

# briefs

## Scholarships

Students at Clackamas Community College are being offered three full-year scholarships according to Richard Thompson, CCC Financial Aid Officer.

The Faculty Wives will sponsor two full year scholarships for \$330 each. A large rummage sale held each year nets this award.

Need is not a primary criteria in deciding the recipient of these scholarships. Academics, community involvement and school activities are of primary concern.

The Clackamas County Credit Association has established a \$330 scholarship for a full-time student, based upon academic ability and need and limited to Clackamas County residents.

Criteria for this scholarship states that the student must take business-credit oriented courses and must maintain a grade point average of at least 2.5.

Application deadlines are Oct. 19 for the Faculty Wives scholarships and Nov. 1 for the Clackamas County Credit Association scholarship.

For more information on these scholarships and other financial aid contact the Financial Aid Office in the Community Center building.

## Touchstone

Author Robin Lou-Trusty-Hiersche has started a business to help beginning poets.

The company is called Touchstone and, according to Trusty-Hiersche, "it exists primarily to provide authors with the information and encouragement necessary to make their work both valid and publishable.

The service is offered on a sliding scale (minimum \$3) to let anyone make use of it.

Poets may send up to five samples of their work. The poems will be analyzed for style, technique and content and the poet will be told how to prepare them for publication.

Mail work to Touchstone, Robin Lou Trusty-Hiersche, P.O. Box 06341, Portland, 97206.

## Drop-in center

The child development drop-in center at Clackamas Community College will be open Sept. 26 for those needing child care for four hours or less per day.

The drop-in center is located in Orchard Complex 149 and will take children between the ages of six months and six years. It will be staffed by one full-time person and two

part-time work-study students. The cost will be 75 cents per hour and 40 cents per half hour.

The center is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Reservations are necessary for care and space is limited to 12 children. For reservations or information call 656-2631, ext. 326, after 7:45 a.m.

## Pre-retirement workshops

A series of pre-retirement workshops has been planned for fall term at Clackamas Community College. The workshops will examine financial planning, attitudes toward aging, living arrangements, use of free time, changing relationships, personal health, mental health, and personal resources.

There is a fee of \$20 per individual or \$28 per couple. Registration includes material and refreshments for the classes to be held in October on Tuesdays from 3 to 6 p.m. or Wednesdays from 7 to 10 p.m.

The program will be jointly sponsored by Human Services and Counseling Departments at CCC. For further information contact Chuck Floyd or Jerry Jamison 656-2631, ext. 348.

## Instructor writes own text

Clackamas Community College's bookstore has many new textbooks for fall classes including Dave Madsen's new drafting book entitled "Basic Geometric Dimensioning and Tolerancing."

Madsen is a drafting instructor and department chairperson at CCC. He researched and wrote the book in one year and tested it for six months. He tested the work packet for two terms on CCC drafting students before sending it to the publishers.

His reason for writing the book is simple. "There was not enough information and textbooks on geometric dimensioning since it is a fairly new field in industry," said Madsen.

Madsen feels the book is individualized and flexible for the students. CCC will be using the book this term in advanced drafting classes. Madsen hopes other colleges, universities and industries will also use the book.

Madsen graduated from Oregon State University in 1970 and began teaching at CCC in 1972. Not only does he teach drafting, but he also designs houses for friends and builders. He and his wife, Judy, and son, Mike, are currently building their own home in Beavercreek in which they hope will be completed by September.

## Students offered insurance coverage

Clackamas Community College is offering students two insurance policies during graduation periods only.

For students who are not living at home and are not covered by any other insurance policy there is a combination accident and medical plan that covers hospital and medical expenses for students and their families in addition to basic coverage it also offers a \$5,000 major medical plan.

For one quarter a student can be covered for \$23.86, a student and one dependent for \$54.91 and with two or more dependents will cost \$76.41.

Students who sign up now for all four quarters not only receive reduced rates of \$71.58, \$164.73 and \$229.42 respectively they are also covered during the summer with no extra charge.

For students who do not want medical coverage there is an accident only policy available at the cost of \$5 per quarter which will cover almost anything that occurs on campus. On campus accidents will be covered by the school for students who do not have this insurance coverage.

"We're concerned that we will not be able to continue to offer our students the best cost insurance coverage next year if our students don't sign up this year," said Roberts, student activities director.

The last day to sign up for this insurance during fall quarter is Oct. 7. For more information contact Bonnie Hartley, CCC school nurse, or pick up a brochure in the student activities office.

## WAF's recruited

A one-third increase in the number of vacancies for women enlisting in the Air Force during fiscal year 1978 has been announced by recruiting service officials.

Opportunities exist for enlistment and subsequent training in one of 140 specialties in mechanics, electronics, administration and general vocational areas. Women may volunteer for enlistment in all specialties except seven combat related jobs, which are open to women by public law.

"We hope to have approximately 47,000 women in the Air Force by the end of fiscal year 1978 as compared to 39,000 presently assigned," explained Colonel Edward Young Jr., Director for Operations. "The fiscal year 1978 total represents a 19.4 percent increase over the 16,000 women assigned to the Air Force in 1972," said Young.

Most of the women will be needed between December 1977 and May 1978 according to Young.

# classifieds

For Sale: '61 Buick LeSabre, excellent engine, best offer, Marlene - 655-0462 after 5:30.

Riders needed from the Colton Area. For \$1 per day to cover my operating expenses. I am

at CCC from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. M-F. Call Home eves. at 824-6045.

