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Reservations due April 5 for APA-C/TO luncheon

The annual spring luncheon sponsored by the Administrative Professional Association and the Clerical/Technical Organization is set for 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 12, in the Bernhard Center ballrooms.

Those attending will be urged to "Catch the Spirit" of WMU, a theme that will be reflected in the event's entertainment. Highlights of the gathering will include the annual awards ceremony honoring outstanding efforts during the year by both APA and C/TO members.

The cost of attending the luncheon is \$9 and includes a choice of menu items. Flyers, which include reservation forms, have been distributed to all professional/technical/administrative and clerical/technical staff members.

Reservations should include payment and must be received by Sandy Custer, Sincuse Health Center, no later than Wednesday, April 5. For more information, contact Custer at 7-3282.

Cable to air quilt program

The Community Access Center has scheduled four opportunities for viewers of Michigan CableVision to watch the NAMES Project AIDS Memorial Quilt's March 22 opening ceremony (see story below), which was originally carried live: 6 p.m. Sunday, April 9, on Channel 33; 3:30 p.m. Monday, April 10, on Channel 32; 11 p.m. Friday, April 14, on Channel 32; and 10:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 18, on Channel 32.

Attendance at AIDS Memorial Quilt display tops 15,250

More than 15,250 persons visited the NAMES Project AIDS Memorial Quilt during its display in the University Arena of Read Fieldhouse March 22-25. That figure included nearly 2,500 who attended the opening ceremony.

Organizers said that attendance was 50 percent greater than expected and among the largest totals in the quilt's history, exceeding even Chicago's turnout. Local persons brought 54 panels to be included in the quilt, also believed to be a record.

"This was an extraordinary display on many levels," said Christine G. Zimmer, health promotion and education, one of two co-chairpersons for the event. "It clearly touched and moved the University and the larger community very deeply."

Other numbers are equally remarkable, Zimmer said. They include more than: 1,000 volunteers; \$8,000 in donations at the door; \$10,000 in merchandise sold before the display; and \$32,000 in merchandise sold during the display.

Hundreds of persons inscribed a special section that also will become part of the national quilt. Many others wrote their impressions at a table for reflections and perceptions.

"The response has simply been phenomenal," Zimmer said. "The quilt has provided our entire community with an opportunity for healing and hope."

The portion of the quilt that came to Kalamazoo contained more than 1,000 panels, each made to remember a person who has died of AIDS. The disease, caused by the human immunodeficiency virus or HIV, has killed more than 200,000 persons in the United States.

The entire quilt, first displayed in 1987, contains more than 28,000 panels. It is the largest piece of folk art in the world. Portions have been displayed in more than 1,000 communities across the country.

Faculty members, students earn MAGB recognition

Two WMU faculty members and two seniors will be honored Wednesday, April 5, by the Michigan Association of Governing Boards of State Universities.

The faculty members are David A. Ede, comparative religion, and Carol Payne Smith, education and professional development.

The students are J. Paul Brandt, a printing management major from Waukesha, Wis., and Kerry L. Van Putten, a health education major from Dorr.

The MAGB, which includes representatives from the governing boards of the state's 15 public universities, annually honors two distinguished faculty members and two outstanding students from each institution. The four from WMU will be honored, along with their counterparts from the other universities, at the MAGB's 14th annual awards convocation at the Kellogg Center on the Michigan State University campus in East Lansing.

Each honoree will receive a certificate from the MAGB, a special tribute from the Michigan Legislature and a letter of congratulations from Gov. John Engler. Using MAGB criteria, WMU student recipients are nominated by a committee representing the offices of the provost, secretary to the Board of Trustees, Faculty Senate and vice president for student affairs from among students who are designated as outstanding by their academic departments. Faculty recipients are nominated by the executive board of the Faculty Senate.

A WMU faculty member since 1970,



Brandt



Ede



Smith



Van Putten

Ede is a scholar of medieval and contemporary Islamic thought and tradition. He has lectured widely on such topics as the origins of Islam, the status of women in contemporary Islam, and politics and Islam. He edited and contributed to a "Guide to Islam" and currently is at work on another book titled "The Problem of Freedom and Determinism in Islamic Thought: From Political Theology to Mystical Philosophy." He serves as assistant editor of *Numen*, an international journal of comparative religions.

As director of his department's graduate program, Ede recently developed and submitted a comprehensive proposal to establish a Ph.D. program in comparative religion. He also serves as an academic adviser for the Applied Liberal Studies Program in the Division of Continuing Education. He has been active in the Faculty Senate and currently chairs its Committee to Oversee General Education, which is charged to review and approve all courses for the University's revised general educa-

tion program slated for implementation in fall 1996.

Smith came to WMU in 1964 as a part-time instructor in teacher education. In addition to advancing through the teaching ranks, she has held several administrative positions, including chairperson of the Department of Education and Professional Development in 1991-93 and associate director of the Office of Faculty Development in 1981-84. She has conducted research in the areas of teacher competence, the participation of women and minorities in the administration of Michigan higher education, and teen pregnancy and motherhood. She has given numerous presentations on these topics at workshops and conferences. In 1982, she was chosen as "Woman of the Year" by WMU's Commission on the Status of Women.

Also active in community activities, Smith has shared her expertise with the Kalamazoo Public Schools as a member of its Advisory Committee for Continuing Education for Young Families and of its Committee on Racial Balance, where she played a major role in developing the schools' current desegregation plan. She has been appointed by the State Board of Education to its Advisory Committee on School Accreditation and is a consultant and expert witness on teacher competence for the Michigan Education Association.

Smith has participated in faculty governance in several capacities over the years with the Faculty Senate. She currently chairs the Martin Luther King Jr. Day Committee, appointed by the senate to spearhead the campuswide celebration of King's birthday.

Brandt will graduate in April with a bachelor's degree in printing management. He has been named both Presidential Scholar, the highest academic honor accorded to a senior, and Robert C. Caine Outstanding Senior for 1995 by the Department of Paper and Printing Science and Engineering. He plans to pursue a career in the printing industry, where he completed an internship last summer with Dow Jones and Co., publishers of the Wall Street Journal. A member of the Lee Hon-

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BIG CROWD — More than 15,250 persons visited the NAMES Project AIDS Memorial Quilt March 22-25 in the University Arena of Read Fieldhouse, exceeding attendance expectations by 50 percent.

A series of eight quilting bees was scheduled to help local persons design and make panels to be included in the quilt, beginning last December. The last bee will be from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, April 1, at the Douglass Community Center.

President Haenicke and Beverly A. Moore, executive director of HealthConnect and a former mayor of Kalamazoo, served as honorary co-chairpersons of the event.

Proceeds beyond the \$19,000 cost of the event benefit Community AIDS Resource and Education Services (CARES) in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo AIDS Benefit and the NAMES Foundation in San Francisco, where the quilt is based.

A host committee responded to more than 50 requests for school presentations and tours of the quilt, including special tours for blind and visually impaired persons. Fund-raisers solicited dozens of local organizations and individuals.

David Small, a nationally known author and illustrator of children's books from Mendon, donated an illustration for posters and post cards.

The project, which focused on eight Southwest Michigan counties, stemmed from the University's HIV/AIDS Task Force, which is headed by Dean Janet I. Pisaneschi, health and human services.

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Did you know?

- With a collection greater than 3 million, the University libraries constitute the fourth largest library holdings in Michigan.
- WMU currently employs 476 minorities, which equates to 15.4 percent of the total employment population.
- WMU has 156 bachelor's degree programs, 61 master's degree programs, two specialist degree programs and 21 doctoral degree programs.

Sponsors sought for bone marrow donor drive

The Sindecuse Health Center is inviting faculty and staff members to sponsor a student or other person in a bone marrow donor drive next month at the center.

"A \$20 contribution to the WMU Foundation will enable one person to take a blood test to be identified as a potential marrow donor," said Terry L. Baxter, director of the center. "Contributions in any amount will be greatly appreciated."

The other half of the \$40 cost of the test will be paid by the Kalamazoo/Cass chapter of the American Red Cross. The drive will take place from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 11, in the Sindecuse Health Center.

Faculty and staff members may send their contribution to the WMU Foundation by Friday, April 7, or bring it to the health center by April 11.

Meanwhile, Baxter said, students are being asked to solicit support from faculty and staff members, parents, friends or a combination of persons. Limited funds are available for students without sponsors.

"Our goal is to register 200 potential donors," Baxter said. "That would include the 175 persons who tried to regis-

ter during a recent drive but could not be accommodated."

A total of 328 persons had a small amount of blood drawn for testing in WMU's first campuswide drive to identify potential donors Feb. 8. Another 175 persons could not be accommodated because funds were limited to about 300 potential donors.

"We stretched it as far as we could," Baxter said. "Now we want to maintain the momentum and give these persons and others the opportunity to participate."

Jodi Schaffer, who issued the call for the earlier drive, was a senior English major at WMU in October 1992 when she was diagnosed with leukemia. Diane K. Swartz, dean of students, coordinated the drive with help from Baxter and Joyce M. Stout, director of blood services at the local Red Cross chapter.

Leukemia is one of more than 60 fatal diseases that can be treated with bone marrow transplantation. Donors are identified through a simple blood test and their blood/tissue type is placed in a national registry maintained by the National Marrow Donor Program. The need far exceeds the number of donors available.

WMUK increases spring fund-raising goal in face of pending congressional budget cuts

Recent action by Congress has WMUK-FM (102.1), WMU's public radio station, calling on its listeners for even more support during its annual spring fund-raising campaign.

The station increased the goal for its April 3-7 drive by \$25,000 after the House of Representatives approved a 15 percent rescission of funds previously allocated for public broadcasting for the 1996 fiscal year. The measure also calls for a further reduction in funds by 30 percent for the 1997 fiscal year. This week, the Senate was expected to take up its version of the bill, which freezes Corporation for Public Broadcasting funds at 1995 levels for the next two fiscal years.

The tight budget outlook leaves public radio stations with a choice of either cutting staff and programming, or seeking more money from their listeners, according to Floyd Pientka, WMUK. The station has decided to go the latter route, increasing its originally announced campaign goal of \$50,000, the same as last year. Beginning at 5:30 a.m. Monday, April 3, WMUK will seek \$75,000 from its listeners.

"The increase in our campaign goal represents what we are faced with in terms of proposed budget cuts that may go into effect this October," Pientka said. "Assuming Congress approves the 15 percent rescission, that \$25,000 would be sorely missed."

"Such a cut would be a difficult loss," he explained. "That money helps to pay for salaries that cover news and music producers. It also helps to pay for National Public Radio fees and services. We would be faced with some very difficult choices if we were forced to cut our budget."

WMUK receives 20 percent of its budget from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting. The grant funds three staff positions at the station and helps purchase programs from NPR. Other funding support comes from the University, which covers 50 percent of WMUK's budget, and listener support, which provides the rest.

"There is no fat to cut here," Pientka said. "We run a very tight operation. With a staff of 11, we are one of the smaller public radio stations in the state. Without an increase of listener support funds, the station would have to fundamentally change. There are things that our listeners like that we would be forced to give up."

Pientka is confident that WMUK's listeners won't let that happen. Many of the station's supporters are aware of the potential cuts in the CPB's budget and how they would adversely affect the station.

"People understand the budget-cutting mood in the nation," Pientka said. "However, I think our listeners will come through with support. I've already received a record number of early mail-in envelopes, more than I've ever seen in a single day. So that's encouraging."

The station already has begun soliciting previous supporters and friends for contributions before its on-air marathon. Fliers have been sent to homes and businesses encouraging supporters to return their contributions in advance. Many supporters have called the station to say they intend to increase their pledges this year because of the proposed cuts.

"There's no reason why we can't get it done within a week," said Pientka, noting that the station plans to stick to a five-day on-air campaign. "We don't want to be on the air any longer than necessary. The idea is to try and run as efficient a campaign as possible so our listeners won't be affected."

Supporters who do not contribute in advance may call WMUK at 7-1021 and pledge. Contributors may pay by sending a check, or by using their MasterCard, VISA or Discover credit cards.

WMU faculty and staff members will be able to use payroll deduction for WMUK pledges. Payroll deduction forms are available through the station.

In addition, the WMU Foundation will provide an electronic payment plan that will enable supporters to authorize automatic transfers of funds from checking or savings accounts in scheduled increments.

WMUK broadcasts classical, folk and jazz music, as well as news and information to listeners in southwestern lower Michigan. In addition, it produces a number of local concerts featuring regional music, theatre and arts groups on WMUK's "Afternoon Edition."

Researchers to present findings at convocation

The work of nearly 50 faculty and student researchers in the College of Education will be featured in a Tuesday, April 4, convocation on campus.

The annual College of Education Research Convocation will take place from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the North Ballroom of the Bernhard Center. The convocation, which is free and open to the public, will highlight such research projects as "Enhancing Science Resources to Support Change" and "Individual and Family Effects on Runaway Behavior of Adolescent Males and Females."

Research from each of the college's six departments, the Center for Research on At-Risk Students, the Graduate College and the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs will be included. More than 30 poster displays will provide visual information on those projects.

The convocation will begin with registration, followed by a 4 p.m. award presentation honoring an outstanding researcher in the college.

Alonzo E. Hannaford, chairperson of special education, will be presented with the College of Education Research Recognition Award. Hannaford is an expert on the uses of technology in special education and has been the recipient of recent federal funding for research projects aimed at developing new ways to make computing technology an effective part of the learning experience for children with disabilities.

Following the presentation, Hannaford will deliver a short address on "The Phases and Faces of Research." The convocation will conclude with poster sessions from 4:30 to 6 p.m. and a reception at 6 p.m.

Getting grants from business is workshop topic

"Get Funded! Project Grants from Business and Industry" is the topic of a Thursday, April 6, workshop for faculty and staff researchers.

The workshop by Dorin Schumacher, president and co-founder of the Consortium for Plant Biotechnology Research Inc. of West Lafayette, Ind., is set for 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. in 159 Bernhard Center.

Schumacher, a veteran grant writer, has been principle investigator on more than \$20 million in grants from government agencies and corporations. She will describe the kinds of projects that attract funding from industry, the reasons companies fund higher education projects and the process behind company funding decisions.

She also will discuss finding a match between a company and a researcher's support needs as well as how to make contacts, arrange visits, negotiate contracts and protect creative ideas.

The workshop is sponsored by the Office of the Vice President for Research and

High school musicians here

Between 300 and 500 high school students from across the state will gather on campus Friday, March 31, for the 27th annual Spring Conference on Wind and Percussion Music.

The event, which takes place in Miller Auditorium and the Dalton Center, is intended to promote the performance, understanding and composition of quality wind and percussion music. Music educators, college students, parents and others interested in band music are invited to attend free of charge along with the high school musicians.

The conference will conclude with a 7:30 p.m. performance in Miller Auditorium of a 120-member all-star band. Students from some 60 Michigan high schools competed for the honor of performing in the group. The concert also will feature performances by the WMU Symphonic Band and the WMU Brass Choir.

Russian journalist to speak

A journalist, sociologist, international lecturer and author from Russia will speak on journalism ethics Friday, April 7.

Ada Baskin, a faculty member at Moscow State University, will speak at 3 p.m. in the Martin Luther King Jr. Room (204) of the Bernhard Center. The title of her free address is "Ethics in Journalism: A Comparison of Russia and the United States."

The author of numerous articles for newspapers and magazines, Baskin has served as a correspondent for "Izvestiya" newspaper and as an analyst for "Russian Life" magazine. She has lectured at several universities in the United States and currently is a visiting professor at Michigan State University.

The lecture is being sponsored by the Center for the Study of Ethics in Society.



CONVOCATION ANNIVERSARY — In celebration of the 15th anniversary of the Presidential Scholars Convocation, six former recipients of the highest honor for a WMU senior returned to campus to participate in a panel discussion during the March 23 event. Pictured are, from left: (front row) Mary Anne Bunda, president of the Faculty Senate, who presided; Stephanie L. Kenney of Kalamazoo, a WMU instructor in special education, who was a Presidential Scholar in special education and in education and professional development in 1983; Deborah J. Grohs, a public defender from Bensenville, Ill., who was a Presidential Scholar in political science in 1982; President Haenicke; (back row) Edward W. Hellman, a physician from Glen Ellyn, Ill., who was a Presidential Scholar in philosophy and in biological sciences in 1988; Matthew L. Jacobs, a corporate pilot from Blissfield, Mich., who was a Presidential Scholar in aviation technology and management in 1983; Edward W. Gaskin, a management consultant from Randolph, Mass., who was a Presidential Scholar in marketing in 1983; and Steve Nelson of Grand Rapids, a member of the art faculty at Hope College in Holland and a photographer, who was a Presidential Scholar in art in 1982. A total of 45 seniors were presented as Presidential Scholars during the convocation.

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Two-month total for gifts exceeds \$2.2 million

WMU received more than \$2.2 million in gifts during January and February, according to a report presented to the Board of Trustees at its March 17 meeting.

The report noted January gifts of \$583,272 and February gifts of \$1,627,508 for a two-month total of \$2,210,780 in current cash gifts made to the University. That amount brings the total of cash and deferred cash gifts received since the July 1 start of the fiscal year to \$5,522,927. That total is \$1,706,805 more than the previous fiscal year's total for the same period.

Major gifts reported to the board included \$628,210 from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation of Battle Creek. The amount represents initial payment on a \$2.9 million gift for the School of Aviation Sciences that was announced earlier this month. The gift will be used to expand opportunities for women and minority students who wish to pursue careers in aviation and also to purchase state-of-the-art technology to improve the cost effectiveness and efficiency of the school's aviation instruction.

Other major gifts included \$110,000 from the estate of Rosellen E. Siegel. Siegel, a 1946 alumna of the University, was a longtime Hastings resident and a reading specialist in the Hastings schools. She died in 1994. Her gift will be used to establish an endowment in the College of Education.

A gift for \$100,000 from the People to People Foundation for Development of Ethiopia will fund a new Ethiopian Development Studies Program. The program will fund scholarships for Ethiopian graduate students and, in the future, may support faculty exchanges, research projects and seminars. Money for the gift came from Mohammed Al-Amoudi, a Saudi/Ethiopian businessman who also is the founding donor of the People to People Foundation.

Also reported was \$34,134 from the Upjohn Company Foundation. The amount represents a match of recent gifts made by Upjohn Co. employees through the company's matching gift program.

A \$25,000 gift from Hale J. Mackay of Grand Rapids will support the Russell-Sumney Baseball Endowment. That en-

dowment will be used to fund the WMU baseball team's annual spring trip south for pre-season conditioning and competition.

Several anonymous gifts also were received during the period reported. One, a gift annuity for \$50,000, will fund an endowed Medallion Scholarship. Medallion Scholarships, each worth \$25,000 over four years, are among the nation's largest merit awards in higher education.

Other anonymous gifts included a \$25,000 donation to support the activities of the Russell Brown Honors Quintet. That quintet was established in 1987 to honor Brown, a trombonist and associate professor emeritus of music. Brown taught at WMU for 35 years until his retirement in 1986.

Another \$20,000 anonymous gift was made to honor Laura V. Shaw in a manner still to be determined. Shaw, who died in 1987, served from 1921 to 1953 as head of what was then WMU's Department of Speech and later became the Department of Theatre. The University's Shaw Theatre is named for her.

An \$11,300 gift, also made anonymously, will be used to endow a distinguished visiting lectureship at the University.

Ideas appreciated

Is there a University staff member you would like to see featured in "on campus"? Please call Ruth A. Stevens, news services, at 7-4114 with your ideas or e-mail her at: ruth.stevens@wmich.edu.

Greek organizations help clean up neighborhoods

WMU students belonging to fraternities and sororities will pitch in to help clean up Kalamazoo neighborhoods Saturday, April 1.

The Greeks are planning a spring cleanup from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Northside, Eastside and Vine neighborhoods. More than 1,000 students will be cleaning windows, alleys and roadways; picking up leaves, garbage and brush; pruning trees and shrubs; planting trees and grass seed; and entertaining children.

The event is being sponsored by WMU's student volunteer services as part of Service Week and Office of Student Life in conjunction with Greek Week.

"This is a great way to celebrate University/community cooperation by working and having fun together," says Terri M. Benton, student volunteer services.

A reflection party from 2 to 3 p.m. for volunteers and neighborhood residents at the Douglass Community Association, 1000 W. Paterson, will conclude the event.

Jobs

The following list of vacancies is currently being posted through the Job Opportunity Program by employment services in the Department of Human Resources. Interested benefits eligible employees should submit a job opportunity transfer application or sign the appropriate bid sheet during the posting period.

S-01 and S-02 clerical positions are not required to be posted. Interested University employees may contact an employment services staff member for assistance in securing these positions.

For persons interested in faculty positions, there are openings in selected fields. A letter of application should be submitted to the appropriate dean or chairperson.

Employment services will be accepting external applications for clerical/technical and secretarial positions through March 31. Temporary clerical employees who would like to be considered for benefits-eligible positions should complete an application during that time.

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On campus



miss the many people I work with and the campus, where I walk every day." In addition to walking on campus, Betz walks across the Mackinac Bridge every year on Labor Day. She also enjoys reading. After retirement, she plans to spend her days taking care of her grandson.

STROLLING THE HOME STRETCH—After 15 years of processing transactions, Jo Ann Betz is getting ready to walk away from her keyboard for the last time. A finance clerk in cashiering, Betz processes payments received by the University. She checks the paperwork and enters the information into a computer. Sometimes, when the paperwork is unclear, she has to do a bit of investigating to find out what the payment is for and where it goes. A WMU employee for 17 years, Betz joined the cashiering staff after working in the Sindecuse Health Center for two years. She plans to retire in August. "I appreciate the many benefits and opportunities provided to WMU employees," she says. "My working here has made it possible for my children to obtain an education. I will

289 to be inducted into national honor society

A total of 289 students and faculty members will be initiated into Phi Kappa Phi national honor society Monday, April 3, in the Bernhard Center.

Phi Kappa Phi recognizes and encourages superior achievement in all academic

disciplines. Founded nationally in 1897, there are more than 250 chapters worldwide. WMU's chapter was established in 1989.

The ceremony will include an address titled "The Social and Selfish Ends of Learning" by Shirley Clay Scott, chairperson of English.

She is among the nine faculty members who will be inducted. The others are: William C. Appel, music; Lynn Nations Johnson, education and professional development; Christopher M. Korth, chairperson of finance and commercial law; S. Hossein Mousavinezhad, chairperson of electrical and computer engineering; Philip R. Popple, social work; Parviz Rad, construction engineering, materials engineering and industrial design; Judith F. Stone, history; and Paul E. Szarmach, Medieval Institute.

In addition, Shirley A. Van Hoeven, communication, will be installed as the new president of the chapter, replacing C.J. Gianakaris, English and theatre.

Human resources

Nominations sought for service awards

There's still time to show your appreciation of excellence among your co-workers by nominating that special staff member for a Staff Service Excellence Award.

The deadline to turn your nominations into the Department of Human Resources is Friday, March 31. Up to 12 awards may be presented each quarter in this new program, which exists to reward outstanding work and performance by WMU staff members. To date, 33 persons have received this prestigious recognition.

Media

Karen R. Blaisure, counselor education and counseling psychology, discusses Michigan's no-fault divorce law on "Focus," a five-minute interview produced by news services. "Focus" is scheduled to air Saturday, April 1, at 6:10 a.m. on WKPR-AM (1420).

Exchange

FOR SALE — House on Sherman Lake: two-three bedrooms, two baths, fireplace, appliances, washer/dryer, deck, hot tub, dock, lake frontage. Call Sandy at 7-2714 or evenings at 731-2984.

FORSALE—Time-share at Boyne Mountain, third week in August: two bedrooms, two baths, kitchen/living room; sleeps six. Premier golfing. \$4,500. Call 342-9935.

Engineering students meet

More than 300 students from 29 universities will visit WMU Thursday through Saturday, March 30-April 1, to participate in a regional conference of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Highlights of the conference will include design competitions, a banquet, exhibits, a leadership seminar and tours of area industry as well as the paper and printing pilot plants on campus. WMU's student chapter of the organization is playing host to the conference.

Panel set on 'angry kids'

"Angry Kids: Helping Them and Helping Those Around Them" is the title of a free panel discussion set for 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 5, in 2304 Sangren Hall.

The event is being sponsored by the Kalamazoo Coalition on Youth Violence Prevention in cooperation with WMU's Bertha Capen Reynolds Society. Panelists will be: Sam Haywood of the Boys and Girls Club of Kalamazoo; Jim Henry of Protective Services; Eva Kendrick of the Vine Alternative High School; Don Nitz of the Kalamazoo Juvenile Home; and Sharon Roepke of the Family Resource Center. The moderator will be Donald F. Cooney, social work.

Kostrzewa to discuss China

Thomas K. Kostrzewa, political science, will discuss "Secessionist Movements and Pluralist Policies in China's Northwest" during a colloquium at 3:15 p.m. Wednesday, April 5, in 3020 Friedmann Hall.

Kostrzewa has traveled to China five times and has lived there for a total of three years. He is in the final stages of completing his doctoral degree at the University of Notre Dame. His address, which is sponsored by the Institute of Government and Politics, will be followed by a reception.

Calendar

The master calendar maintained by news services for use in Western News is now available through Gopher on the VMScluster. Currently, there are three calendars available: March events; April events; and future events, which run from May through December. To view the calendars, type Gopher at the system prompt. At the next menu, choose 2. Western Michigan University, then choose 3. Campus Calendar. You will find options for 1. This Month's Events, 2. Next Month's Events and 3. Future Events.

Thursday, March 30

Hispanic Awareness Week lecture, "My Personal Story," David E. Hayes-Bautista, professor, School of Medicine, and director, Chicano Research Studies Center, University of California at Los Angeles, South Ballroom, Bernhard Center, 9:45 a.m.
Visiting Scholars and Artists Program lecture, "Instructional Uses of Multicultural Children's Literature," Violet J. Harris, senior scientist, Center for the Study of Reading, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 157-158 Bernhard Center, 10 a.m.
Shakespeare Festival events: showing of "Ran," 3324 Brown Hall, noon-2:30 p.m.; presentation, favorite readings from Shakespeare chosen and performed by WMU students and faculty, 10th floor, Sprau Tower, 4 p.m. and lecture, "Shakespeare's Young Lovers," Richard Wheeler, head of the University of Illinois Department of English, 3321 Brown Hall, 8 p.m.
Faculty development services satellite program, "Quality of Life in the Electronic Village," Clock Tower Conference Room, University Computing Center, 12:30-3 p.m.; call 7-5305 to register.
Physics colloquium, "Basic Nuclear Research To New Applications," Henry H.K. Tang, IBM Microelectronics, 1110 Rood Hall, 4 p.m.; refreshments, 2202 Everett Tower, 3:30 p.m.
Student recital, Andrew Byrne, tenor, Dalton Center Lecture Hall, 8 p.m.

Friday, March 31

(thru April 13) Exhibition, sculpture and drawings by John Running-Johnson, art, Gallery II, Sangren Hall, weekdays, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; opening reception, Friday, March 31, 4-6 p.m.
Shakespeare Festival showing, "Much Ado About Nothing," 3324 Brown Hall, noon-2:30 p.m.
Faculty development services videoconference, "Enhancing and Evaluating College Teaching and Learning," Clock Tower Conference Room, University Computing Center, 1-3 p.m.; call 7-5305 to register.
Hispanic Awareness Week authentic Latino potluck and cultural display, Cultural Enrichment Center, A-220 Ellsworth Hall, 6 p.m.
Visiting Scholars and Artists Program lecture, "History of African-American Children's Literature," Violet J. Harris, senior scientist, Center for the Study of Reading,

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ors College and of the Golden Key national honor society, Brandt has received several scholarships from the printing industry that virtually paid for his college education.
He has been active in numerous organizations during his career at WMU, including the Western Student Association, WMU's student government. He has been involved in residence hall governance and worked as a resident adviser for three floors. He has served on the board of directors for the Western Herald, WMU's student newspaper, has been a member of the Student Alumni Association and was the undergraduate representative to the WMU President's Institutional Priorities Committee. He also has volunteered with several community organizations, including the Boy Scouts.
As a student of community health education and social work, Van Putten is interested in finding ways to bridge the two fields and apply her skills to address reproductive health education and HIV/AIDS education, counseling and testing. She already has gained experience in these areas as a sexual health peer educator at WMU, providing information about reproductive

health care, sexually transmitted diseases and contraception to classes and to clients of the Sincdecuse Health Center. She currently is employed in the University's Office of Health Promotion and Education as a sexual health peer education coordinator. In that capacity, she has worked with other students and staff members to develop an interactive computer program that provides the education and risk assessment components of HIV counseling and testing.
Van Putten was selected as the 1995 Presidential Scholar this spring by the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation. She plans to graduate in December. A member of the Lee Honors College, she has earned several other honors and awards, including a University Scholars Scholarship, a WMU Alumni Legacy Award and membership in Phi Eta Sigma and Golden Key national honor societies. She is the president of WMU's chapter of Eta Sigma Gamma national health honorary and helped coordinate the group's World AIDS Day booth, which won a national award. She also has volunteered in Kalamazoo's Vine Neighborhood and at the Allegan County Medical Care Facility.

Quilt (Continued from page one)

Bringing the quilt to Kalamazoo is part of the group's five-year plan.
Nearly 40 University units supported the project, including colleges, departments and offices as well as employee and student groups. Support also came from seven corporate sponsors, 24 community sponsors and 15 individual donors.
"We realized that the project was simply too large to involve the University alone," said Zimmer, who chairs the task force's education and prevention committee. "We realized there were many people in the larger community with an interest in this project."
Zimmer and Cyril C. Colonius, executive director of CARES, led the 26-member host committee of University and community volunteers. The committee and its 10 sub-committees met regularly for more than a year to plan the event. Modesto Tico Valle, a Chicago field representative of the NAMES Foundation, advised the committee.
Host committee members from WMU included: Terri M. Benton, student volunteer services; David A. Corstange, inter-collegiate athletics; Marianne Frauen-

knecht, health, physical education and recreation; Jodi L. Haugen, graduate assistant in health promotion and education; Paul F. Iagnocco, student life; Dean Robert H. Luscombe, fine arts; Michael J. Matthews, public information; Deborah Maser-Snyder, health promotion and education; Martin S. Meloche, marketing; Sheryl L. Nickel, residence hall life; Lowell P. Rinker, business and finance; Janet E. Stillwell, fine arts; and Gail L. Stautamoyer, marketing.
Other host committee members were: Debbie L. DeWeerd, Kalamazoo Valley Intermediate School District; Judith E. Johnson, Kalamazoo Public Schools; Maggie Mosby, CARES volunteer; Jean J. Peterson, Kalamazoo/Cass chapter, American Red Cross; Patricia E. Smetana, Howard Printing; Jane C. Tamraz, Biggs/Gilmore Communications; Pamela Tillman-Dickinson, Voluntary Action Center; Richard G. Tomlinson, Upjohn Co. (retired); James A. VanSweden, Upjohn Co.; Patricia R. Williams, Kalamazoo Public Schools; and Kathleen M. Young, Log Cabin Quilters.



TAKING A TURN AT TEACHING — Richard D. Kennedy, president of Kennedy Research Inc. of Grand Rapids, was one of five business executives who became short-term faculty members at WMU during the Haworth College of Business' annual Professors of the Day Program March 15. Kennedy spoke here in a marketing class. In addition to leading classes, the guest lecturers attended a luncheon in their honor. Also participating were executives from Arthur Andersen & Co. in the Department of Accountancy, from Harold Zeigler Lincoln Mercury in the Department of Business Information Systems, from C.W. Henderson & Associates in the Department of Finance and Commercial Law and from Scott Doerschler Messner & Gauntlett in the Department of Management.

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 157-158 Bernhard Center, 7 p.m.
27th annual Spring Conference on Wind and Percussion Music, Dalton Center, all day; closing concert, Miller Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.
Psychology colloquium, "The Behavior Analysis Training System," 3760 Knauss Hall, 4 p.m.
*(thru April 2 and April 6-8) University Theatre production, "Romeo and Juliet," Shaw Theatre: March 31-April 1 and April 6-8, 8 p.m.; and April 2, 2 p.m.
Saturday, April 1
*(and 2) Baseball, WMU vs. Ball State University, Hyames Field, 1 p.m.
Women's tennis, WMU vs. Ball State University, Sorensen Courts (West Hills Tennis Club in case of bad weather), 1 p.m.
*Men's gymnastics, National Independent Championships, University Arena: team competition, 1 p.m.; and individual finals, 7 p.m.
*Performance, Leontyne Price, Miller Auditorium, 8 p.m.
Sunday, April 2
Concert, University Concert Band, Miller Auditorium, 3 p.m.
Concert, Western String Chamber Orchestra, Dalton Center Recital Hall, 5 p.m.
Monday, April 3
(thru 7) Second annual Clothesline Project display on sexual violence, Promenade tent, all day.
(thru 7) Exhibition, "Onview-95," work created by students enrolled in the interior design program, Space Gallery, Knauss Hall, 11 a.m.-6 p.m.; opening reception, April 3, 5-7 p.m.
Administrative Professional Association video series, Steven Covey's "Beyond Principle-Centered Leadership, Part I," 157-159 Bernhard Center, noon-1 p.m.
Tuesday, April 4
Softball, WMU vs. the University of Michigan, Ebert Field, 3 p.m.
College of Education Research Convocation, North Ballroom, Bernhard Center, 3:30-6:30 p.m.
*Performance, "La Belle et la Bete" (The Beauty and the Beast), an opera for ensemble and film, based on the screenplay by Jean Cocteau and music performed by Philip Glass and the Philip Glass Ensemble, Miller Auditorium, 8 p.m.
*Faculty recital, the Merling Trio, Dalton Center Recital Hall, 8 p.m.
Wednesday, April 5
Doctoral oral examination, "Classroom Personalities of Effective Teachers Within a Technical College Setting," Fred C. Manley, educational leadership, 3208 Sangren Hall, 9 a.m.
Administrative Professional Association video series, Steven Covey's "Beyond Principle-Centered Leadership, Part II," 157-159 Bernhard Center, noon-1 p.m.
Doctoral oral examination, "The Teachers' and Principals' Perceptions of the Impact of Operation Physics on the Teaching of Elementary Science in Michigan Schools," Brenda P. Earhart, educational leadership, 3208 Sangren Hall, 1:15 p.m.
*Baseball, WMU vs. Michigan State University, Hyames Field, 3 p.m.
Institute of Government and Politics colloquium, "Secessionist Movements and Pluralist Policies in China's Northwest," Thomas K. Kostrzewa, political science, 3020 Friedmann Hall, 3:15 p.m.; reception following.
Kalamazoo Coalition on Youth Violence Prevention and Bertha Capen Reynolds Society panel discussion, "Angry Kids: Helping Them and Helping Those Around Them," 2304 Sangren Hall, 7:30 p.m.
*Concert, University Jazz Lab Band, Dalton Center Recital Hall, 8 p.m.
Thursday, April 6
Workshop, "Get Funded!," Dorin Schumacher, president and co-founder, Consortium for Plant Biotechnology Research Inc., West Lafayette, Ind., 159 Bernhard Center, 8:30-11:30 a.m.; call 7-8298 to register.
*Baseball, WMU vs. Valparaiso University, Hyames Field, 1 p.m.
Center for the Study of Ethics in Society presentation, "Character Education in the Schools: A Panel Discussion," 2303 Sangren Hall, 4:30 p.m.
Concert, "Henry Purcell, The British Orpheus," Collegium Musicum, Dalton Center Recital Hall, 8 p.m.

*Admission charged