Honor society begins membership drive

Phi Theta Kappa national honor fraternity is currently accepting new members, according to Delana Pitcher, president.

"To become eligible for provisional membership in PTK, one must have maintained a high school grade point average of 3.5 or higher," said Pitcher.

"Provisional members are allowed to attend monthly meetings and activities, however, provisional members are not allowed to hold office."

Provisional members cannot serve on or wear Greek letters. After provisional members complete 15 credit hours with a grade point average of 3.5 or higher, they receive full membership," Pitcher said.

PTK will begin the year with an orientation meeting on Monday, Sept. 30 from 6-7 p.m. in the Science Building.

The meeting is mandatory for anyone interested in becoming a provisional member or anyone who has completed at least 15 hours and is seeking full membership.

The following day, Tuesday, Sept. 30, the first regular meeting will be held at noon in the Bruce C. Carter Student Union Ballroom.

The fall initiation date for all those who are qualified for full membership will be Sunday, Sept. 25 at 4 p.m. in the Ballroom.

"If someone is eligible for provisional or full membership and would like an application or if you have a problem attending the orientation meeting, please contact the advisor, Mr. Doug Stine, student development representative.

Production feature variety

By Pamela Benes

Theatre NEO, the drama department has announced the productions for the 1990-91 season.


Advanced standing tests offered

By Bill Wilkins

Offering students an opportunity to gain advanced standing in coursework, the college is participating in the Advanced Standing program known as ASST.

In advance admission standing, a student must take a CLEP examination. Credit for the examination is available.

All students must take the CLEP test for a subject to which a national test is available. The student must take the test twice to receive credit.

Students must take the test at least six months before taking the tests.

Information on how to prepare for CLEP examinations is located in the student center's Learning Resources Center.

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Editorial

Serious questions remain unresolved

The Iraq-Kuwait crisis is big news in the world today. The issue at hand poses this question to the people of the United States: Do you think the United States has the right to attack Kuwait and defend Saudi Arabia and the Persian Gulf? Let's look at the pros and cons of this precarious issue.

On one side, the United States and other nations such as England and Egypt are concerned that Saddam Hussein wants to take over the smaller countries such as Kuwait and eventually move to big and better countries.

Therefore, there is a great interest in military forces on land, air, and sea, which would prevent the necessary protection for the fragile nations. President Bush has also issued a blockade to keep food from going in and oil from going out. In hopes that it will put pressure on Hussein to back out.

But on the other hand, United States' intervention could cause a war which none of the people want. In addition, taking the nations' forces and causing potential harm to the smaller nations is not right.

Are you ready for what is to come next? Are you willing to go to the Persian Gulf and help defend another country?

The Norse Wind heard your views on the Iraq-Kuwait crisis. Are you for or against United States intervention?

Donna Mack

Editor seeks reader

Many people in the world today have their own ideas and views on certain situations that affect their daily lives, but they struggle with how to express themselves. We, the staff of the Norse Wind, would like to hear from you. There are many student editors who would like to share their views and express their opinions through our student newspaper. If you are interested in a position, please contact us and share your ideas and views.

Norse Wind

Offical welcome

Take a gander at the light side

I think I've got that last part covered!

Now that classes are in full swing, it seems appropriate to point out a situation that always shows up on a college campus.

All too often, when people are thrown together in a different surrounding, there is a tendency to become caught up in the moment and take things too seriously. People today are so impatient, pushy, and get hung up on the smallest of things.

The reason for this attitude adjustment from the turn of the century mentality stems from a fast paced lifestyle. People seem to have gotten away from the basic principle of helping one another, being friendly, kind, and courteous. The world would be a better place to live if everyone would take a deep breath, relax, and develop a more positive attitude.

Most people tend to dwell on the serious side of life, rather than knowing how to get past life's little humps and hills.

So the next time someone is rude to you, just remember to take a deep breath and say, "Have a nice day!" Imagine the response.

Dear Students:

On behalf of the administration, faculty, and staff, I would like to welcome you to Northeastern A&M College. We are pleased that you chose to be a part of the number one junior college in the state. In my nine years as president, I have had the privilege of working at NCC with some of the finest faculty in our higher education system. Our faculty and staff are dedicated to your success at this institution. They are ready and willing to help you with any questions or problems you might have with your classes or schedule.

I would also like to stress the importance of becoming involved in the activities of this campus. Whether it be through singing your fellow students at a ballgame, or participating in clubs and organizations offered, you have a very strong student government to become involved with this year. The government is a vital link between the students and administration.

Just as we are proud of our college, we are equally proud of the people that make up Miami and the surrounding communities. The area merchants have been very supportive of NCC and its students. Please show your support for their businesses and services.

Because we feel the college is our home too, remember to treat the campus and its buildings with respect just as you would your own home.

I hope that you have a pleasant experience while you are here. We are looking forward to having a seat in all phases of our educational pursuits. If there are any questions you have about NCC please do not hesitate to ask.

Sincerely,

Dr. Bobbi R. Weight

President

Student Body president issues annual greeting

Responses

Dear Fellow Students:

WELCOME to Northeastern Oklahoma A&M College! On behalf of the Student Body Government, I would like to extend greetings and best wishes for a great start to each of you.

Hope your time at NCC is filled with fun and excitement in both academics and activities. I encourage each of you to take part in one or more of the 33 plus organizations NCC offers. It also my wish that you become active in student government this fall.

The purpose of the student body government is to coordinate various campus activities that will enhance your educational experience greatly.

Each campus organization and dormitory, as well as the freshmen and sophomore classes, will give one representative to the Student Body Government.

On August 29, you are asked to vote during balloting for Secretary, Treasurer, and two Senators-at-large for this semester. Class officers will also be chosen at this time.

Last spring Bobbi Hyatt was elected Vice President and I am named President of SSB.

Please feel free to drop by the Student Office (in the lobby of Moose G. Carter Student Union) whenever you have ideas, questions or concerns.

Together we can work to make this one of the best years at NCC.

Sincerely,

Jae Aparicio

SBC President

Freshmen expectations change

A recent poll taken with the new freshmen class reflected mixed feelings about their new status as a College Student.

The survey asked: "Until this time, how were your experiences of being a freshman at Northeastern Oklahoma A&M College?" The survey results indicated that the freshmen have adjusted well to college life and are happy with their transition.

Most of the freshmen students answered that they were satisfied and that it was a good way of breaking the college barriers and getting away from home.

However, some freshmen students did not feel a different way. They felt that going to college was just another way of testing themselves, there is always something left to be learned. Not only will they continue to grow, but they will gain valuable experiences that will add to their personal development.

Still others have reservations on college life. All the waiting in line for various reasons, the boredom, and not making new friends. The lagging of books and research in the classroom and the knowledge to further every rule means you are becoming more independent and taking on adult responsibilities and life as a college student will become a relative breeze.

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Changes announced

Several changes in personal took place over the summer according to Rocky Wright, college president.

At Drake, a native of Garden City, Kan., replaces Jim Lent as an electronics and mathematics instructor. Joining the agriculture faculty is Jeff Budwell.

Jimmy Brown has become a speech and community journalism instructor. He replaces Bob White who retired last May.

Dede Cottone of Miami, joins the social science staff as a full-time member after teaching on an interim basis last year.

Replacing Dale Danz in the social science department is Mike Loyd. Patterson resigned as a faculty member to become dean of admissions and records at NED.

Terry Moore joins the NED staff as a part-time counselor assistant football coach, and head track coach.

Assuming the position of director of tennis and head baseball coach is Rich Richel. Richel replaces Bill Mapsey who is now the NED athletic director.

Carol Smith will serve as an English instructor. She replaces Tricia Butler who is now teaching at Oral Roberts University.

Joining the mathematics department is Rochelle White as a replacement for Ed Harman who retired in May.

Peggy Wood will serve as an instructor in the nursing department. Dr. White also announced these new positions or title changes.

James Bruce is the new Vice President for Student Affairs. George Largent will assume duties of the science department head while John Laxon is the new department head for mathematics.

NEW EQUIPMENT

Kevin Eber, manager of the college print shop, makes some final adjustments on a new Heidelberg press which was obtained during the summer. Also over the summer the print shop moved from the basement of the Creech Library-Administration building to the east end of Ables Hall.

By Jennifer Brag

With the 1990-91 school year already upon us, now is the time to start thinking about that certain club or organization that you have always wanted to be a part of.

The following is a list of organizations available to NED students.

Afro-American

The purpose of this club is to serve both the members and the general community.

Aggie Society

An organization of students majoring in any field of agriculture or related fields. Open to those currently enrolled at NED.

Animal Science Club

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Automotive Technology Club

To promote a better understanding between the automotive industry and the Automotive Technology program.

Bachus

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A student organization that is sponsored and supported by Southern Baptist churches. Students of may different faiths and denominations actively participate.

Concert Band

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International Friends

The purpose of this club is to develop a forum for international relations between American and foreign students attending this college.

Jazz Band

An award-winning honors program composed of both music majors and non-majors who rehearse and perform jazz and rock charts throughout the year.

Masquers Club

Masquers is the theatre and drama club. This club further the interest of students in acting or other theatrical abilities and gives them the opportunity for participation in play productions.

Moochers

A small ensemble selected by audition from the membership of the Concert Choir. Moochers function as a show choir and serve the college as ambassadors in song.

Native American Student Association

The purpose of this club is to allow Indian and non-Indian students and community to build an appreciation of the American Indian heritage.

NEO Cheerleaders

Organized for the purpose of furnishing the leaders of school spirit and enthusiasm.

Nurse Campus Ministry/ Wesley Foundation

An interdenominational campus ministry.
New program stresses quality care

By Kimberly桥梁

Moms have been employed to make a caring for the children of wealthy families for years, so this fall the college will offer a special Nanny Program.

Dr. Stanis Edwards, head of NEO’s Child Development Program, said the two-semester, 33-hour program will fully prepare students to become professional nannies for families who need their services.

It will be the first such program to be implemented in a public institution in Oklahoma. Dr. Edwards said the program will be offered in partnership with the American Council of Nanny Edwards. The students will have to take a test to get certification at the end, “said Dr. Edwards.”

Classes for parents are not only historically wealthy families who have always had nannies, also included are two-care families, professional families working in the film industry, individual families working in the film industry, and single-parent families who need a trained professional for their children.

The benefits of being a nanny are often more than just the joy of working with children. The employer may take more time to go through airports, customs, and customs.

The work is done on a contract basis which is negotiated at the start and reviewed every three months. Most nannies start around $500 per week. Our trained ones will start at $600-700 per week,” said Dr. Edwards.

Nannies are needed throughout the United States in cities on both coasts and as far away as Miami, Dallas, Atlanta, New York, and Los Angeles.

Although a nanny may reside with her employer family, she does get some time to herself. “In the evening, if the parents want to go out, they’ll hire a babysitter. They know that the nanny has to have a social life,” she said.

Dr. Edwards said she got the idea for the program from a Tulsa lawyer who is seeking a nanny.

“Her son is a child who is very busy with school and sports, and grandparents don’t want to babysit. Daily care is good enough for people who make enough money to hire a nanny. They want parenting for their children,” said Dr. Edwards.

The Tulsa lawyer said she would hire anyone Dr. Edwards had helped in the child development for two years.

There are lots of ads for nannies in many newspapers, “Dr. Ed said.


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**Football squad tackles changes**

By Clark Sherman

**Todd Nichols**

Blending in size and agility with speed, the 1990 edition of the Golden Norse football team will open the season with a new look on both offense and defense.

“Overall, we’re going to be much bigger along both offensive and defensive lines,” said Northwest head coach Glen Wolfe. “Not only are we larger, but we don’t lose any speed over those guys.”

While guiding the Norse to a 8-2 record and a num-

ner one finish in the National Collegiate Athletic Association, last year, Wolfe starts the 1990 campaign with 28 sophomores among the 85 scholar-

ship players.

Defensively, the Golden Norse have

already ticketed for starting assignments.

“We’ve got two starters from last year in the
tackling backfield that should be better than last year,” Wolfe said. “I think we’re trying to accomplish as much as we can.”

With starting tacklers such as 6-foot-3, 220-pound offensive tackle Wendell Lawrey (6-2, 230) and 6-foot-2, 210-pound defensive end Tim Delius (6-2, 240) returning, the Norse have three starters back for defense.

“We’ve got a good group back, and we expect the same starting crew back next year. Wendell’s mature, and he’s got his freshman season at Michigan State. We’ve got some good leaders coming back. I think we’ve got a good group back and we’re expecting a good senior class.”

Last year, the Norse defense surrendered 227 points in 13 games. The 16-6 record was the second-best in school history.

On offense, starting quarterback Jeff McGrew (5-11, 220, Westchester, Ohio) along with freshmen John Cleveringa (6-2, 250, Mansfield, Ohio) and sophomore Gene Haggard (6-3, 220, Fort Wayne, Ind.) were returning starters. McGrew recorded 15 solo tackles and 10 assists with one quarterback sack for minus four yards.

Freshman Brandon Harris (6-4, 245, Pittsburgh, Pa.) was returning from injury and sophomore Bill Haggard (6-4, 230, Lorain, Ohio) was expected to be a contributor.

Junior nose tackle Kyle Cameron (6-0, 203, Zanesville, Ohio) was returning from injury and sophomore Charlie Cloninger (6-3, 205, Fort Worth, Texas) was expected to be a contributor.

**Attitude:**

With the Golden Norse offensive

line also looking strong, the Norse have two returning 200-pounders, the defensive line also looking strong, the Norse have two returning 200-pounders.

“One of the things that make this team successful is the weight room,” Wolfe said. “They’re really working hard. They’re really working hard.”

Wolfe said the players are working hard in the weight room to add strength and speed.

**Intramural highlights**

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Slow pitch softball for teams of students only, as the two teams compete for the second week of school. Cost is free, but a $5 deposit is required. The deposit will be returned if the team has no forfeit.

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Season features several top ten football teams

By Vernon Hughes
Associated Sports Editor

Even though NorthEastern A&M's Golden Norsemen's head football coach Glenn Wolfe had little difficulty in arranging the 1990 schedule; however there were a couple of anxious moments.

"This was my first year to be involved as all with the makeup of the schedule, and in not that easy to find people to play," said Wolfe.

During Wolfe's 13 years in head coach at NRE, Dr. Boyd Corvene had arranged the schedule as athletic coordinator. When Corvene resigned last August, Wolfe assumed responsibility for building the schedule.

"We already had several teams like Chattanooga, Norman, Tyler, Grand Rapids, Kilgore, Coffeyville and Iowa Central under two-year contracts which gave us a good nucleus to work with. But as an independent, it is very difficult to find teams that want you on their schedule," Wolfe said.

With the seven-team nucleus Wolfe was able to entice Ellsworth, Iowa and the junior varsity teams of the University of Arkansas and the University of Georgia to sign contracts to fill out the 10 game schedule for the upcoming season.

"Because our program has the national prominence that it has, we were faced with limited parameters which meant we didn't want a lot of money making phone calls. We pretty much knew who was going to play us and who doesn't," said Wolfe.

After contacting Haskell Institute in Lawrence, Kan. Mount Aiden Military Institute and Greenleaf, N.C., Wolfe was unable to land a date and decided to pick up the junior varsity games.

The Golden Norse open the season by traveling to Fayetteville, Ark. on Sept. 2 to face the University of Arkansas Junior Varsity.

"We were in a situation where we needed to start the season early and the people at Arkansas were very accommodating," Wolfe said.

Returning home the following weekend the Norsemen will host Hutchinson Kan. Junior College on Sept. 9 at Robert E. Field. Last season the Norse defeated the Blue Dragons 49-6 in Hutchinson. Another new addition to the team's schedule is a trip to Ellsworth, Iowa on Sept. 15. Last year Ellsworth dropped a 42-7 decision to Norman, Texas in the Mid-American Bowl in Tulsa for the national championship. Ellsworth finished ranked fourth with a 9-1 record.

Defending national champion Nansemoore comes to Miami on Sept. 22 for a 7:30 p.m. contest with the Norsemen. Last year the Bulldogs earned a 34-14 victory over the Norse in Corvallis on their way to a perfect 10-0 season.

Traveling to Tyler, Texas the next weekend the Golden Norse face the Tyler Apaches on Sept. 29. Last year the Norsemen defeated the Apaches 26-11 in Dallas.

NRE returns home on Oct. 6 to entertain Grand Rapids, Mich. for a 2 p.m. homecoming contest. Last year the Raiders finished 7-5 which included a 35-0 loss to the Norsemen in Grand Rapids.

Taking the road for the next weekend the team travels to Athens, Ga. for an afternoon contest with the Georgia University Junior Varsity.

"This is a great trip for our young men. Not only do they get an opportunity to play in a huge stadium, but they get to play the major college football game," Wolfe said. "we will demonstrate our game plan and get a feel for how Georgia and Tennessee every year because they both do a great job of taking care of us."

Closing out the home portion of the schedule the Golden Norse will host Kilgore, Texas on Oct. 20 for a 2 p.m. game. Last year the Norse earned a 35-8 victory in Kilgore.

Traveling to Tulsa Union High School stadium on Oct. 28 the Golden Norse will face Coffeyville, Kan. Community College in a 2 p.m. contest. The Norsemen earned a 2002 victory over the Red Raiders last year in Tulsa.

"These future we would like for this to become a home and home contest between us, rather than having to travel to Tulsa every year," Wolfe said. "we are also going to work hard to get Garden City, Fort Scott, Independence and even Butler County back on our schedule. We need to be able to play the big boys.

Concluding the regular season on the road the team travels to Fort Dodge, Iowa on Nov. 10 to face Iowa Central Community College. Last season the Norse gained a 47-1 win over Iowa Central in Miami.

TEACHING DRILL

Golden Norse head coach Glenn Wolfe makes a point during pre-season workouts recently. After competing in a pre-season scrimmage with Independence, Kan., last Saturday, at Robert E. Field, the Norse will travel to Hugo, Thursday, to scrimmage Trinity Valley Community College. The Norsemen open the regular season Monday, Sept. 3, at Fayetteville, Ark. against the University of Arkansas Junior Varsity.

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