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Kane Appointed to Newly Created Position

Dr. J. Houghton Kane, Executive Assistant to the President, has been appointed Dean of Student Life. A revision in the philosophy of the College within the past five years effected this new position which will begin July 1. Dr. James P. Craft, former Vice President of the College, organized a task force to evaluate the educational planning process of Ursinus and started the proposals for this idea.

It was decided that the Administration should regard what goes on outside the classroom as just as important to the educational process as what goes on inside the classroom. Too many schools continue to chair the Forum and make the for the old philosophy of the College within the entire experience of organized a task force to evaluate the educational planning process of Ursinus and started the proposals for this idea.

Dr. Kane will be responsible for the old duties of the Dean of Students and in addition, will be coordinating career planning and placement, campus medical services, financial aid, and campus employment. A new revision will give Dr. Kane the control over non-academic activities, similar to the Academic Dean’s control over classes and the academic spectrum. The administration hopes that this change will give students the opportunity to learn by doing and not just through studying.

In addition to Dr. Kane’s appointment, the Admissions Department will be undergoing some changes. Kenneth Schaefer, Associate Dean of Admissions, will accept the position of Associate Dean of Admissions and a new counselor will be hired.

Dr. Charles Levesque will be retiring from his position of Dean of Continuing Education this year, but Joseph Nace will remain as Director of the Evening School.

W’s Lacrosse beats number one Penn State See P. 4

Dr. J. Houghton Kane

APO Chapter Applauded For Achievement

Lambda Upsilon, the Ursinus College chapter of Alpha Phi Omega, recently brought national recognition to Ursinus. Just a few weeks ago it received the H. Roe Bartle Award for outstanding achievement in chapter administration and program. The H. Roe Bartle Chapter Award is the highest, most prestigious award any chapter can win. It is awarded each year to only one chapter in the United States.

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To qualify for the award, each chapter of Alpha Phi Omega was required to fill out an eight to ten page report describing its prior and present programs. The reports were then sent to the national office where a national committee was in charge of reviewing them. When the dust cleared, it was decided that Lambda Upsilon of Ursinus College was the most deserving chapter. It was felt that the Ursinus Chapter had a very well-rounded program and its future goals set high.

Throughout last year and this year, the brothers of Alphi Phi Omega were involved in many worthwhile service projects. Each year the brothers go to Eastern State Children’s Hospital and give a Christmas Party; spend a few afternoons each year playing softball with the mentally handicapped children of Norristown State Hospital; give of their time and donations to the New Life Youth and Family Services, and sponsor a child in need each year. In addition, they have several campus and community cleanups; run the Ugly Man Contest for charity aid with many campus activities, plus many other service projects to numerous to mention here.

The brothers of Alphi Phi Omega are very proud of their accomplishments and hope for many years of continued success.
Appreciation

To the Editor:

A word of appreciation for your efforts on the April 3 issue. The stance was reasonable in the right direction. Gun Control is one of the answers.

Also hearty commendation to your reporter Janet Webman, who wrote most interestingly, and peremptorily, on Pennsylvania Folk Art.

Charles Shellenger '21
Claremont, CA 91711

Financial Aid

To the Editor:

Have you ever received a Guaranteed Student Loan? A Basic Educational Opportunity Grant? Been employed by the school? Received Social Security Benefits? If you answered yes to any of these questions and want to continue to answer yes, please read this.

On April 13, COPUS and USSR, two national student lobbying groups, sponsored a briefing in Washington, D.C., for all student leaders to bring the effects of President Reagan's proposed budget cuts on financial aid. For me to outline each program and its proposed cuts would be lengthy and confusing. But I will tell you what I have learned about fighting these cuts. In Washington we were given pamphlets explaining the programs and then instructed to make appointments with our representatives. During these appointments we were to stress a few major concerns, including asking the congressman to vote down the Graham-Lutta proposal which would increase cuts greater than Reagan's program, get him to support the budget proposal by the House Committee which is the best bill we, as students, could hope for.

In Washington we were told, it was stressed that the more letters sent to your representatives, the better chance of them supporting us. That is why I am asking each member of the Ursinus community to write to your legislators. These proposed cuts affect all of us and could make it very difficult for anyone for their education. Even seniors may be affected. If you are planning to attend any post-graduate school and are expecting to get loans very easily, you could be mistaken. If these proposed cuts are voted through and no opposition is voiced by the students, loans will be more difficult to get for all students. We may also be forced to pay the interest while in school. This interest has previously been paid by the government.

The most effective letters are personal ones, (hand written). As a general outline you may want to include the following: the amount of your loan, the type of loan (Federal Family Education Loan, Stafford Loan, etc.), the interest rate, any financial aid you have received, the amount you received in loans and grants from BEGQ, GSL, NSL, and Social Security; what you stand to lose from each cut; what types of hardships the cuts could cause for your family; and ask them to support the House Committee's budget. The most important thing is to take the time to remember to keep the letter "personal." Congressmen and their aids are very receptive to hand-written, personal letters. This type of letter carries the most weight and is given top priority. Make sure to include your home address. The letter should not be threatening; this will only make matters worse. To find your legislator's Washington address, call their district offices and ask the secretary.

Once again, I am pleading with you to write to your representatives. Use the power our government has given you. Let them know how you feel and let them know now! This is a critical issue for all present and future college students.

Dean Pickrell '83

Education Outside Classroom Stressed

by Pat Keenan '84

In 1978 Ursinus College began to look into ways of achieving a ninth curriculum goal which specifically states: "Knowledge of diverse cultures and value systems of our society and the contemporary world, and the development of a capacity for making independent and responsible value judgments." Ursinus' Curriculum Task Force, which recommended the curricular requirements chaired by William E. Akin, Dean of the College. Previously there had been no agreement on how to achieve the ninth goal, so it was the task of the Values Committee to investigate the situation and come up with some suggestions. First of all, it was decided that, because the initial year at college seems to be the most important in terms of forming values, freshmen need more help in the areas of guidance and support in making decisions. A new Freshman Advising System was suggested in which there would be a group of specially trained faculty available for more personal counseling. Freshmen would also be encouraged not to declare majors in their first semester at college.

This gives the student more time to acculturate himself to the school and his own special interests.

The second part of the report made recommendations about a number of things on campus that influence a student's values. For example, it was recommended a committee be formed to look into cheating, plagiarism on campus.

The third section of the values report dealt with non-academic areas related to the formation of values, and honor, fraternity, and sororities were all recommended to be investigated by committees because they provide a large part of the experiences here on campus. This third section has not yet been approved by the Campus Life Committee because it contains more recommendations rather than specific recommendations.

The Committee reached two important conclusions from their investigation. First of all, the key to forming values lies outside the classroom and ideas lies outside the classroom and secondly, because of the first conclusion, formal courses are not the most appropriate way to achieve these goals.

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Off the Editor's Desk

In 1978 alcohol was allowed on campus for the first time since the College's origin. The fact that alcohol was allowed is not as important as the change in attitude this new policy initiated. Ursinus, although still firmly maintaining its conservative stance, has made drastic changes since this first major break-through and by the look of the new people joining the College, it is only going to get better around here.

The Seniors graduating this year are probably the most aware of the changes since the rest of us have been spoiled somewhat compared with what was available five to ten years ago. Female sports are not the only teams that are making Ursinus proud anymore. The campus is being approved upon physically. Enrollment is up so the Administration is looking for alternative methods of housing. A new frat was started three years ago, which shows competitive and active social atmosphere, and the Administration is constantly reevaluating its policies and most importantly, listening to the students.

It used to be said that Ursinus was ten years behind other schools. The Administration used to joke that this gave everyone else a chance to try something new, see they were wrong, and go back to the old methods that Ursinus never gave up. In the past three years Ursinus has been catching up and I think that when our graduates return as alumni they are going to like what they see. Let's hope it doesn't stop.

This is the last issue until September 18. Good luck on finals, good luck in life Class of 1981, and come back and see us.
Transplanted Texan

by Joe Battish

Music News

by Jay K. Repko

Transplanted Texan

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Atlantic City. Mary had her profits go to gamble, so she was psyched for her favorite game. The only thing that kept her going was that she didn’t have any other money.

Music News

“Rhythm and blues” is how she liked black jack,” Mark said. “I did,” she replied. “But now I like to have a little more excitement in my life. I really like danger and excitement these days.”

Mark’s car battery was dead, so they had to bag the casino option. Instead, they hit a local late-night bar and drunk until dawn. Abandoned back to the Quad, Mary noticed a 35-40 year old man leaving that dorm. Both chuckled, knowing he wasn’t visiting any student.

Instead of crashing, they decided to kill the last few beers left in Mary’s refrigerator. Suddenly, they heard some giggling next door. Mary, the girl who lived in that adjacent room, dates a 1979 Ursinus graduate who is employing the old “interior decorator.” Apparently, at that ridiculous hour, they were rearranging the room because Mary had heard Mary say, “No, Sam, don’t put it there.”

After they finished the beers, Mark and Mary went over to brunch. A few of Mark’s frat brothers were there so they decided to catch the latest abuse on last night’s dinner dance. Dickie didn’t even go because he went to the Methator Senior Prom. Chooc, a real thoughtful guy, was all prepared for shacking with his date, but his anxiety down at War Shield wasn’t even affecting him, let alone her.

Saturday brunches are scheduled to last until 12:15 p.m. However, half an hour earlier, everyone had to leave the cafeteria because the place had to be prepared for a 12:30 banquet. Seeing that things hadn’t changed since he graduated, Mark could only laugh. “How can they expect us to pay for this?”

The Outlaws. That’s enough to keep any gun junkie supplied for five summers. Tickets are $15 and are available at all Ticketron outlets.

Sucking In The 70’s is the name of the latest from The Rolling Stones and, no kidding, it’s every bit as good as Emotional Rescue and Some Girls. Check out “4 Stakes Were A Dancing” and then tell me if there’s just no stopping these guys or what.

That’s Music News forever but, wherever you go, remember . . . we were always in tune, and we thank you for staying tuned.
Girl’s Track First

Gwen McKeon hustles down the first base line at a recent girls’ softball game. With two more games to play, the team has an 8-9 record.

Sports Briefs

Baseball
The baseball team finished Tuesday with a 13-4 record. Nationally ranked Craig Walk, with a 4.73 batting average, led the team with six home runs this year. Walk has been a nationally ranked batter for the last three years, and has a chance to make it again this year.

Softball
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Golf
The golf team ended their season with a 5-5 record. They came in twelfth at the MAC’s, competing against twenty-eight other teams.

Regional this weekend...
Lacrosse Tops Penn State

by Beth Repko ’82

“What more could a Coach want? She calls for a goal, she gets it.” This was the comment made by an ABC sportscaster after viewing the Ursinus Women’s Lacrosse Team this past Tuesday evening. The Bearettes proudly crushed number one ranked Penn State University, 11-10 in the most exciting home game of the season. Not only was the girls spotlighted on the Channel 6 evening news, but the field was thronged with spectators from various colleges and high school. Coach Marge Watson stated that although in previous years she has had many undefeated teams, this year’s squad has definitely shown character. The winning streak was big in many ways, but mostly because it was their last game of the season and their only loss. Watson felt that this was not a highly pressured game because the team had already qualified for regionals and nationals but their victory over the undefeated Lionettes was more on a personal level. Despite the unexpected changes in defensive strategy which was due to the unfortunate injury of Susan Darwin, the team felt as though they had even an extra incentive to put the Penn State team away. Excellent performances were exhibited by first home Susan Morley and Margaret Tomlinson 2nd house with 4 goals each. Jan Gable displayed her dynamic defensive ability by holding the top scorer in the nation, Candi Fin to only 2 goals. Miss Fin had 54 total goals for the year and has scored 16 of them in the last 2 games. She is followed closely by Sue Morley who has a total of 49 and Marge Tomlinson who is also up there with 39. Also showing her best game this season was goaler Barb Mojtia, who consistently fended off the never ending attacks.

The team will be heading to Loyola College in Maryland for Regional competition this week-end. The four top teams still will be ranked according to this weekend’s competition. Presently Penn State is ranked first, Maryland second, Harvard third, and Ursinus fourth. Nationals will be held May 14, 15 and 16 at Penn State, where these teams will compete with 12 other teams from all over the country. After this the weekend the teams should move up to the 3rd place position. Currently, 15-2, with losses going to Harvard and Maryland, the girls have already proven themselves to be quite a team. Gina Buggy leads the team in assists, adding to the scoring consistencies of Morley and Tomlinson. Also she showed her stamina throughout the season was 3rd home Laurie Holmes and offensive wing Tracie Davis. Defensive key players were Gable, Darwin, senior Deena Williamson and freshman Jackie Keeley.

Looking Ahead:

Tennis Completes Season

by David Garner ’81

Both the Ursinus Men’s and Women’s Tennis teams completed their 1981 schedules this past week. Due to the lack of cooperation from Mother Nature neither squad was able to play all of its matches. Missing only one match on account of weather conditions, the men’s team is gearing up for the Regionals this weekend. The team has an 8-9 record this year. The return of five of the top six singles players indicates that the team should improve next year.

The Ursinus Health and Physical Education Majors Club invites all campus students and faculty to the first annual New Games Festival to be held on Sunday, May 3rd from 2:00 - 5:00. Everyone is strongly urged to come down to the practice field between New Men’s Dorm and the tennis court and find out what New Games are all about. You need not bring anything but yourself and some enthusiasm to have a great afternoon. Come for a few minutes, an hour or the whole afternoon if you like. Participating in New Games is a great way to enjoy an afternoon, meet people and learn about yourself as well as others. New Games are not competitive and everyone is always involved and always a winner. Take a little time on Sunday, the 3rd and check out New Games - hope to see you all there! For further information contact either Joanie Groome or Amy Hill at Beardwood I.

Lisa Wilson
team loses two of its top players to graduation, the Lady Bruins look forward to another successful season in 1982.

Playing a strong schedule, the Men’s team was never able to get on track this year. Even if the Bears did not chalk up victories, the young squad did gain some valuable experience in their matches. A four-year man at first singles, Craig Bozelli finished with a 5-3 record and he will compete in the MAC individual championships this week-end. The only other man to have a winning record for the Bruins this season was junior Dow Milich at second singles. The doubles team of Bozelli and sophomore Dave

Problems with weather...

by Martin Sacks ’81

Led by Penn Owens and Karin Jankauskas, the Ursinus Women’s Track Club capped off its first full season by taking first place in the nine team Delaware Valley Invitational meet Saturday. Competing against Delaware Valley College, Susquehanna, Albright, Western Maryland, Elizabethtown, F&M, Juniata and Moravian, Ursinus pulled up 76½ to 48½ and placed second place Del Val.

Making this accomplishment even more significant is that many of the opposing teams had varsity status, as compared to the Ursinus women, who compete as a club.

Prior to the Del Val Invitational, the club had rolled up an impressive 4-2 record and had met Head Coach Mark Davies and Assistant Coach Amy Bolt saw their girls open the season with back-to-back victories over Elizabethtown and Swarthmore. Ursinus then lost a dual meet to F&M and Albright, but bounced right back to gain revenge against Albright and once again beat Swarthmore in the last dual meet before the Del Val Tourney.

Outstanding performers for the club this year include soph Jankauskas, who is perhaps the best athlete of the 15 or so club members. Carol took firsts in both the shotput and discus at Del Val, winning each with personal bests. Sophomore Karin Hanson ran well in the 200 and 400 meters all year, and ended up placing second in the 400 and third in the 200 at Del Val. Yet another sophomore, Penny Owens enjoyed a fine season in the 1500, including a third place finish at Del Val, where Amy ran a personal best. Freshman Trish Vergis placed fourth in her specialty, the 880, at Del Val. Finally, frosh Linda Miller had a fine year complementing Jankauskas in the field events. Competing in all the throwing events, Linda placed third in the discus and fourth in the javelin and shotput at Del Val. Coach Davies has been extremely pleased with the progress made by the club in the little more than one year of existence, and foresees a bright future for the club. “We need to have an outlet for people interested in running and competing in field events as a team,” said Davies, who also pointed to the growth in women’s track in the local high schools and other MAC schools as evidence of interest in women’s track. Davies also added that the club is considering running some cross country meets next fall, and that any girl interested in running should contact either him or Trish Vergis.