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Roberts To Kickoff Homecoming Celebration

A Jan. 22 All-University Homecoming Banquet, featuring Baseball Hall of Fame Great Robin Roberts as the speaker, will highlight 1977 Homecoming activities at USF Jan. 17-23. Other events will include USF basketball games, a donkey basketball game pitting the USF administration against the faculty, a Homecoming parade, a golf tournament, open houses and displays, a science fiction film festival and the annual University Follies.

Violence Is Seminar Topic

A series of six free talks entitled "Violence, Violation and the 60's," featuring nationally renowned speakers, will be held on six consecutive Wednesdays, beginning Jan. 19, at 7:30 p.m. in the Auditorium of the St. Petersburg Campus of USF.

Sponsored by the department of English, the series, which follows the lead of the Humanities and supported possible by a $10,000 grant from the Florida Endowment for the Humanities. Dr. Irving Deer is director of the series.

The format for each program will feature the main speaker, responses from prominent local citizens and discussions with the audience.

"The series is devoted to examining the meaning of dissent and turmoil of the 60's to see what it meant then and what effects it has had on us," said Dr. Deer.

The series schedule is as follows:

Jan. 19...Benjamin DeMott, author of "Surviving the Seventies," "Supergrow," and other well-known books, columnist, critic and professor at Amherst College, will speak on "The Trauma of the 60's."

Respondents will be Don Baldwin, director of the Modern Media Institute, and Eugene Patterson, editor and president of the "St. Petersburg Times."

Distinguished Teacher, Scholar Nominations Open To Community

Nominations for the 1977 Distinguished Teacher and Distinguished Scholar may be made, with documentation, by any member of the USF community.

Nominations for each award should be submitted to the Dean of the College with which the nominee is connected in time for the Dean to submit the documentation to the Honors and Awards Council by March 1, Dr. F.W. Carbonell, M.D. 1032, is the chairperson of that committee.

The Distinguished Teacher Award will be given for outstanding quality and effectiveness in teaching within any discipline of the University. It is recommended that nominations include supporting evidence through faculty colleagues and including evaluations of the nominee's effect on both previous and current students.

The Distinguished Scholar Award will be given in recognition of creative scholarly achievement within any discipline of the University. It is recommended that supporting evidence, including (1) a comprehensive curriculum vitae, (2) a list of scholarly publications, and (3) assessments of the nominee's standing in the scholarly community by recognized authorities, accompany each nomination.

Guidelines for submitting nominations have been sent to each Dean and Department Chairperson.

Role and Scope Task Force: USF Keeps Ph.D. Programs

The SUS Role and Scope Task Force last Friday in Sarasota approved policy proposals which, in effect, protect current USF doctoral programs and give the University the opportunity to expand programming on all levels on the basis of demonstrated needs in the future.

One proposal notes that new doctoral programs will be limited during the next 10 to 15 years and that the University of Florida and Florida State "will continue to offer a comprehensive range of advanced graduate degree programs when certain factors are appropriately demonstrated. These factors should include: 1) demand for students who are 'place-bound' (e.g. the economic disadvantaged, the employed and minorities), 2) other needs of the geographic area, or 3) special characteristics of the university and/or the resources of the area which facilitate serving state, national and/or international needs."

The other adopted proposal which affects current USF programs states: "In order to provide accessibility for 'place-bound' students to as many programs as possible, programs should be duplicated in different areas of..."
Homecoming Activities ...... (Cont. from Page 1)

A 10 p.m. dance featuring music by Coal and Ash will follow the game at the Holiday Inn until 2 a.m. A donkey basketball game pitting the USF administration against the faculty will kick-off Homecoming activities on Jan. 17 at 8 p.m. in the Gym. Pi Kappa Alpha social fraternity is sponsoring this event to benefit muscular dystrophy. Admission is a $1 donation.

The third annual University Folies where faculty, staff and students combine their wit, satire, music, dance and comedy to poke fun at the USF administration, Board of Regents, Legislature and higher education will begin at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 19 in the Theatre Auditorium. Admission is free.

In addition to the Homecoming basketball game against Stetson, the USF Golden Brahmins will take on Florida State University at 8 p.m. Jan. 20 at Curtis Hixon. (Basketball ticket information is available by calling 974-2125.) The third annual USF vs. University of Florida lacrosse game will be at 2 p.m. Jan. 22 on the USF soccer field. Admission is free.

Student Government Productions is sponsoring a Science Fiction Film Festival each evening Jan. 20-23. Admission is $1 (free to USF students with validated ID's).

The USF Homecoming Committee and University Center Program Advising has planned "Mad Hatters Day--A Wonderland of Fun" in the University Center from noon-4 p.m. Jan. 19. Displays from the University's nine colleges, contests, free food and entertainment will be featured.

A Homecoming parade will tour the USF Campus from 1:10 to 1:45 p.m. Jan. 21. President Reece Smith will be the parade marshal. A Brahman Stampede pep rally and social with refreshments will be held on the UC Mall at the conclusion of the parade. The second Beauty and the Beast Contest, to elect a mock Homecoming King and Queen to be crowned at the Jan. 22 basketball game halftime, will be held. Alpha Phi Omega National Service Fraternity sponsors the event to benefit its scholarship fund. Voting, at one cent a vote, will take place at Homecoming events throughout the week.

The annual alumni sponsored golf tournament will kick-off at 9 a.m. Jan. 22 on the USF Golf Course. The entry fee is $25 per golfer.

Ambassador From Turkey To Speak At USF Model UN

The Ambassador from Turkey to the United Nations, The Hon. Iltur Turkmen, will be the major speaker at USF's ninth annual Model United Nations sessions Jan. 27-30 at the University Center.

The Ambassador will speak at the opening session of the General Assembly, Thursday, Jan. 27 at 8:30 p.m. in the Business Auditorium (BSA). A reception honoring him will follow at the Holiday Inn on Fowler Avenue.

Over 300 delegates from colleges and universities around the country and from local high schools will discuss world problems in sessions that simulate the United Nations in New York. Registration is scheduled for 9 a.m. Jan. 27 at the UC.

Cathy Townsend will be Secretary General and Lorna Musselman, as Under Secretary General of External Affairs, will chair the General Assembly. Dr. Mark Orr is faculty advisor for the Model UN.

Violence Conference ...... (Cont. from Page 1)

Jan. 26...John Lewis, executive director, Voter Education Project, and former chairman, Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, will talk on "Black Liberation and the Beloved Community--Violence and Nonviolence." Respondents will be Steve Lawson, USF professor of history, who has written a book on the civil rights movement of the 50's and 60's, and Don Steger, director of Affirmative Action and Title IX for the Pinellas County School System.

Feb. 2...Richard Flacks, author and chairperson, Department of Sociology, University of California, Santa Barbara, will speak on "From Dissent to Politics: The Emergence of a Pragmatic Radicalism." Respondents will be Herman Goldner, attorney and former mayor of St. Petersburg, and Gardner Beckett, attorney and chairman of the Greater St. Petersburg ACLU Chapter Legal Panel.

Feb. 9...Elizabeth Athanasakos, presiding officer of the National Commission on the Observance of International Women's Year, and an attorney and former judge in Ft. Lauderdale, will talk on "Women in the 60's and Since." Respondents will be Ellen Kimmel, professor of education at USF, and Geneva Forrester Flaherty, well known criminal defense attorney in St. Petersburg.

Feb. 16...John niece, former assistant to the Chancellor at Berkeley during student unrest there, author, television commentator and professor at Berkeley, will speak on "Revolt of the Young--What's Happened?" Respondents will be James A. Gould, professor of philosophy at USF, and Robert Johnson, USF graduate student who worked in the anti-war movements of the 60's.

Feb. 23...Chesterfield Smith, former president of the American Bar Association and prominent Lake­land attorney, will talk on "Dissent and the Law Since the 60's." Respondents will be Richard Frank, constitutional lawyer from Tampa and Terrell Sessions, former speaker of the Florida House of Representa­ tives and Tampa attorney.

Blue Cross Ups Premiums

Blue Cross-Blue Shield has announced that there will be an increase in the rates for coverage under the State Health Insurance Program effective Feb. 1, 1977.

The increase in cost to employees for the individual employee coverage (Option I) is $1.16 per month, and this amount will be paid for all participating employees from funds accumulated in the Group Health Insurance Trust Fund. This will pay the entire cost of the increase for employees with individual coverage (Option I) and will reduce the increase for all other participating employees who have elected additional coverage under this plan. Current and new deductions are shown below. Current and new deductions are shown below.

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The above amounts are monthly figures. Note there is a decrease in the cost for Medicare Supplement.

Since premiums are deducted in advance, pay checks received in January will reflect the increase. Questions may be directed to Marge Bishop or Phyllis Hann, ext. 2530.
BOR Meeting Highlights

USF last week was authorized by the BOR to offer the doctoral degree in engineering science on a permanent basis.

The action was one of a series of recommendations adopted by the Board at a Sarasota meeting following a review of engineering programs throughout the state system.

USF has been offering the doctoral degree in engineering sciences only to graduate students enrolled when engineering was shifted from FSU to Tampa several years ago.

The SUS study, along with recommending continuation of the doctorate, commended USF’s engineering program as “excellent” and for "serving local needs in an exemplary fashion.”

Other approved recommendations included a freeze on the establishment of new colleges of engineering, better use of existing resources to improve the quality of existing engineering programs, and greater access to engineering study through development of cooperative programs in southeast Florida and in Jacksonville and Pensacola areas.

In other actions the BOR:

- Approved its capital outlay request to the 1977 Legislature, including 42 priority projects totaling $55.4 million. Seven USF projects totaling $10.4 million were included. In BOR priority order, they are: St. Petersburg Phase I expansion, no. 3 ($5.4 million); science center renovation, no. 6 ($640,000); chemistry renovation, no. 7 ($1 million); utility expansion, no. 8 ($1.35 million); St. Petersburg Phase II, no. 22 ($1.7 million); Fort Myers campus planning, no. 26 ($50,000); and administration building renovation, no. 34 ($350,000).

- Approved USF’s recommendation to move toward construction of its $7 million mass seating facility in concert with the University of Florida’s mass seating facility. Both have similar design. At the same time, Regent E.W. Hopkins asked the BOR staff to review potential construction problems and report back to the Board in February to see if the project should continue forward.

- Approved three personnel rule changes involving political activity, staff leave and patents and copyrights.

Marshall Criser was reelected BOR chairman for 1977, and James Gardener was reelected vice chairman. In announcing Board committee assignments, Criser said he had chosen for the 1977 Follies.


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the state when duplication does not result in significant additional cost nor reduction in quality. However, baccalaureate and master’s degree programs which, in order to maintain high quality, require large investments in specialized equipment and facilities, should not be offered in each university.”

The task force overall approved a policy program and five policies which will frame the general guidelines for role and scope statements for USF and each of the other state universities.

These policy recommendations are expected to be brought to the Board for action in March. Meanwhile, the task force will begin discussions on other system-wide policy proposals, covering such areas as criteria for location of duplicative programs, residence centers and branches, dormitories, remedial programs and research and service.

“Big Folly” Rumored For Jan. 19.

Rumors are running rampant that USF is about to commit a “big folly.” The INTERCOM has learned that most members of the University community are certain that this folly is the 7:30 p.m. Jan. 19 production in the TAT which is being billed as the third annual University Follies, a faculty/staff/student spoof on higher education.

However, Follies Director Dr. Roy Francis insists that the big folly may actually be USF’s “Search for a New President,” which is the tongue-in-cheek theme chosen for the 1977 Follies.

Wit, satire, music, dance and comedy by those willing to poke fun at the University, BOR and Legislature will be featured. Among the more notable acts are the return engagement of Victor Borge; the country-western group “Shanty” in “Don’t Make Me Graduate Now;” “A Conclusive Compendium of Contemporary Commentary on the University Scene—Or Telling It Like It Is In Song,” and a Rockette-style song and dance by the Accounts Payable Sidekicks.

It is also rumored that, in addition to those who prefer (wisely?) to remain anonymous, the following are in some way involved in the production: Greg Schreiner, Betty Guzman, Gail Kusher, Bill Klein, Scott Miller, David Bullard, Howard Barbree, Marilyn Marinello, Denise Streiglein, Louisa Hecht, Keith Lupton, Cheryl King, Laverne Shearon, Charlotte McQuaid, Kathy Campbell, Ida Wakefield, Helen Clabby, Elaine Eland, Carol Guthrie, Wynette Brown, Dottie Sibert, Bruce Cameron, Francis and the USF Homecoming Committee.

York: No Tuition Increase

No increase in registration and tuition fees charged students attending state universities in Florida was recommended for the 1977-78 school year by the Staff of the Board of Regents.

Chancellor E.T. York said at Friday’s BOR meeting that student fees in Florida had been increased substantially over the past three years, with the result that they are now the second highest among public universities in the South and among the highest in the nation.

“We are concerned that the relatively high fees being charged Florida students are depriving many students of the opportunity for a college education,” he said. “The impact is even greater when you consider that there has been during the past year a substantial decline in financial aid for many students.”

The Staff recommendation that all student fees remain at the same level as for 1976-77 will go to the Board of Regents at its Feb. 7 meeting in Orlando.

New College Successfully Meets $500,000 Fund Raising Challenge

New College of USF successfully met a $500,000 challenge grant from an anonymous donor and raised more than the $300,000 in matching funds by midnight Dec. 31.

The final total of $326,870 was 22 per cent more than required. Donations included four of $50,000. USF President Reece Smith said the campaign assured “continued commitment of the University and the State University System to the growth and furtherance of New College.”
Faculty Advisory Committee Formed To Aid In USF Presidential Search

Dr. Helen Popovich, speaker of the Faculty Senate and vice chairperson of the Presidential Advisory Search Committee, has formally recognized a Faculty Advisory Panel to the Search Committee.

The panel consists of a representative of each college, as well as the St. Petersburg Campus, and was selected by faculty senators of the respective colleges.

"The panel will have the opportunity to examine and evaluate the vita of each candidate for the position of president," said Dr. Popovich. "And the panel's recommendations concerning the candidates will be reported to the Search Committee at the time names are presented for consideration."

The panel will have the opportunity to meet all candidates brought to USF for interviews, Dr. Popovich added.

"I have urged the panel to take an active part in searching for qualified candidates by soliciting nominations from their colleagues in other universities and from the leaders of their respective professional organizations," she said. "I also urge other members of the University community to make recommendations to the Search Committee."

Members of the faculty panel are: Roy Behnke, Medicine; Jesse Binford, Natural Sciences; Glen Burdick, Engineering; David Clement, Social & Behavioral Sciences; Harriette Deaver, St. Pete Campus; Robert Gehris, Fine Arts; Richard Meyer, Business; Richard Ober, Education; James Parrish, Arts and Letters; Jeanne Rackow, Nursing.

Andria P. Troutman (math. ed.) President of the Florida Council of Teachers of Mathematics presented at the business meeting in Orlando on Oct. 15...she led a workshop entitled "Mathematical Aids: Which are Realistic?" at the regional meeting of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics in Orlando on Oct. 16.

Charles W. Armade (int. studies) was on a State Dept. Leadership trip in Ecuador, Peru and Bolivia lecturing at local universities and historical associations. In Bolivia he was the honored guest of the Univ. of LaPaz, The Simon Patino Foundation and the Presidency of the Republic. The purpose was to debate his controversial book, the "Emergence of the Republic of Bolivia" now in its fourth edition.

Mary W. Durso (bus. educ.) participated in a session sponsored by the Univ. of Zagreb entitled "Impact of Office Education Produced by the Integration of Word Processing and Data Processing Applications" at an international business machines show in Zagreb, Yugoslavia in October.

Herbert D. Kimmel (psychology) presented a video tape of a Flatworm (planaria) being conditioned at a conference on Classical Conditioning held in England at the Institute of Psychiatry of the Univ. of London on Dec. 23.

L.F. Doty (eng.) received a NASA recognition award for a paper "Redundant Systems With Random Parameters and Multiple Noisy Inputs."


J.E. Turbeville (physics) "Off Spill Solutions" to the North Tampa Civitans luncheon, Dec. 22.

A. Mukherjea (math.) gave an invited talk in the International conference at Oberwolfach, West Germany on Probability measures on Groups in February... gave an invited talk at the Tulane University Mathematics colloquium on Infinite convolutions on Groups in December.

Robert Summer (music) appeared on "Involvement 10," WLCY, Ch. 10 on Nov. 15 to talk about the Madrigal Dinners.

Steven Schimmel, M.D. (biochem.) appeared on "Information 8," (medical segment) WFLA-TV, Ch. 8 to discuss muscular dystrophy research on Nov. 20.

Dr. Hilary Harper (crim. just.) appeared on "Involvement 10," WLCY, Ch. 10 on Nov. 26 to discuss "Growth of Criminal Justice Program.

Robert Burton (economics) appeared on the "Mike Fisher Show" WDAE radio on Nov. 23 to discuss the national economy.


Richard P. Wunderlin (bio.) "Bauhinia Lunarioides: A Misapplied Name,"


