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SPOTLIGHT



UTAH TECHNICAL COLLEGE AT SALT LAKE

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WHAT CHANCE FOR THE BUSINESS BUILDING?

Will the upcoming January legislature bond for new State buildings? The State Building Board has a list rounded out to approximately \$100 million.

Utah Tech's request for a Business Building won't see the light of day until at least \$53 million of other buildings have been funded. Only then can our 45,000 square feet (first phase) have any chance. And it'll cost the taxpayers approximately \$5.5 million for just that part of the building. (A future second phase of about 36,000 sq. ft. isn't even under consideration on anybody's list, yet.)

Utah has a high reputation in the nation's bonding market. You can help push for this building by letting your legislator know of the college's need.

ALL PERSONNEL MEETING

Everyone's invited! At least all Utah Tech employees. We gladly announce a Christmas ALL PERSONNEL MEETING on Friday, December 19th at 9:00 a.m. in the Nelson Administration Building Multi-Purpose Room on the main level.

There'll be music and refreshments, visiting with colleagues you may not have seen around for awhile; and some comments from President Schnirel.

And door prizes!

ALUMNI OFFICERS NAMED

New alumni officers were appointed during the past couple of weeks to serve the needs of alumni during 1981.

Working with Bonny Terry, alumni coordinator, will be Dennis Huston, president; Ingrid Sanz, vice-president; and Marcia Salazar, secretary.

Mr. Huston served the college as studentbody president a couple of years back. He also has been state VICA president, and national VICA vice-president in the post-secondary division. He works currently as audio-video engineer for Bonneville Productions.

Ingrid Sanz is President of WINGS (Windows into New Growth Success) and instructor in Effective Training Workshops. She has a wealth of background in business, public relations and speaking activities.

Marcia Salazar works as secretary for KUTV's attorney. Formerly she worked in the Governor's office.

UTC CONTINGENT RETURNS FROM A.V.A.

Representing the college at the just completed annual convention of the American Vocational Association in New Orleans were Alex Butler, Gladys Daly, Tom Ellison, Brent Goodfellow, Neal Grover, Jean Larsen, Dick Olsen and Dave Westley. Dr. Dale Cowgill was present, also.

SKILLS CENTER DIRECTORS

New co-directors of the Salt Lake Skills Center (the division of the college located on the Downtown Campus) are Pat Latham and Brent Goodfellow.

While both directors are cooperating together fully, there are divisions of responsibility as far as personnel are concerned. Reporting to Pat are faculty engaged in all Youth and most Adult training programs. Brent has charge of Adult Clerical Training personnel and the classified staff.

Kathryn Beebe, former manager of the division, is now returning to her first love of teaching in the Business division.

FACILITIES ROUNDUP

As the Fall Quarter sinks into the sunset we note a few new things going on, or about to happen, in the Facilities area of the College:

* Nine new durably signs have been posted on perimeter roads of the Redwood Road campus pointing out where Registration and Student Services are housed.

* The institution is leasing out for one-year, effective December 15, one of the houses at the edge of the campus on 2200 West.

* No buildings are being heated above 68° through the winter. And, during the Christmas recess (apart from the College Center), none of the buildings will be heated at all.

* Come the beginning of Winter Quarter the Commercial Art silkscreen program moves into a newly remodeled area: the house fronting Redwood Road which previously has been used for paint storage and Guenther Prause's carpentry projects, will now take on a new look.

* Will there or won't there be new carpeting in the Technology Building Library area? It's programmed to be installed during Christmas vacation, but ... the color has some people worried. It's the same color or grade of carpet as recently installed in the Pre-Tech department.

* Faye Jensen deserves credit for arranging grading and fill dirt of the Redwood Road frontage to the college, without any cost to the institution. Sodding is now complete and provides an open look to the school.

SICK LIST:

Earl Bartholomew, recovering from a heart attack, due back on campus beginning of Winter Quarter.

R. H. "Hal" Hansen, throat surgery and other complications, recovering nicely, due back Winter Quarter.

Jim Thomas, heart attack, is about back in business with us.

Both Billy Clark and Barbara Crookston were forced to retire earlier with permanent disabilities.

Dick Wisan, recovering from a painful neck problem, back on campus.

CAFETERIA CHIEF APPOINTED

Named new Food Service Manager for the College is Al Richardson, former director of food services at Utah State Prison. He succeeds Jim Gardner, who had served as manager since 1978.

Auxiliary Services Manager Bill Means notes that Mr. Richardson recently won the nationally acclaimed Silver Plate Award.

JANUARY TRAVEL LECTURE DATED

Before the date gets lost in the shuffle, mark on your January calendar a filmed visit to Spain. On Thursday the eighth at 8:00 p.m. John Nicholls Booth will be lecturing in the Technology Building auditorium. Mr. Booth has been to Utah Tech several times over the past decade, and his travel presentations have always proven interesting and colorful. Cost is \$2.00 per person at the door.

SPOTLIGHT ON PEOPLE

CURTIS YOUNGMAN & BOYD WARNICK are co-chairmen this year of Utah Tech's DECA (Distributive Education Clubs of America) unit on campus. In November they escorted 15 students to Colorado Springs for a three-day leadership conference of DECA's western region. About 500 students participated in the practical training sessions.

JOSEPH BRINKERHOFF works hard in teaching math by day, but most of his spare hours are spent building up his business representing Watkins and Rawleigh products... concentrating largely on household items, spices, etc.

For at least an hour once a week you're almost certain to find a group of Utah Tech employees playing tennis under the bubble at the Cottonwood Club. ANN ERICKSON, VERLAINE ZITO, LORETTA WALKER, and sometimes SHIRLENE LUKE gather as avid tennis enthusiasts. Word has it that Verlaine has a wicked serve that floors many a sports foe. And the record shows that these ladies are fierce competition, individually or in any combination, against their racquet opponents.

GRANT SMART recently returned from a conference in southern Arizona, where he gave a successful presentation on Program Budgeting and Program Audits. Grant had been serving on the board of directors of the National Association of Veterans Program Administrators, and concluded his term with the majority of the 285 attendees listening intently to his part on the program. The former Veterans Affairs Coordinator has now switched assignments at UTC to the teaching faculty.

The October issue of "Drafting & Repro Digest" contained an article by KARL SEAMAN titled "What Industry expects from Drafting Education." Seaman, Cooperative Education Director for Technical Occupations at the college, has been a member of the American Institute for Design and Drafting for six years, and is a director of AIDD now, serving as chairman of that organization's Curricular Certification Committee. His article was adapted from a paper delivered at AIDD's 21st annual convention in Chicago earlier in the year.

CHRISTMAS ACTIVITIES DOWNTOWN

Christmas activities for the Downtown Campus community include three significant events: Sub-for-Santa, student/staff party and a personnel get-together off-campus.

The student/staff Christmas noon-time party will be held Thursday, December 18th with the event being a potluck affair. Door prizes will be presented, and an exchange is to be held of toys and other items.

The Sub-for-Santa drive looks like being a real success, with several Skills Center families (chosen by independent review) receiving aid at this important time. Earlier, departments of the Center were being asked to raise at least \$50.00 each to go for the Drive.

Friday the 19th, all Skills Center employees and their partners have been invited to an evening party at the Copper King in Magna.

JOHN WEIMER, in his role as a member of the Utah State Parks and Recreation board, - a position appointed by Governor Matheson - has been busy in assisting in the dedication of three facilities. Fort Buena Ventura (the site of one of the first white settlements in Utah) was dedicated as a State Park. The South Shore marina at the Great Salt Lake was also appropriately set apart; as was the Iron Mission Museum in Cedar City, around which is being built a pioneer-type village.

College Store manager BILL MEANS with assistant manager STEVE FERRE co-hosted the regional meeting of the Mountain States Association of College Stores - NACS - held at the Little America Hotel in Salt Lake. More than 170 bookstore people and vendors attended from Idaho, Utah, Montana and Wyoming. Purpose of the conference was to air mutual problems and receive training on effective personnel management. NACS national president Robert Bell, Lehigh University, was impressed enough with the facilities and arrangements that he undertook a tour of the city and convention area with a view to possibly bringing the national organization's annual meeting to Salt Lake City one year.

As a relief from the pressures of the President's office at the college, JIM SCHNIREL retires to his Summit Park home and the relaxation of painting. Landscapes in the watercolor media are engrossing him at the present time. It may not be too long before his own paintings are gracing his office - and perhaps those of serious collectors, too.

JUDD MORGAN & CURTIS SMOUT returned from attending a highly successful Human Resources Seminar in Evanston, Illinois.

BRYAN GARDNER is co-author of "Build a Better You - Starting Now" (volume 5), published in the late summer. The book, one of a projected series of 26 published by Showcase Publishing Co. of California, primarily deals with motivational/inspirational material.