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Last Issue

ACC GIVES RECOGNITION TO STUDENTS

Three cheers for those outstanding Alpena community College students.

On April 27, 1988, an awards banquet was held at Holiday Inn, to give recognition to students for their achievement, participation and involvement.

The presentation of the awards began with Dean John McCormack regonginzing Paul Townsend as the outstanding ACC Freshmen Student with the Dow Leadership Award. Townsend also received the Math and Science Awards--two separate awards.

Other awards were as follows:

Student Senate: Ann Meldrum, John Pines, Chuck Witt, Scott Bartz, Mike Fournier, Cindy Argyle.

Campus Activities Board: Tammy Cox, Rich

Melville, Don Elliott, Nick Barraco.

Besser Technical: Kathy Tachick and Nick Brege.

Lumberjack: Ann Meldrum, Lisa Smith, Brenda Roy, Tom Krist, and Mary Bartz.

Business Club: Donna Cochrane

Law Enforcement: Ron Hall, Gary Buckerfield, Cole Porter, John Putkamer, Mary Bluck, Mary Caldwell, Brenda Olsen, and Karen Hollister.

Volunteer Center: Kristen Kanarr, Christine Tronge, Lori Davis, Connie Gasperin, and Anne Moody.

Cheerleaders: Lynn Iler, Tracey Buchner, Julie Chadkowitz, Leslie Hemple, Junko Kasugi, Karen Bartosh, Connie Hilla.

Intramurals: football, volleyball, basketball, and bowling.

Women's Basketball: Dee Ann Lewis, Anita Davis, Marla Spring, Amy Sims, Mimi Henderson, Roxanne Wheeler, Sherry Hyvarinen, Tabatha Koger, Priscilla Cross, Ruth Cole, Ami VonDrasek.

Mens Basketball: Terry Green, Maurice Windom, Andre Reams, Richard Gamble, Steve Smith, Marcus Burrell, Dave Marlett, Bill Weaver, Paul Bennett.

The banquet was sponsored by the Student Senate. It began with a buffet dinner followed by the presentation of the awards.

Congratulations to all those students who have been awarded.



Paul Townsend receives DOW Award

SPRING FLING MAKES ITS MARK

Not only is May 6 the last day of classes at ACC but it also marks the day for Spring Fling.

Spring Fling is the last activity that the Campus Activities Board sponsors. It is FREE for all students, faculty,

staff, and administration (plus their guest).

On May 6, beginning at 8:00am, Mr. Miesen, Dr. Dunckle and Ann Meldrum will start the day's events off by roasting a pig.

The pig roasting will take place out behind VLH. Anyone who is interested in learning the basics in pig roasting is welcome to stop by and "pork" their nose into it.

The pig should be ready for serving at about 4:00pm and their will also be a picnic dinner to accompany the pig. The Cirlce K Club has helped to provided the dinner and soft drinks.

During the day the Law Enforcement Club will be providing activities such as a dunk tank, a volleyball tournament and a pie throwing contest. Anyone who is interested in volleyball, please sign your team up at either the Law Enforcement Office--VLH or the Student Senate Office--BTC.

To top off the day's events there will be a dance that night beginning at 9:00pm and end at 1:00am. The dance will take place behind VLH in a big tent, and the music will be provided by a D.J. The dress will be casual.

The Campus Activities Board hopes that all who attend have a fun and exciting time.

ACCREDITATION TEAM VISITS ACC

The four-member consultant team from North Central Association has completed their check-up of ACC and has returned home. They are now in the process of putting together their evaluation in report form.

The evaluation report will be sent to ACC for proofreading of factual errors. Once this is completed, the evaluation report and a recommendation from the consultant team will be forwarded to the NCA in Chicago. In Chicago a review is conducted, and the final reaccreditation decision is reached.

It is not known yet as to how long the accreditation will be approved, but according to ACC's President Dr. Newport, "ACC can expect continuing accreditation with North Central." This comment was generated from the response of the consultant team while on campus.

During the interview with Dr. Newport he stated, "ACC was fortunate to have a consultant team with members from the approximate size colleges as ours." Dr. Newport also indicated that this contributed to the team's perspective of ACC which would prove to be beneficial for ACC in

the team's recommendation.

With a correct perspective of ACC the consultant team was accurately able to assess ACC's strengths and vision how well we are using our strengths, along with how well we are improving our weaknesses.

There were several ways that the consultant team conducted their evaluation. Dr. Newport commented on this area by saying, "the team virtually talked to all faculty members, they met with the administration and student senate, and had talks with random students in the lounges."

The consultant team visited the main campus, WurtSmith campus, East Campus and a quick stop at the Volunteer Center. These actions generated this comment from Dr. Newport, "They were a very visible and very active team."

After speaking with Dr. Newport awhile, he stated, "the exiting comments of Dr. McDivitt, chairperson for the consultant team, were very positive." This statement can only add to the anticipation of ACC as we await word on the renewal of accreditation, which will be final in July.



Last year's pig roast with Mr. Miesen and Ann Meldrum.