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Students of Boise State University
State Board Approves Student Fee Increase
by Terris Roskey
Associate Editor

BSU—The Idaho State Board of Education met Thursday at the BSU Student Union Building, February 29-29 and approved fee increases for the Housing System and Health Center.

The Board approved the 12% increase for the BSU Housing System and dormitory rates. Dave Boerl, Assistant Director of the Office of Residential Life said the increases were necessary. "Utilities are killing us," said Boerl. He expected the utilities to continue to rise, as well as food costs. This increase will be effective for Fall Semester of 1980.

Dr. David Taylor, vice-president of Student Affairs Office explained the Health Center fee increase by saying that "the Health Center has always operated at a deficit. Reserve funds have been used (for the past) at the end of each budgeting period to balance the budget, but the reserve are no longer there."

The board also approved a $3.00 registration fee deletion effective Fall Semester 1980. This fee was implemented in 1977 by the State Board to aid the implementation of a computerized pre-registration system. The fee was to remain in effect for three years, with the $3.00 increase for the Health Center and the $0.50 fee increase at registration time this fall.

The approval of the Idaho Public Interest Research Group (PIRG) fee was postponed at the board meeting. After a spirited debate over PIRG, presently, the PIRG office is a deficit. Reserve funds are no longer there.

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"cold-drill" Goes on Sale

Boise State University Board, President, Gus Gustavson, voiced his opposition to a fee increase and said, "The signatures PIRG has obtained are not a statement of the true wishes of students. Many students signed the petition under personal pressure by the solicitor from PIRG. Many signed bearing a critique of PIRG. Many signed because of the "refund system."

After a spirited debate over PIRG and the legality of the organization in conjunction with Idaho statute, State Board member, Charyl Myers said, "I have a hard time realizing what is wrong with Idaho. PIRG has been successfully going in several other states being the past ten years. I see a great deal of student apathy—this shows them how to be involved. I think we should give this on all campuses."

Finally, the issue of PIRG was tabled until next month's meeting in Pocatello until legal details can be worked out. Board members are not generally opposed to PIRG, but to the idea of raising the student fees for an organization. ASSU President Cramer said, in response to Vice President Gus Gustavson's statement to the Board, "He is terribly inconsistent on his part. Last year he made no mention concerning the fact that a majority of students were forced to pay $40 increase in fees. Now in the face of $53 increase, it is curious, mind-boggling and frustrating to see the vice-president has chosen to speak out against a student organization."

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Presidential Race Proves Close
by Michelle Hartell
Associate Editor

BSU—The Associated Students of Boise State University (ASSSU), the primary elections February 28-29 and added three write-in senatorial candidates, leaving only 2 senate positions open.

In a close race, presidential candidate Sally Thomas had 9 votes more than her opponent, Steve Mathson. In the vice-president's race, Beth S. Young received 69 votes more than her opponent, Steve Maburn. The Senate race will not be open that decides the winner but rather the one that will declare a tie. All senators receiving the most votes will have the option to serve for one or an entire term. This year a special situation which will start the process of staggered elections.

Anita Wardwell with 73 votes and Kay Kemp with 60 votes are the Business Senator candidates. Bev Nichol is running for Health Science Senator and Debbie Brooks for Education senator.

Both Nichol and Brooks are running opposed for their respective schools.

Michael Mird with 41 votes will run, along with write-in candidate Fred Hall who received 16 votes, for the two Vo-tech senate seats. Gene Hayer with 38 votes and Bryan White with 21 votes were both write-in candidates for Arts and Science Senate positions and will be placed on the ballot in the general election.

AssSU Elections officer, Steve Cramer, said, "Approximately 500 students voted. One reason for the low turnout was that candidates did not do much campaigning. As the candidates' job to campaign and this publicity brings in votes. With campaigning candidates can promote enthusiasm and motivation."

The ASSSU elections Board will promote the candidate debates on March 12 and the general election to be held on March 19 & 20.
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**Happenings**

**SPeakers**

The BSU Parent Education Program will present a demonstration on "Contemporary of Teaching: Teaching Responsibility and Commitment." Thursday, March 6 at 7 pm in the Education Building, room 222. The program is offered as a supplement to parent discussion groups scheduled in Boise and is open to the public.

Don. Jerry Tash, BSU professor of education will speak on environmental education, Thursday, March 6, at 7 pm in the Boise Library on the SUB. The talk is prepared by the Family Work and Women organization, which requests scholarship donations at the date.

The social and legal implications of draft registration will be argued by a panel of nine activists for and against military conscription Monday, March 10 at 7:30 pm in the SUB Student Union Ballroom.

Sponsored by ASENS, the campus forum will also consider legal alternatives to military service, the need to resist draft registration, and the success of the all-volunteer U.S. Army. The public is invited to participate free of charge.

Tourmasters International has been invited to serve a new club at BSU. A Tourmasters club can offer you communications and leadership training. Make plans to attend the organizational meeting on March 15, 1980, in the Nis Perce Room at the SUB.

Here, sign up at the Student Activities office and plan to attend. It may just be the best move you ever make for a future, your life and your career.

**The Arts**

Open auditions for Noel Coward's "Blind Date" will be held Mar. 16th and 17th from 7-9 in the Idaho Civic Theatre Music Theater Auditorium. For more information call 383-1420.

The works of BSU faculty Artists are currently on exhibit in the University Gallery. Works by the gallery's permanent collection including pieces in nearly every media. The gallery is in the University Liberal Arts Building and is open from 9 am to 4:30 pm. Admission is free.

**Travel**

The BSU Travel Club is scheduling a trip to Seattle during Spring Break. Contact Brenda Foreman at 383-1342 for more information. Deadline for sign-up is today.

**Organizations**

The Classical Liberals, a new student organization, will be meeting Thursday, March 6 at noon in the Boise Room on the SUB. The group will discuss and research economic issues confronting society today.

Interested persons are invited to bring a sack lunch, a friend, and attend.

The international Student Association monthly meeting will be Fri., Mar. 7 at 3:30 pm in the Liberal Arts Building.

The BSU Women's Alliance will be having a potluck meeting and get-together on Thursday, Mar. 9. The meeting will be held in the SUB Student Union Ballroom.

BSU Toastmasters will also schedule interviews and give information about their agencies Mar. 15. DEADLINE.

**Financial Aid**

For details of these scholarships and application forms, contact the Office of Career & Financial Services, Administration Building, room 117.

**Recreation**

There are several block classes in physical education that have room for more students. Classes begin March 10th. Sign up in the gym, room 101. Classes include juggling, frisbee, basketball, tennis, aeroobics, and archery.

Corinne O'Connor will coordinate the volleyball coaching for women's soccer teams. Call Robbie Musgrave at 384-2052 or 384-3256 EXT 21.

Registration continues through March 31st at the Boise City Community Center for the Spring Session of arts and craft classes for adults. For more information call 384-3256 and 384-4215.

Registration continues through March 31st at the Boise City Recreation Department. Both morning and evening classes are available. Classes begin the week of March 3. For more information call 384-4216.

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National Science Foundation Funds Summer Science Session

By Michelle Hartall
Associate Editor

BSU—The BSU Activities Council held their second meeting Friday 29 to offer to those BSU organization representatives attending, the by-laws of the new council and instructions for preparing an Associated Students of Boise State University (ASBSU) organization budget.

ASBSU Vice President Daniel Gustaveson presented the by-laws. Gustaveson said, "I was encouraged by the attendance. It improved from the first meeting, doubling the attendance to about one-half of the active organizations being represented at the second meeting." In an interview with Gustaveson he said, "In the future, I see the Activities Council as a more centralized system of organization."

When asked what the Activities Council would try to do, Gustaveson replied, "We ASBSU representatives forget that the Council is secondary and won't hold top priority with clubs."

"The advantage will be that the Activities Council to still be recognized by everyone," said Belinda Davis from the Anthropology Club.

"Activities Council needs to know what is going on and activities that are being planned."

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Keiser Gives Views on Boise State Issues

by
Denise Minor
and
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Associate Editors

BSU-President John Keiser leaned back, loosened his tie and put his feet up on the coffee table. Behind him on the office wall hung his antique campaign button collection.

"I guess these just aren't political times," said Keiser after hearing that only two students turned in petitions for student-body president. "State schools are just not as political as midwestern schools or eastern schools," said Keiser, adding that the homogeneity of Boise State causes less political tension.

Regarding student demonstrations against the 1% initiative, nuclear waste disposal and other subjects, Keiser said students have every right to demonstrate and a campus should be a forum for the exchange of ideas. Keiser said he supported PIRG to the extent that it should be put on the Board of Education agenda next Thursday and he admires the students who put it there. "I agree with the Philosophy of PIRG, but I have problems with it. I question the university collecting funds from the students and turning them over to a group external to the campus for quasi-political purposes," said Keiser.

He also questioned imposing a flat fee for both full and part-time students. Keiser thinks the legislature will give BSU the governor's recommended 17.9 million dollars. Keiser said that drama, music and home economics departments will not be cut, as was rumored last spring.

The Morrison Center will probably improve music and drama at Boise State, according to Keiser, and at the same time benefit the community. The center is costing 11 million dollars; 6 million for the classrooms and 5 million for the Morrison Performing Arts center.

"The music and drama department will use it for classrooms during the day and the community and school can use it for performance," at night," said Keiser. 

The University Community Arts Association strives for excellence in athletics, the UCAA strives for excellence in the arts. "Sometimes the men's and women's athletics don't talk to each other, or the track and football coaches don't communicate," said Keiser.

Keiser said hopefully the UCAA will serve to unify the arts in this area and give a new dimension of excellence to Boise State.

BSU--President John Keiser, discusses current Boise State issues. Photo by Lois Palmgren

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A Few Brave Lads: A Blow for Freedom

Last week a man stood on the lawn of the Alpha Tau Omega House at the University of Idaho and shouted "Roof them!" whereupon a dozen partakers of higher education appeared on the roof of the Uof I Student Union Building throwing eggs and tomatoes at the two hundred or so people who had gathered to march on the Moscow Federal Building to protest the reinstatement of draft registration.

The sheer intellectual brilliance of manner in which the egg wielding draft supporters expressed their political opinions proved two telling points: one, the "Roof them" man had discovered that it is a characteristic of English grammar that a single word can be used as both a noun and a verb without altering the form of the word; and two, that the bold patriots had seen the movie Animal House.

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The Discipline of Truth

by Garry Wills

As the hostages' ordeal grinds on, I begin to wonder what would have happened if Andrew Young had still been at the United Nations when they were taken. Ambassador McHenry has been very competent in dealing with his assignment, within the constraints of a fluctuating policy at the White House. But Young helped make policy, as well as carry it out. And the frankness for which he was famed would have served him well in the real world of ayatollahs and radical student kidnappers.

Precedent, for a moment, that Young's dispute over meeting with the Palestinians had not arisen, or had not been blown out of all proportion. What would his response to the demands of the kidnappers have been? First of all, he would not have denied the obvious—that the CIA had instigated the shah as America's puppet; that this was deeply and rightly resented by the Iranian people, who had overthrown the shah in the first place; and that this made us jointly responsible for the shah's excesses and injustices. All these propositions are demonstrably true, and denying them does us no good in the world's eyes.

Of course, America is not good at admitting any faults. When Senator Kennedy attacked the shah, Americans seem generally to have taken that as an attack on America. He was admonishing the kidnappers by telling the truth—which means one must utter falsehoods, if necessary, to demonstrate one's patriotism.

The trouble with such a tough stance of infallibility is that, once we have struck the pose, any necessary concessions to the truth become a more abject surrender than would admission from the outset that there are wrongs on our side, too. Concession to a later stage does signal a kind of yielding to greater force, not a brave acceptance of the facts about ourselves.

And this, of course, is what President Carter is engaged in—a shame-faced yielding to certain demands after long procrastination that he would do no such thing. The inquiry into the shah's crimes will occur in some tribunal at some time; and America's faults will be revealed more by others than by ourselves. (The noble thing about the My Lai investigation is that we were not afraid to look at the ugly reality on our own.

In other words, it has taken us three months to be dragged, kicking and screaming, to the point Andrew Young might have started from. That means we have lost three months of the hostages' lives spent under distorting pressures. We reach the place where we should have begun, but with great wear on the captives' nerves and less honor in our own stance.

It is always dangerous to build policies from a denial of reality. We denied for decades the reality that Taiwan was a small seceding part of China, not China itself. We denied that the communist states could be other than monoliths in their union—which made us delay the split between Russia and China (so useful to us now).

We denied that Cuba had reason to arm itself with missiles when her giant neighbor had invaded her once, tried to destroy her crops and economy, and was plotting to assassinate her ruler. Once the missiles were in place, we denied Khrushchev the chance to save face in an open trade-off for our obsolete missiles in Turkey (scheduled for withdrawal anyway). This led to Khrushchev's fall from power—with the result that any future Russian leader will be more rigid with Americans in order to escape Khrushchev's fate—as we saw in the response to Carter's anger over troops in Cuba.

Patriotism should not mean the absence of pretense, a despised aura of virtue, where real wranglings have been done. That is not honorable, and not even practical. If supporting our hostages means defending the shah's record, then we are committed to a dishonorable course of lying to the way to be true to ourselves. And if we are forced, anyway, to back off from our claim, we get credit neither for honesty nor for strength. We end up not only liars, but ineffectual liars—using falsehoods while getting no real use from them. That is why it was so prudent as well as virtuous to have in the U.N. a man "recklessly" willing to admit to basic truths as his first instinct rather than his last. We needed an Andrew Young when our test came, the test of our willingness to be honest with ourselves and the world. Telling the truth is not appearance.

Mr. Wills is a nationally syndicated columnist.

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continued from page 6 Bring this information to light. In the liberal picture, there are enough types of information to solve most of the problems that we face. The people of the United States are faced with. The problems of the Iranian crisis, depend on us, foreign relations, sexual disorders, and many others. It would be wasted for flushed away if patriotic citizens such as ourselves unselfishly established BIRG.

The purpose of BIRG would be to raise awareness about health information and then use it to inform our state and federal legislators and even help our president in his momentous decid-
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by Vicki Chids
Arbitrator Staff

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Several Teachers Leaving

(CPS) - Four engineering professors at the University of Illinois are leaving for higher-paying jobs in private industry, and Illinois can't find anyone willing to replace them. Illinois, in fact, can't persuade many of its undergrad engineering students to even train to replace the departing teachers.

It's happening all over. The University of New Mexico is having so much trouble hiring new engineering faculty members that it is "borrowing" engineers from area businesses to lecture part time. The Oregon State School of Engineering, according to the OSU Barometer, expects to lose a quarter of its faculty at the end of the year.

In all, the National Science Foundation estimates there are currently 2000 vacant engineering teaching positions in American colleges and universities. The problem of filling the vacancies has gotten so severe that some

Students Gain Experience

BSU-Region ten of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and Boise State University School of Health Sciences have entered into an agreement to provide training for Environmental Health students.

Under this agreement, EPA will hire students to work 20 hours per week in areas related to Environmental Health. The work experience will be closely related to the students' curriculum and will provide the student with promotional and learning opportunities under the program.

The students, recently selected by EPA, are Carla Levinski and Julie Claiborne. Both women are Seniors in the Environmental Health program in the Department of Community and Environmental Health.

Dr. Elen Edmundson, Director of the Environmental Health program, views this cooperative agreement as a valuable opportunity for BSU students.

BSU Students to be Honored

The sixth annual Student Recognition Dinner will be held on Thursday, March 6, 1980, at 6:30 p.m. in the Student Union Ballroom. The dinner is an annual event designed to express thanks and appreciation to the many students who provide leadership and service to the University over the year. Invited guests include ASBSU student leaders, Student Union Program Board leaders, faculty and administrative representatives, past presidents and vice-presidents of the ASBSU, and members of the State Board of Education.

Featured speaker for the evening will be Governor John Evans. In addition to remarks from Governor Bump, there will be the presentation of the President's Award for Outstanding service to Boise State University; the ASBSU Award (for outstanding service for and in behalf of students at BSU); and the Director's Award (for outstanding service to the betterment of student activities and programs of Boise State University).
Olympic Athletes Resent Boycott

(CPP)-Low, gray clouds hung around Pikes Peak on Feb. 20, providing an appropriately somber mood at the Olympic Training Center, where athletes prepared to learn if they would get to go to the Moscow Olympics this summer.

Most already knew the answer. Many had given up hope in mid-January, when President Carter first threatened to boycott the summer games unless the Soviet Union withdrew its troops from Afghanistan by a Feb. 20 deadline.

Some of the athletes here had gone home. When presidential aide Lloyd Cutler announced that morning that the games would indeed be boycotted, some of the athletes who stayed tried to deny it was really happening. Others, like Terry Place, claimed they still hoped. They would keep practicing in spite of everything.

"We know what they would say this morning," Place, a member of the first U.S. women's volleyball team ever, said while picking over a green salad in the Training Center's dining hall.

Despite strong suspicions that Carter's announcement was the end of her Olympic hopes, Place just wanted the president to back out of the decision.

"I don't have time to worry about their war," she adds bitterly. "We've too busy practicing." As bad as the announcement made her feel, she remembers the hard time she had getting a taste of public sports. "The things you heard this morning don't change our position. The USOC said they will be decided in April (whether to honor the boycott), and their position still stands. The government would like us to make our decision right away, but we still want to see if there is a shift in public opinion. You just keep about your training."

The announcement was received by a little applause. "We've even gotten letters and telegrams calling us unpatriotic," Place says with disgust. One of her teammates got a letter a day in the post that promised a forthcoming athletic event of "the highest caliber, outside the Soviet Union." Her teammate laughs humorously. "Yes, highest athletic caliber." "Shifting public opinion is about the only chance we have," Place confirms.

Center Director Bob Mathias calls it "the ten percent chance." Mathias, dressed in red and smoking a cigar in an office filled with plaques and trophies from his days as an Olympic athlete, cautions, "You have to remember that a lot of teams have not been selected yet. Most of them want to keep going until the last minute, hanging onto the ten percent chance that we may still go to Moscow."

For Place's volleyball team, it's "no or never." "We look at the potential basketball players, they're probably still in school. They might not go to Moscow, but they still have the NCAA (Tournament). This is the chance for the volleyball team."

He thinks taking that chance away is the best way to respond to the Soviet Union's invasion of Afghanistan. "If you want to get tough, there should be a complete political, economic, and diplomatic boycott against them."

Engineering Teachers

According to page 8, there are about four hundred and fifty engineers in the U.S. who are teaching at the college level, and only half of these engineers are teaching at the undergraduate level. The future looks even bleaker, as graduating engineering seniors are increasingly finding that they can't match the salaries regularly offered by private industry. "It's a very real and very serious problem," observes Dr. Donald Mathias of the American Society for Engineering Education. "The future looks even bleaker."

Universities can't keep their engineering faculty because they can't attract qualified professionals "who can't possibly be offered by private industry."

The College Placement Council says that engineering seniors can expect starting salaries of around $20,000 this year. The average salary of a full engineer is just $70,000.

The prospect for raising those already low salaries and keeping the faculty is dim. "As you know," Marlowe says, "this is a very tough time for college financing."

Most colleges have responded to the tension between increasing undergraduate enrollments and decreasing numbers of faculty members by "streamlining the system," and cramming more students into fewer classes.

Marlowe says class sizes are now "worse than they were in 1947, when courses were unenrolled by students just out of the service."

"If they cancel the games," he says, "we'll have to take stronger steps, someplace else." A substitute National Sports Festival could be a "second place someplace else," according to most of the athletes at the Colorado Springs. Place predicts many of the athletes wouldn't attend anyway. "The USOC wouldn't allow them to." The athletes respond to a broadcast suggestion of the festival with catcalls and boos. "Ohh Yipppeee," sights one of the few fewism-oriented students in the Training Center three weeks before the festival.

At Colorado, a three-ounce Olympic competitor who favors the boycott continued to page 11.

Class Dismissal

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Rights. Posing for the present line of faculty and students on campus might be due in part to this kind of inconsiderate treatment."

Another teacher, Wayne Chaloner, praised the concept of the conference but worried about setting a precedent that would allow administration to arbitrarily cut classes for similar activities in the future. He noted that class cutting was a common practice when Boise State was a four-year-

armed force on the GI Bill."

The overloading, he adds, threatens the quality of education. "Many of the engineering curricula is lab work, which is not as readily expanded as our lecture courses."

"Laboratory classes can get so overloaded that they don't teach useful things," he said.

"The Writing Aspirants at least be able to get a taste of a complete course," he concluded.

Boise State co-sponsors the event with the English teachers, aren't you going to BSU campus lends Itself to the development of the high school age crowd which explains why a convention center such as the Red Lion Motor Inn wouldn't be as beneficial a setting, said Chaloner.

The English teachers aren't happy about changing their rules rearranged, but solutions to the internal controversy do offer a ray of hope. Planners could be solicited in advance for renting space at the SUB either through university monies or from the businesses sponsoring the convention. Government grants might be available. Possibly the SUB could contract some of its non-profit activities. Dr. Davis suggested. Among these ideas, if implemented, would surely ingrate the English teachers and wouldn't harm the tax payers. If the college students wouldn't have to pay for room, they might know about it at registration time as well. The writing students of the BSU campus could then go during the week and get a taste of university life.
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cott, appears on the screen next.

The dining hall erupts in obscenities, with one volleyball player proposing that Carter "swallow a
discuss."

In fact, the USOC formally has until May 24, when Moscow applications are due, to decide to comply with Carter's boycott. Mathias says the USOC may simply elect not to file an official entry because the word boycott had legal implications that could end the games forever.

In the interim, Place will try to figure out what to do with her life. She's dismissed professional volleyball because it is "not very exciting." There is a non-professional league in Italy that holds some appeal, if only because the players get $1200 a month "for expenses."

But she plays volleyball for other reasons. "It's so easy when it's good volleyball. When it's running smoothly, it is more fun than anything, like a machine running with 12 arms and legs."

So she's not sure about her future. Maybe she'd like to get an art portfolio together, and get a job in art, or go to art school. But the team is due at an evening-long meeting to discuss the future. Before rushing to it, she concludes, "The worst...the hardest part of it all is that somebody else could change what we worked so hard for."

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overcrowded that experiments are done with two students at the front of the room, and with the rest just watching them. Laboratory experimentation becomes more of a demonstration. So at some point, quality can deteriorate. We may be getting to that point now."

Yet "recognition of the problem hasn't reached the level of college or business presidents yet," so solutions are far from being implemented.

Part of the solution, he says, will involve convincing more undergraduates to go on to graduate work, and then to teaching. There are actually fewer students in graduate-level engineering programs than there were a decade ago. An increasing percentage of today's engineering graduates, moreover, are foreign students who will probably leave the U.S. after graduation.

At the University of Florida, graduate engineering enrollment has dropped 6.5 percent since 1973, despite a doubled research budget that promised potential students bigger stipends. The stipends, however, were not big enough to compete with business salaries given engineers with new baccalaureate degrees.

To try to solve the problem, a bill has been introduced in the state legislature that would give free graduate tuition to top undergraduate engineers.

But the most useful lure, Marfow contends, would be "a national scale that would persuade more students to stay in school through grad school, and then stay on to teach."

But even if colleges found the money for better stipends today, "it would be ten years before the situation would change appreciably."

If it doesn't change, Marfow sees danger ahead. "It's kind of a seed corn problem for industry right now" because, as education programs deteriorate, industry will have fewer top-quality engineers to hire.
Gary Little breaks a new meet record, 55.5 seconds, in the 400-meter hurdles in last Saturday's BSU All-comers Meet.

Track Opens Outdoor Season

(BSU)—The Boise State University track team opened the 1980 outdoor season this past Saturday with some exciting early season performances. The Broncos will not complete this weekend but will complete the following weekend at the Oregon State Non-conference Meet in Corvallis on March 15.

Seven meet records were set in the men’s portion of the meet, four by members of the BSU squad. Sean Oltrogge set the record in the 110 meter high hurdles in a 14.4 clocking, Gary Little set a new standard in the 400-meter hurdles, finishing in 55.5. While Chris Smith cleared 6-10 in the high jump, finishing at 6-10 in a 3.1:21 time. This year’s team members include Gary Little, Curtis Arthur, Dave Bradburn, and Kerren Camrud.

One other record was set, former BSU standout Rod Pauli, now competing for the Army Engineering School, intercollegiate, in 10.4. One of the 100-meter brakes, finishing in 10.4.

Big Sky Ignored Again

By Jerry Richards

Athletic Staff

Now that basketball season is finished and the schools in the country, it seems they've behoove you to stretch out a little, break the routine of picking potential winners, and offer the experts' commentary on some of the activity of the recent past.

For those who strive on a sense of equity watching the tournament as a whole, the Big Sky Conference around. The University of Idaho ended the season with a 17-10 record, which isn’t superhuman, but it’s better than Penn, Princeton, or Loyola, and just as good as UCLA or Tennessee -- all of which were chosen by the experts to win the league. The Broncos, powered their way to the final.

Oh...meanwhile, Brigham Young University is another new guest on the beat in the Western Athletic Conference, which is no surprise this year’s six-best teams are all the countless.

Boise State Shatter Track Record

(BSU)—The Boise State University women’s track and field team earned six first place and six second place finishes in the Boise All-Conference meet held this past weekend at Bronco Stadium. Freshmen Wendy Schwartz, of Edison, ID, placed first in the long jump, finishing 16-11, and broke the Boise record of 16-10.5 by Joyce Taylor in 1979. Schwartz tied the Boise women’s record in the 100-meter hurdles.

Sophomore Diane McMohan, sister to a former Boise Wolverines, set new meet records in the discus (120-2) and, in the second meet in the 100-meter hurdles.

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Boise State Gymnasts Host Final Home Meet

The Boise State University gymnastics team will host the University of Nevada/Reno and Montana State University in its final meet of the 1979-80 season this Saturday, March 8, in the BSU Gymnasium.

The meet will begin at 7:30 pm. This will be the first meeting between Boise State and Nevada/Reno and the second meeting between Montana State and BSU.

The Broncos outscored the Bobcats 130.10 to 125.25 in their first competition.

"Nevada/Reno will only be defending a partial team and Montana State has improved tremendously since we met them in January. This should be a very fine meet," said BSU coach John Head.

In competition this past weekend, the Boise State University baseball team hosted the Northwest Nazarene Crusaders for a doubleheader this Saturday and a single game the following Tuesday. Game time Saturday is 1pm. Tuesday's single game starts at 3pm.

BSU dropped an 8-4 decision to BYU on Saturday, but came back to win a 7-2 nightcap and register their first win of the 1980 season.

Kelly Sur leads the team in hitting with a .600 average (3 for 5) while Cory Bridges leads the regulars with a .400 average (4 for 10). Rick Stromer has two home runs already to lead the team.

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**Tucker Gives Lecture**

"Environment and Education: A View from the Commons" will be the topic presented by Dr. Jerry Tucker March 6 in the fifth program of the Boise State University faculty lecture series this year.

Tucker, professor of science and environmental education at Boise State, will examine the concern for environmental quality and economic well-being and the roles of government, industry, citizens groups, and individuals in environmental education. The public lecture will begin at 8pm in the Boisean Lounge of the BSU Student Union Building.

Tucker has acted as professional consultant for local and regional school district science and environmental programs in Idaho, Oregon, Nevada, and Utah.

**Antigone**

Reviewed by Steve Corbett

A tall, statuesque woman enters upon the stage, followed by her Marie Torti, as the simpering Ismene, turns in a fine performance. It is a Cunningham, however, who pulls, pushes and builds this magnificent show. He struts about the stage with kingly poise, imagining plots against his authority and suspicion. However, it is as a son of selling out to enemies of the state that Tomlin, as the simpering Ismene, turns in a fine performance.

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**Spring into Fashion**

_Thursday March 13_ - 7-9:30 p.m.
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A fashion show of spring fashions in 1980 for men & women
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**Spring into Fashion**

By Bud Humphrey

Every new and then you come across a musical experience that's truly challenging. If you can face up and drop a few beans about what music is supposed to be like, and simply get into the sounds on their own terms, such an experience can be tremendously rewarding.

This was the kind of presentation that Paul McCandless, Avec Lands and Dave Samuel's made to cap the Boise State Festival of Jazz last Friday night. While three well-known small ensembles had earlier run the gamut of swing piano, bebop and fusion, and high school dixie and blue bars had filled the two-day festival, the trio (which at McCandless' request was called "McCandless and the McCandless Trio") offered an expansion for the willing musical mind.

The concert started out challenging the idea that music has to be continuous to make sense. The three started playing a long, slow, ringing tune, with McCandless exploring the upper limits of his sax, and Samuel's bringing every conceivable color out of his marimba, vibraphone, bells and what-have-you, and Lands doing everything with a panache that is a joy to hear. Before long, there was not even the suggestion that they once had a map, and the sound was a series of sometimes-jointed, sometimes independent rhythms and timbres on various obscure percussion and mallet instruments. The sound was the thing, and the rhythm was what brought it alive. For the first time, even in a school crowd, it was time to get nervous, chatter a bit and wonder what's going on.

The trio switched instruments some more until eventually, it was back on their usual instruments. The rhythm section and harmonica started to develop, and finally they broke into a Dixie rag on a whistle. Clearly, this group out of totality, the rhythm got more and more active, and the trio went into a progressive jazz riff and the trio was home.

Another assumption the trio broke is that music must have a beginning or sound complete in the basic formation. Lands on piano, McCandless on oboe or screaming soprano sax, and Samuel's either on vibes, marimbas or traps, the sound was high and light but still possessed of a weight and subtle fullness that comes with their understanding each others' approach and blending in.

In such shorter numbers as McCandless' "Nanook" the group sounds much like the meditman's quartet, Oregon. The神州 background is often of Indian or African complexity, repeating almost instantly until a refrain passage is reached, shifting around and coming back into the repeating rhythmic again. On this foundation, the most exotic and alien harmonies somehow make sense even to thejadid rock-and-roll ear, especially when Samuel's or McCandless leaves vaguely Oriental melody line around it. This setup allows for a free-floating, and sometimes spoky tangential improvisation scheme for any of the three.

If this sounds hard to fathom, remember I said it was challenging music. It's also hard to transfer such a listening experience onto paper, without getting either highly technical (which I will try) or overly transcendental, which this music also lends itself to. The net effect can be disturbing, galling, jaunty or meditative, depending on how the musicians got their message across.

However, it is never forgettable. Face it, unless you're in tune with the basics of what makes human beings tick, you can't pull off this type of performance. Lands, McCandless and Samuel's not only pulled it off, they planted it and made it grow.

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Illness and fatigue decimated our reviewers this week but two hardy souls managed to take in Fatso, a comedy with Tom Deluise and Anne Bancroft (who wrote and directed it).

Karl Knapp ( ) What guys saw in Cruising as an attack on homosexuality, fat people will see in Fatso as an attack on obesity. The only problem is, no one will, or is supposed to, take this more seriously. Hopefully, no one will take it at all. Too much eating, too much crying, and a "happy-ever-after" ending make Anne Bancroft's production of Fatso a monumental flop. You'll get more than your fill of bad comedy if you see this film.

Marianne Flag ( ) Fatso is Anne Bancroft's first attempt at writing and directing. Bancroft, a terrific actress, (The Graduate, The Turning Point) has created an interesting failure. She has a nice feel for ethnic life, but her inexperience as a director sabotaged the film in nearly every scene. The film quality is annoyingly grainy, the colors are anemic and washed-out. The photography is dizzyingly off-kilter. Bancroft uses far too many close-ups of faces and food.

Whichever the actors wish to express any emotion at all, they cry—and cry and cry. Tom DeLuise and Bancroft act competently (for what they have to do), but hopefully Bancroft's next movie will show more directorial maturity.