

# INTERESTING CLUB SHORTS ON CAMPUS

Many students at Alpena Community College have been involved in a club at some time during their education at this institution. Service clubs, social clubs, and academically oriented groups are among the organizations available to student.

Bringing the school year to a close, the *Lumberjack* staff did a bit of research to see what sort of activities each club has been involved with during the past two semesters. Here is what we found:

## BESSER TECH ASSOCIATION

The Besser Technical Association had several fundraisers this year. They include 50/50 raffles, a jelly bean contest, the Florida trip, and numerous bake sales.

They use the money that is raised from these activities to make trips to various places in Michigan. Such places include Steel Case Company in Grand Rapids, General Motors in Saginaw, and the Buick, Olds Assembly Plant in Lansing.

The BTA should be commended for their fundraisers, because they raise enough money so the students do not have to pay for their trips.

## BUSINESS CLUB

On Wednesday, April 20th, the Business Club went on an educational trip to Toronto, Canada.

Approximately 20 students undertook in this excursion, during which they visited a large department store in order to learn its business practices and about the Toronto stock exchange.

In addition to visiting a major advertising agency and a Toronto local newspaper, the club also met with people associated with the Toronto business world.



## ACC PLAYERS

Due to a lack of interest among the student body, it is possible that one of the college's clubs may cease to exist.

The ACC Players, a group of students interested in theater, has had trouble getting its act together. (Please pardon the pun.)

According to the group's President, Joyce Wait, there has not been enough interest or involvement generated to keep them going.

Players will be holding one more meeting, before the semester ends, to decide the club's fate. They will either elect new officers and try again next year or they will end the club.

If interested in attending the meeting, watch the *Splinter* for the date and time.



## LAW ENFORCEMENT

Throughout the year, the Law Enforcement Club has remained very active and their future looks positive.

In a recent interview, club President Ron Hall commented on the active organization. This past year, the Law Enforcement club was involved in many different types of fund-raising activities.

They went on field trips to down-state correctional facilities which proved to be quite a learning experience.

On the local level, they kept working toward their goal by involvement in Law Enforcement Day at the Alpena Mall. They also held bake sales, mug sales, car washes, and even raffles, the latest of which includes prizes of a motel, a dinner for 2, and Thunder Bay Theater tickets.

Hall continued saying that "we're committed toward the Sheriff Duane A. Badder Memorial Scholarship Fund." It is a scholarship established to help further educational opportunities in the law enforcement area.

Looking into the future, with this year's impressive membership of 24, Hall stated "we've done real well...we achieved our goal."

## NURSING ASSOCIATION

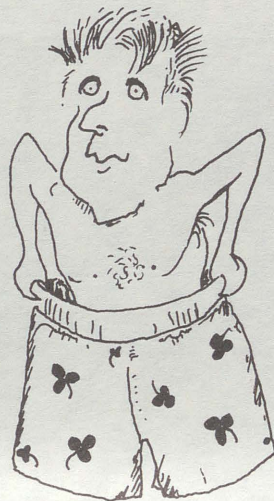
The Nursing Club will have 22 students graduating on May 11, with an associate degree in nursing. The Pinning ceremony will begin at 7:30p.m. at the East Campus gym, and the guest speaker will be State Representative John Pridnia.

On May 12, they also will have 15 people graduating from the health care program.

Congratulations to all graduates!

## CIRCLE K

Well the year is coming to a close and Circle K club is still at it. We have watched our favorite stars at their most entertaining film festivals. Those of us who made it, enjoyed more than our fill of munchies and entertainment. Circle K also had dances, bake sales and other activities.



## CONCRETE CLUB

The Concrete Club was a success for another year at ACC.

Throughout the year they were involved in college activities such as winning the garbage can painting competition, and helping with Homecoming.

The club has also helped to beautify the campus by building a patio out behind BTC snack bar. The patio will be finished in a few weeks. The Student Senate, Campus Activities Board, and the *Lumberjack* is funding for some plant life to be placed around the patio.

In the recent past, during the last week of April, many members went on a field trip. Their excursion found them at such places as Impercon, Inc. of Zilwaukee, and Precast/Schokbaton, Inc. offering the actual industrial experience.

All in all, another prosperous year for the Concrete Club and definitely for the Concrete Technology Program on our campus.



## STUDENT SENATE

"The Student Senate has built a good foundation for next year," according to Scott Bartz, Senate Treasurer.

Bartz believes this year's Student Senate has built a stepping-stone to success for next year's Senate.

The Senate has accomplished a lot of great things this year. Take for example, the Delta Consortium. This was a meeting of Community Colleges in Michigan formed together to discuss common problems and ways to handle different situations.

They also sent representatives of ACC to Washington D.C. to lobby. There they met with different legislators to discuss education funding and bills pending in Congress.

But the Senate has done many things that the student can directly see and take part. The list begins with dances; the Senate has put on many dances, with the help of other clubs, throughout the year to entertain students.

Contests. The Senate was always working on a variety of contests to get students involved, areas ranging from Trivial Pursuit to painting garbage cans.

The list goes on and on ranging from Casino Night, a blood drive, President Newport's Reception and much more.

The big upcoming event for the Senate is Spring Fling. Held May 6, 1988. A variety of activities will take place, so do not miss out.

Overall, the Senate takes action always aiming at the Students.

## SKI CLUB

The ski club students were often found out on the slopes at Mount Maria. They also participated in homecoming.



## PHI THETA KAPPA

Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) is an honorary society at community colleges throughout the nation. It is the community colleges most prestigious honor society.

This year the following students were inducted: Joseph Beauchamp, Victor Bruning, Donna Cochrane, Michael Fournier, Teresa Hornbacher, Kimberly Kowalski, Susan Markowski, Hans Olsen, Eric Pashley, James Potvin, Janice Sobeck, Ann Srebnik, Paul Townsend, Craig Weise, Roxanne Wheeler, Christopher Wisner, Jane Wood and Anna Zadow.

The following students are from the WAFB campus: Thomas D. Anderson, Michael J. Brennan, Kimberly A. Demmeka, Karen L. Gatny, Tammy A. LaCross, Shelly A. Miller, Nancy J. Reinhart, Kim R. Studer, and Todd Wellman.

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