

# Editorial

## Schools lack identification

All schools, especially community colleges, face the problem of the lack of identification with the institution. Generally, students belong to a school only educationally. They are not part of the school. Many times, students demonstrate a lack of loyalty, cohesiveness, and school spirit.

A community college aggravates the problem of a lack of identification. Many students attend school from surrounding counties. The student population consists of diverse ethnic and age groups. These factors do not contribute to school unity.

Of course, at a community college like ACC it is impossible to achieve the identification that is present in a university. Yet there are pockets of unity at ACC. The students residing in the Residence Hall are a microcosm themselves, the clubs bring together those who share common interests; student organizations such as **Campus Update**, **Earth**, and Student Senate unite to achieve goals.

Yet the most powerful magnetic force at ACC, is in the area of sports.

For example the successful Intermural sports program, with the exciting flag football season just completed and the newly organized floor hockey competition beginning, gives its members and spectators alike a sense of pride in ACC, as will the men's and women's bowling leagues when they begin.

The star attractions, though, are the ACC men's and women's basketball teams. These teams play to a packed gymnasium while other community colleges have more playing on the team than cheering in the stands.

The Lumberjacks and the Lumberjills are the super-glue of ACC. Without them, there would be little identification at ACC. Yet, thanks to our excellent basketball teams, anyone can be proud to say "I attend school at ACC."

## Muscle contest scheduled

Males and females will be flexing their biceps Monday, November 19 at 9:00 p.m. An Arm Wrestling contest is scheduled to take place in the center section of the Residence Hall. Winners will receive \$10.00 in prize money. Come on down and test your strength.

# Phi Theta Kappa recognizes students

The purpose of Phi Theta Kappa, ACC's honor society, is to recognize outstanding students and to give college students the incentive to achieve their goals. Members must rank high in moral character, leadership, and academic excellence.

Becoming a member of Phi Theta Kappa is not easy. First, the advisor of the club receives a list of all ACC students with a grade point average of 3.2 or better. He sends this list to all faculty members for approval or disapproval. Freshmen must be approved by at least three faculty members and sophomores by five to be eligible for membership. (If even one faculty member opposes a student's membership, that student is ineligible.) A letter is then sent to each eligible student, inviting him to join Phi Theta Kappa. The student may choose not to join if he wishes.

The students who decide to join attend a candlelight initiation ceremony in the presence of family and friends, usually held in December. Here, they receive a certificate of membership from the National head

quarters, and become official members of Phi Theta Kappa. To retain membership, students must maintain a 3.0 or better grade point average.

Various money-making activities by the club help to finance initiation activities and an annual trip or tour.

This year's Phi Theta Kappa President is Faye Donald and advisor is Dr. Richard Moreau.

At the November 9, Phi Theta Kappa meeting, club officers were appointed. These were John Garant as Vice President, and Cathy Mason as Treasurer.

Planning began for the December 9 initiation of new members at 7:00 P.M. Fraternity members are urged to attend the November 30 meeting at 2:00 P.M. in the Learning Skills Center to discuss the arrangements for initiation of these ACC students chosen from the 1979 spring semester. Nominated students must notify Dr. Moreau by December 1, to participate in the Initiation ceremony.

# Club promotes better business

The ACC/WAFB Business Club was established to better prepare students at the Wurtsmith Air Force Branch of ACC for the business world by providing an environment for personal growth and development, and to encourage interaction between students and the business community.

While the emphasis of the club's goals are directed toward the business student, the club is very interested in having Law Enforcement, Liberal Arts, Science, and Education students join its membership. The club membership believes that all occupations are a part of the business world.

The club's history is brief, but its future is bright. The By-laws were signed one year ago in September, 1978, and in that year, the club accomplished many things. The greatest accomplishment was the awarding of a scholarship for \$100.00 to Kim Boswell for the Fall 1979 semester. The Business Club would like to make this a regular event every semester, and if enough funds can be raised, would

like to award at least two scholarships this year.

Last year, the club sponsored the Readers' Dinner Theatre which was a great success, and this, too, will become an annual affair.

A Study and Learning Skills Workshop was first sponsored at Wurtsmith by the Business Club. Student response was such that it has now become a 5 week-1 credit class in College Survival Skills.

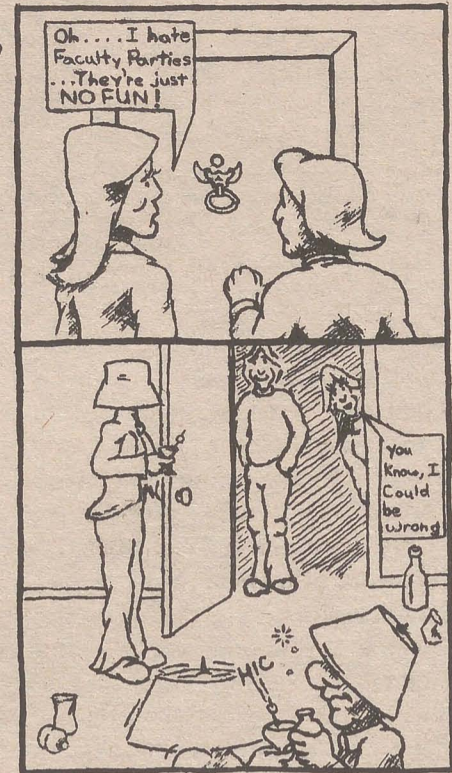
The Business Club wants to continue being an effective student organization, and to do so, it needs new faces, new ideas, and new challenges. IT NEEDS YOU!

## Update accepts wishes

Here's your big chance to impress that special person you've been eyeing in biology. **Campus Update** is now compiling a *Christmas Wish List* for the next edition. Wishes will be published to friends, faculty, and students. Here's the best part--it's FREE. Submit as many holiday greetings as you wish, and drop them off in the Update shoe box in VLH, by December 7.

# Campus Strip

by John Holcomb



## Slave sale to be held

Have you ever had the desire to own a slave? Thursday, November 29 at 9:00 p.m., a Slave Auction will be held in the center section of the Residence Halls. Faculty, staff and R.A.'s will be up for bids, so save your pennies and buy a slave for the day.

## Deer contest in session

The Big Buck contest started on November 15. These are the rules for the lucky deer hunters of ACC.

1) A picture of the buck in question must be turned in to Room 121 N, at the Residence Hall or see Scott Green. The picture must be accompanied by the date the buck was bagged and this year, 1979.

2) \$5.00 per point will be paid to the winner. In case of a tie, the buck with the largest rack spread will be declared the winner.

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