

# Former Student Makes Presentation

by Beatrice Kunath

The Journalism Department at ACC was fortunate to have Mary Kelly of WBKB, channel 11, as guest speaker.

Kelley came highly qualified to speak with the reporters and staff of the Campus Update, herself the editor in 1979.

Looking back at her education at ACC, Kelley recalled the classes that were helpful in developing her skills in broadcasting. Some of the classes she mentioned were speech, theatre, political science, English and journalism. Ms. Kelley enthusiastically commented that classes like these allow a person to gain selfconfidence, as well as acquiring leadership abilities. She was quick to add that students need independent characteristics even though

teamwork is important.

Kelley, who makes commonplace things come alive, encourages students to "care about the world they live in." She believes that a wide range of interest is important.

Ms. Kelley's communicative skills came from a good educational background. She graduated from ACC in 1979 as an Outstanding Community College Student and recipient of the Anna Besser Award, has a Bachelor of Applied Arts in Broadcasting from CMU in 1981, D-J and reporter with WHSB, and over 300 hours as an intern through CMU. Concerning her communicative skills, Kelley adds, "I'm constantly learning and trying to engineer out new techniques."

When talking about interviewing

which is second nature to her, she responded quickly, "people are important, the most important part of my job." In a caring way she said, "I'm not out to get people, but to get the best out of people."

Goals? Kelley has many: teaching part-time at a college, creating a talkshow, not to mention writing and photography.

Her presentation to ACC's Journalism class was a prepared tape of "bloopers," proving that reporters are human, too.

## ACT Presents

### "The Shadow Box"

by Kevin Schalkofski

Free student tickets will soon be available for the Alpena Civic Theatre production "The Shadow Box", a poignant Tony award and Pulitzer prize winning drama to be presented April 11-15 at the Alpena Civic Theatre.

Directed by Charmain Washburn, "The Shadow Box" is a story of inspiring determination and courage about three terminally ill people in a hospice setting, who when faced with death manage to teach a lesson about living.

Shirley Weaver, Ron Ross, Barb Elliot, Bill Dillworth, Chris Townsend, Keith Webb, Bob Dickenson, Don Elliot III, and Glenda Hall, round out an excellent cast of seasoned ACT veterans and aspiring newcomers, each of whom provide electrifying portraits in a show where humor and cynicism are intricately interwoven with the frankness of raw human emotion.

"The Shadow Box" does contain some frank language and themes that may not be suitable to all viewers.

Information about "The Shadow Box" can be obtained by calling Alpena Civic Theatre, or by stopping by the box office, located at 401 River St., between the hours of 12-2 and 4-9, Monday through Saturday.

## Placement Office Schedules Workshops

Alpena Community College has recently reinstated the Career Guidance Placement Office. Its main objective is to help students of ACC find part-time jobs and graduates of ACC find full-time jobs in the area of their major. The college has hired Debbie Kinn, a graduate of ACC, as a technician to work with students and employers. Frank McCourt, Placement Coordinator, will supervise all operations of the career office. Presently Ms. Kinn and Mr. McCourt are working on projects to inform students and employers of the new placement office. They will be teaching workshops to students on how to write resumes, how to prepare for an interview, etc...

The first workshop scheduled for college students is April 5, 1984 from 8:00am until 10:00am. There will be another workshop on April 16, 1984 from 4:00pm until 6:00 pm. Both of these workshops will be located in NRC 150. A portion of these workshops will involve filling out employment credential forms so the students will be registered in our placement office. To sign up for one of these sessions, contact Debbie Kinn in the BTC lobby or at 356-9021 Ext. 240. Also, tentatively scheduled for Thursday May 3, 1984 is a Campus/Career Day. This day will be scheduled in conjunction with the Administrations Office at the college both for college students and for perspective college students still finishing high school.

Any student who needs more information about their employment goals should contact Debbie Kinn. She will be setting up appointments

to go through a MOIS (Michigan Occupational Information System) test with students that matches their aptitude and interests to an employment area. MOIS also assists students in getting more information on opportunities in a specific area.

For more information about career opportunities or the operation of the placement office, call Debbie Kinn at 356-9021 Ext. 240 or Frank McCourt at Ext. 263 between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:00 pm.

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## Campus Update Staff Delves Into Apathy On Campus

The obvious apathy towards such activities as Homecoming has caused the Campus Update staff to try and answer the question; Why?

Along with the following survey, we will be submitting a questionnaire to the faculty and do some random interviewing. Hopefully, by using these three vehicles we will be able to accurately analyze the campus mood.

So while you are waiting for your turn at the pool table, or have a few minutes between classes, we would appreciate your filling out this survey and dropping it off at the Student Services desk in the lobby of BTC.

We will be reporting our findings in a future edition of Campus Update.

**ATTENTION**

The Alpena Community College Residence Hall Association is holding a 50/50 drawing on April 11. Tickets can be purchased from any R.H.A. member. Buy your tickets now! For more information ask at the Student Affairs Office.

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Age \_\_\_\_\_

Female \_\_\_\_\_

Male \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a full-time \_\_\_\_\_ or a part-time student \_\_\_\_\_

Attend evening \_\_\_\_\_ day

1. What activities have you participated in? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Which of the following activities are important:

a. social

b. educational

c. athletic

d. none

3. Check the following reasons why you do not participate in activities:

a. schedule conflict

b. family obligations

c. not enough time

d. not informed

e. not interested

4. Where do you obtain information for campus activities?

a. Splinter

b. Campus Update

c. Word of mouth

Fill In, tear off and return to the Student Affairs Office.  
Thank You!