletes, and that "numerous seasonal and personal bests were set.'

The men also performed exceptionally with eight top-five finishes. Tom Pappas claimed third in the 110 hurdles (14.92), fourth in the long jump (22-4.5), and seventh in the 400 (50.45). Teammate Jesse Wells placed first in the 110 hurdles at 14.74, and seventh in the 100 at

Also for Lane, Mathias Eriksson took home second place in the shot put with a distance of 54-4.75.

LCC also competed well in the twilight session of the invitational.

Jessica Marable took third and first places in the shot put and discus with marks of 46-3.5 and 155. The women's relay teams also did well, taking fourth in the 4x100 (48.75), and fifth in the 4x400

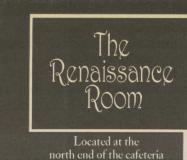
James Longoria — the current NWAACC cross country champion placed sixth in the 10,000 meter run with a personal best of 31.05.58, and the LCC 4x400 relay placed fourth with a time of 3.19.02.

Head coach Brad Joens said that LCC's performance was "the overall best we've ever had in my four years (as coach).'



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DANIEL ARMANINO The Torch

Tito Merelli (Cloud Pemble), and wife Maria (Cia Oketani Court), confront each other.

'Tenor' slams comedy in your face

You'll die laughing over this misdiagnosed death

By Erik Romano

Special for The Torch

Thursday, April 18 was the preview performance of the Lane Performing Arts production of Ken Ludwig's "Lend Me a Tenor," a oneset play.

comedy with a splash of Italian influence on the side, "Lend Me a Tenor" takes place in the 1930s under a magnificent set deeager fans of the famous tenor opera singer, Tito Morelli, await his first U.S. Tenor" did a world-class per- main campus.

performance in Cleveland, formance. The costumes Ohio. In all the excited con- were superbly designed by fusion, the exhausted Sue Surdam Bean and very Morelli is mistaken for realistic for that era, as dead.

At this time the show's producer (played by Rick Surdam Bean) replaces Morelli with his daughter's boyfriend, Max (played by Saber Rom), fulfilling his dream as a singer. Max's A clever and jocular fancy, Maggie, (played by Angie Clark), a dreamy Morelli fan, also hopes to get close to Morelli.

Other mishaps twist the situation further and prosigned by Lane staff mem- vide many humorous coinber, Skip Hubbard. Some cidences before things are all back to normal.

realistic for that era, as was the set. Director Eileen Kearney — who has a Ph.D. in theater from UO and has worked in St. Louis, Santa Clara and Spokane — orchestrated the players with utmost fidelity, or in Tito's case "chiaro."

Tickets are available at the Hult Center, Marketplace Books, Bride's Corner and at the LCC Performing Arts ticket office: \$10 for adults, \$6 for students and seniors. The May 3 and 4 performances both begin at 8 p.m. in LCC The cast of "Lend Me a Performance Hall on the

LCC's Spring Film Festival plays at UO's Columbia Hall

By Ilya Shrubak The Torch

ASLCC is hosting awardwinning films at its Spring Film Festival this term.

Beginning April 28, moviegoers will gather to watch 11 motion pictures directed by Steven Spielberg, Federico Fellini, Krszysztof Kieslowski, Franco Zeffirelli and others.

Showing at the UO, Columbia Hall, Room 150, on East 13th Avenue across from the

Erb Memorial Union; the festival sessions will begin at noon, include two or three movies, and two guest speakers. UO OSPIRG helped with scheduling and reserving the auditorium. KRVM-FM broadcast the event in their entertainment events calendar. Sessions will conclude by 7 p.m., except on May 12. The movies are showing at UO because it is a more centralized location, and no LTD buses run to LCC on Sundays.

program is scheduled: Noon -2:45 p.m guest speaker and "Blue," by Krsysztof Kieslowski screenplay by Krszysztof Kieslowski and Krszysztof Piesiewics, starring Juliette Binoche and Benoit Regent, 1993 Venice Film Festival, Best Cinematography & Best Actress (Juliette Binoche) Awards. 3 p.m. - 6:45 p.m guest speaker and "The Unbearable Lightness of Being", by Philip Kaufman,

On May 5, the following starring Daniel Day-Lewis, 1972, 8 Academy Awards, in-Juliette Binoche, Lena Olin, 1988

On May 12, the following program is scheduled: Noon -4:15 p.m guest speaker and "Schindler's List," by Steven Spielberg, starring Liam Neeson, Ben Kingsley, Ralph Fiennes, Caroline Goodall, Embeth Davidtz. 1993, 3 Golden Globe Awards, 6 Academy Awards. 4:25 p.m. - 6:30 p.m "Cabaret," by Bob Fosse, starring Liza Minelli, Joel Grey

cluding Best Picture. 6:45 p.m. - 9 p.m "Hamlet," by Franco Zeffirelli, starring Mel Gibson, Glenn Close, Alan Bates, Paul Scofield, 1990.

On May 19, the following program is scheduled: Noon -3 p.m guest speaker and "The Outlaw," by Howard Hughes, starring Jane Russell, Walter Huston. 1947. 3 p.m. - 7 p.m guest speaker and "Dr.

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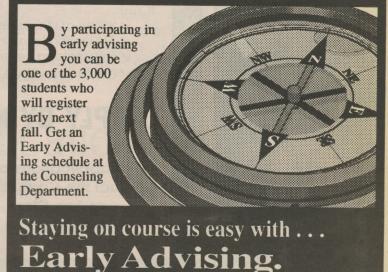
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WACKY FUN PAGE The Torch

ARIES: Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday are great days to call your study partner and get some real work done! If you find your temper a little hard to centrol on Thursday and Friday, then take a trip to the gym. Taking out your anger through exercise is a lot better than taking it out on a friend. You will most likely be feeling friendly this weekend, so try to include others in some worthwhile conversation.

TAURUS:..Take a friend to an art exhibit at the beginning of the week, while you are feeling appreciative of other people's creativity. You might feel jealousy on Thursday and Friday, so try to think before you act. Curb your restless curiosity this weekend by checking out some new scenic spots that you have always wanted to see.

GEMINI: .. If there is someone out there that you have always wanted to get to know better, then Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday are great days to make that effort. Watch your step later in the week as you might find yourself reacting strongly to what others have to say Feeling adventurous this weekend? Go for a trek in a place not yet explored by anyone you know.

CANCER:..The beginning of the week is no time to be antisocial. So gather some friends together and go somewhere amusing Try to keep your spirits up on Thursday and Friday, when you might be feeling a bit edgy. Some words of advice: forgive and forget. Don't hesitate this weekend, when you are bubbling over with enthusiasm to try new things

LEO: You may feel the urge to help out a friend in need at the beginning of the week. Try to keep that sweetness going later in the week when you might feel like insulting someone. Believe me, it's not worth it. You'll accomplish more if you keep your mind and mouth under control. This weekend is not for sitting! Go crash a party or something.

VIRGO: If you have an important matter to discuss with a friend or significant other, then take care of it early in the week. Watch what you say to others on Thursday and Friday. You might think that you are just being honest out you could also be actually hurting someone's feelings. Feelings syntaneous this feelings. Feeling spontaneous this weekend? Jump in your car (or someone else's) and drive to the

LIBRA: The beginning of the week is a great time to get a group of friendly people together and go

on a picnic. Try to slow down a bit on Thursday and Friday, when you might be feeling a bit impatient with others. It might be good to spend a little time by yourself and get some necessary studying done. Don't worry, you'll be feeling a bit more social this weekend: go celebrate Cinco De Mayo!

SCORPIO: .. You may find yourself enjoying the company of others during the beginning of the week; go get yourself involved in some group projects. You may be feeling a bit agitated and moody; watch yourself and what you say on Thursday and Friday. Just don't jump down anyone's throat. The weekend is a great time to do something active. Be brave...try bungee jumping!

SAGITTARIUS:..Exercise is on the brain at the beginning of the week, so get ahold of that person with whom you love to spend time, and entice them into going on a long bike ride somewhere attrac-tive. Later in the week, please try not to make any rash decisions. You may regret them later. You feel the need to knock down anyone that tries to put any restrictions on you this weekend. Assert your independence, just try not to hurt

<u>CAPRICORN:</u> Bide your time constructively on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday; as you may feel the need for balance during those days. Try not to get into a pessimistic slump on Thursday and Friday. Stretch out your toes and recon-nect with the solid earth to help your mood. Saturday and Sunday will find you bright, enthusiastic, and a little more positive toward the world in general.

AQUARIUS: As much as you love your space, try to get a little closer to someone as the week begins. Try to keep a friendly attitude throughout the week...later you may be feeling a bit stubborn and moody. Relax your mind, don't think too hard. By Saturday, you'll probably be feeling much better and want an exciting weekend getaway!

<u>PISCES:</u> Although Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday are only the start of the week, you can still go out and have a good time. Check the papers and see what shows are playing, and then take someone dancing. Don't let others get to you on Thursday and Friday. You might be feeling a bit sensitive. Get daring this weekend and go whitewater rafting. Just be careful!

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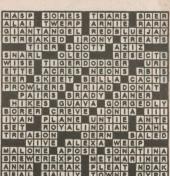
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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION



Winfield SCOTT (32 Across) was commanding general of the U.S. Army from 1841 to 1861. New Zealand-born ANNA Paquin (103 Across) won an Academy Award for her role as Holly Hunter's daughter in the 1993 film "The Piano." Charles TOWNE (109 Across) was the original name of Charleston, South Carolina. BRENT Scowcroft (11 Down) succeeded Colin Powell as National Security Advisor in

EVENTS CALENDER

Tuesday April 30

SPEAKERS: "White Supremacy Action in the Northwest" presentation by Coalition for Human Dignity on the growth and action/counteraction of Neo-Nazi & White Supremecy groups in the Northwest. 7 pm in Ben Linder Room, UO. Free.

Wednesday May

FAIR: Lane Community College Career Fair. 50-60 employers provide info. about careers and recruit potential employees. 10 am-2 pm in LCC cafeteria. Free.

Friday May 3

EXHIBIT: Imagine! Student Art Exhibit and Architects-in-Schools Fair. Lane County Arts Council's Arts-in-Education program hosts annual celebration of youth and the arts. 10 am-4 pm weekdays at Arts Central, 164 W. Broadway. Runs through 5/30.

THEATER: "Lend Me A Tenor." 8 pm tonight and May 4. LCC Performing Arts Center. \$10. \$6/st.,sr.

Eating Issues/Body Image Brown Bag Talk: The Women's Program is sponsoring a Brown Bag Talk from noon-1 on Tuesday April 30 in the Boardroom to discuss the impact of obsessions with thinness and disordered eating on women's well-being.

The Women's Center is sponsoring a "Women's Art—Women's Healing" art show from May 13-24. Students and staff are encouraged to submit poetry, painting, ceramics, textile arts, or other creative pieces for the show. Deadline for submission is May 9. Call The Women's Center for info. x2353.

A campus tour of important resources and programs for prospective transfer students will take place on Wed. May 8 from 3-5 pm. Call x2353 or drop by the Women's Center to sign up.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

HELP WANTED 21

National Parks Hiring. Positions are now available at National Parks, Forests and Wildlife Preserves. Excellent benefits and bonuses! Call: 1-206-971-3620 ext.N60702.

The Writing Center is seeking a work study student to perform a variety of tasks. Call Kathleen Shull (ext.2118) for more info.

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88 Jeep Wrangler, red with black soft top. \$6450-offer. Becky 342-2384.

OPPORTUNITIES 23

Discussion group for international stu dents meets Fridays 11-12:30 CEN 220. Call x2782 for information. Looking for volunteer/work experience? Like working with horses? We need you! Call Julean 689-2716.

SERVICES 11

Bible study. Wednesday and Thursday at noon in PE 231. Sponsored by Baptist Student Union.

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LOST & FOUND 31

Lost 4/6'96 in LCC Library TI-82 cal-culator (Reward \$20) Please contact

Found: One gold hoop earring in west parking lot on 4-15-96. Call Meg x2604.

WANTED 03

Someone to study with to help me stay on task. I'm taking Math 70 and BIO 103 Spring term. Give me a call Lisa 689-6408.

Redesign team wants student input about delivery services to students. Send suggestions: "Students First" Campus Mail.

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Are you homeless? Contact OSPIRG office 747-4501 x2166 ask for MAX. I will help you.

Women and Body Image discussion group meets Wednesday 1-2, CEN 220. Questions? call x2353.

Whomever, Thank you for the meal ticket.

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Zhivago," by David Lean, starring Omar Sharif, Julie Christie, Rod Steiger, 1965. On June 2, the following

program is scheduled: Noon -2:45 p.m guest speaker and "The Englishman Who Went Up A Hill But Came Down A Mountain," by Christopher Monger, starring Hugh Grant, Colm Meaney, Tara Fitzgerald, 1995. 3 p.m. -6:15 p.m guest speaker, closing ceremony and "Cinema Paradiso," by Giuseppe Tornatore, starring Phillippe Noiret, Leopoldo Trieste, Salvatore Cascio, 1989, Special Juri Prize at the 1989 Cannes Film Festival, Best Foreign Film 1990, Oscar, subtitles.

Tickets are available at the door or in advance by calling

747-4501, ext. 2335. Tickets are: LCC students with ID \$1.50 per movie; UO students with ID \$2 per movie; general admittance \$3 per movie; lecture 50 cents per session.

Call the ASLCC Cultural Director if you have any questions at 747-4501, ext. 2335.

Ilya Shrubak is the ASLCC Cultural Director.

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