Filing starts for government spots

By Pam Kenney
Managing Editor

Students interested in filing for any Student Body Government office for next year can do so until Wednesday, April 15, according to Shirley Patterson, staff assistant to the vice-president of student affairs.

"The filing process began on April 8 and will continue till next Wednesday, April 15," Patterson said.

Students can file for a SBG office in Patterson Office located on the second floor of the Burke Creek Library Administration Building.

To qualify for an office in SBG, the student must have at least a 2.0 grade point average. The offices with positions open include president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and two senators-at-large.

To file in person, the student must have at least 24 credit hours with at least two being from NEO.

Some of the duties that are required of the SBG president include presiding over all meetings of the SBG and to appoint committees.

The office of the vice-president, the student must have at least 12 credit hours.

Duties of this office include assisting the duties of the president in his or her absence, annually form a committee to conduct a constitutional review and suggest necessary procedural amendments and Bylaws revisions if needed.

For the office of secretary, the student must have at least 12 credit hours.

The duties for secretary include keeping complete and accurate minutes of all council and business meetings of the SBG.

The secretary must also notify the different organizations after three absences and each other.

Also required of the secretary is reading the constitution and Bylaws for the SBG at the first meeting each semester. The office of treasurer, the student must have at least 12 credit hours.

Duties of this office include keeping accurate records of the financial status of the SBG and give a report at the first of each month and upon completion of each financial transaction.

The treasurer will also have to assist in the budget appropriations process.

Students interested in filing for one of the two senators-at-large must have at least 12 credit hours.

As a senator-at-large, the student will serve as representatives for the entire student body.

"Since the election will not be until April 22, the candidates that file will have a week to campaign on campus," Patterson said.

If a student has any questions concerning the specific filing process or about the election itself it can contact Shirley Patterson at ext. 259.

Group returns home

Offering a mix of both entertainment and information, the nationally acclaimed Rodeo Queen Business touring theatre group began a four-day run on campus Thursday in the Fine Arts Auditorium.

Rodeo Queen Business, in cooperation with the Theatre NEO, are presenting their award winning original show that deals with social issues affecting today's young people.

Shows will be presented Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. with a special matinee on Sunday at 2 p.m.

All shows will be in the Fine Arts Center Auditorium. Prior to each show there will be a pre-show party in the FAC lobby. It will feature mocktails (non-alcoholic drinks) and specialty drinks that will be sold at various subjects addressed in the show.

More than 50 employers will be set up to participate in the Job Fair scheduled for Wednesday, April 16 from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the fieldhouse gymnasium.

According to Paul Hart and Linda Morgan, job fair directors, the fair will help students find part-time or full-time employment.

The job fair is open to all current students looking for full-time or summer jobs.

A wide range of area businesses including service, manufacturing, and merchandising firms are expected to be interviewing and hiring students. More than 300 job vacancies will be available to students at the job fair.

Some of the job areas are medical services, retail sales, marketing, grounds and equipment maintenance, management, word processing, computer operations, accounting, and food service.

Employers with openings in the health services field will be in the Student Union Ballroom, all others employers will be in the gym.

Area business students visit competition

Approximately 50 four-state area high school students will compete in business related skills contests during the sixth annual Business Day contest today.

The purpose of the event according to George Weaver, chairman of the business division, is to recognize superior student achievement in business skills and knowledge.

Areas of competition include accounting, typing, writing, business machines, business mathematics, microcomputer word processing, general business, and writing skills.

Competitors will be presented to the top three contestants in each area. First place winners will receive a plaque and scholarship to attend NEO. A top student will receive a school's trophy for most points overall.

Business faculty members, assisted by members of Phi Beta Lambda, will conduct the contests.
Reading skills remain vital

It is amazing how some students can get through school without knowing a thing. I have been wondering how in the world can anyone make it through school if they cannot read or write. Many people have made it through because of hard work and determination. I am not picking on athletes or any other form of ethnic or social group of people. What is going on with our higher education system if a few student passes if he or she cannot write, read or spell. I know of some cases where a student is annoying or causing continuous problems the teacher would just pass him just to get him out of her classroom.

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There have been many instances where teachers will just give a student a grade in order for him to participate in extra-curricular activities. This is not right. Not being able to read or write is probably a horrible feeling. Teachers may think they are doing the student a favor, but they are really hurting them. There have been a few cases when the student has made it through school without learning and they may come back and see the teacher that was responsible. I never understood how anyone could make it through without knowing how to read. It is up to the teacher and teachers should be aware of this problem and do something about it.

Racists remarks cut like a knife during most social situations

It is like a pain that you cannot get rid of, no matter how hard you try. It is the most annoying feeling that one can have. The feeling of racism can deep into your soul like a razor. Being black in a world that looks at us as if we are a disease rather than a person. Eyes watching you when you are walking down the street as if you are anything but a human being. Being called obscene names like we do not have any feelings at all. This is something that has been going on for the longest time. What will the time come that black people will be able to go into a restaurant without people staring at us like we cannot afford our meal. Wanting to fit in this world without people looking down on us because we are darker than they are. It hurts my heart so bad that everyone cannot love each other like we are supposed to. I know that in some cases there are black people that are annoying but do not put all of us down because of the few undesirables that you can find in any color.

Look at my heart, not my color or the way that some of my brother’s act. Just Saturday night a couple of my friends and I was in Pittsburgh, Kan. at the taco station and there were a lot of people in them. We were the only blacks and they gave us the oldest look. There were also these young men that made smile remarks towards us. My response was to ring his neck and fight back. This is the way a warrior comes to this prejudice that is still among us today.

Come on, we need to make a change. We cannot ignore this. This is not right. You do not have to like me but I am a bad person. I can handle that. But if you do not like me because I am black. I cannot. Black people are going to be here until the end of time so you can like us now or wait until later.
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Television season features six shows

This season will be a short one but be highly entertaining," said Chris Williams, director of the college television station. "We have six shows for this season and I am especially excited about the students working this season," Williams said. "I feel that I treat the students just the same as if I would be in a real life working experience."

"It helps the students when they go on to a four year college to be more valuable to the work force."

"We have some new shows for this season but we will have two returning shows from last season: Inside Nurse Sports and Pump Up the Volume," said Williams.

The upcoming television season will start on Wednesday, April 23 at 7:30 p.m. at Miami Cabaret Channel 47.

Beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday will be the Inside Nurse Sports show.

This thirty minute show will include makeup artist Brandi Baker. "This show shows how to do stage makeup as well as street makeup." The Inside Nurse show will be a mixture of all the students in the hospital environment. The show will begin on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. This show will be directed by Lance Jones, sophomore, and Sandy Spring.

Pump Up the Volume will begin at 6 p.m. on Wednesday and be directed by DeLoni Smith, freshman, Tulsa.

"This will be a dance show. It will be on MTV Soul Train min," said Smith.

"It will be a thirty minute show with mostly type dancing but there will be one slow songs each episode. This show will be hosted by Marcus Jesse, sophomore, Bartlesville."

On Thursdays at 7:30 will be Empire N' Rider directed by Carrie Brosen, sophomore, Tulsa.

"This show will be behind the scenes look at the rodeo team in action," said Williams. "At 7:30 p.m. on Thursday will be Inside Nurse Sports directed by Robert Wood, sophomore, Blackwell."

"We are going to start off with football. After that we will end up with some, basketball, and baseball," said Wood. Ending up the program on Thursday will be Twisted Tales directed by Shane Vondermark, sophomore, Miami.

"This series is called Dead Reckoning is about Gibson McClain an ex-secret service agent. He works for a senator who is involved in some illegal business. McClain is a lawyer from court against the senator. The senator is convicted and gets revenge on McClain after he gets out of jail."

"On Monday and Tuesday will be repeat program aired at the same time," Williams said. "Because Williams is involved in an act."

"This will mark the first television season in which he will not be directly involved with the on-air direction of the programs. "In the past I've always been around all the time," said Williams.

PUMP UP THE VOLUME

Dylan Smith, a senior from Tulsa, watches the action as he works the board during a broadcast of the college television show. The broadcast season begins April 23 at 7:30 p.m. on Miami Cabaret Channel 47. The shows will be broadcast Wednesday, April 23 and Thursday, April 25 with encore presentations scheduled Monday and Tuesday the following week. The programming will involve six different shows.

Perot attempts to joint race

With his campaign just a month old, Ross Perot has not declared his bid for the presidency.

Perot is a nationwide Business Machine Corporation formed in 1962. In 1962 he founded Electronic Data Systems. He sold EDOS in 1962 to General Motors for $2.5 billion. In 1984, with two Florida state coordinators Ed Hubbard has to clear his answering machine with too many calls a day.

Hubbard says that he needs 24-hour service even with 60-32 calls are required to place Perot on the ballot.

The calls are coming from Perot's supporters. Republican Bob Hagel and Democrat Sam Johnson are confusing 151,000 signatures is the least of their worries.

"The experts in Washington aren't paying attention to this. This really misleading the American people," said Mark Motzol, volunteer.

"We're not a bunch of cranks. We know this is a long shot fight," said Ray Bergin, Volunteer.

Perot himself has put up a big challenge, saying he would only run if he was placed on all 50 state ballots.

It would require 50,000 signatures in Texas and 28,000 in New York. Perot himself has signed 151,000 signatures.

Perot agrees that supporters will eventually succeed.

"I have to admit that even I'm surprised," said Perot.

Sharon Holman, a long time employee of Perot, has left his real estate business to be his press secretary.

"Nobody is as amiable as me. None of us expected this," said Holman.

"There are no official colors. There are no official colors. Tell people I do care, if you put Ross Perot on a billboard and hang it out the window. Just spell the name right."

"People will stay on hold for 45 minutes or longer," Maloney said. "Almost 3.5 million people have called a phone center in Tampa."

After the Phillie Phanatic announced the 800 number, 90,000 calls were called immediately.

"Out of the people that asked there was 10,000 people have asked to speak to Ross Perot."

"There is a few callers ask where Perot stands on major issues."

"I had a couple of people say they could not vote for him because he is a tax time on position," said Sandra Giem, volunteer.

"But most of the people who call have not been interested in this. This is really misleading the American people," said Mark Motzol, volunteer.

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Association sponsors concert

A concert sponsored by the Native American Student Association (NASA) will be held Wednesday, April 15 at 8 p.m. in the Fine Arts Center Auditorium. Tickets will be on sale in the Buccaneer Student Union. The music will feature local and national acts.

Tickets purchased at the window will cost $4. Students under the age of 12 will be admitted free. The event will be sponsored by Brand New Baby, rhythm and blue, Mary McGlynn, count, and DeMars. Gaites. Gaits will perform tomorrow at 9:30 p.m. and will help defray the cost of our program. The concert will feature music from a variety of genres, including rock, pop, and country.

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Lions maul Norse in double-header

Bill Truettner, a junior at Golden Norse baseball, scored the first run of the game to give the Norse the early lead.

The Norse went on to win the first game 7-2, and the second game 10-0, to sweep the doubleheader. Truettner's home run in the second inning was the highlight of the second game.

Veterans bolster defense

By Clark Sherman

The Norse defense was bolstered by the addition of several experienced players, including senior outfielder John Jones and junior catcher David Moore.

High-tech doesn't get much higher than this

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Ladies fight through injuries to starters

By Jennifer Brake

A disappointing factor in the weeks to come will be the fact that five Lady Norse softball players are currently on the disabled list for the upcoming week. Veteran first baseman Carrie Bruce of Yukon suffered a broken nose last week.

Freshman Anneke Vovier, pitcher from Surrey, Canada, has a displaced ulnar nerve while Tiffany Neils of Newcastle is out with a broken middle finger on her pitching hand.

Outfielder Kimberly Lewis of Wittenberg, Canada has suffered a broken finger and Terry "Sissy" Lafko of Oklahoma City fractured her hand yet is expected back for this week's games.

Earlier in the week a doubleheader with Fort Scott, Kan., was cancelled because Fort Scott discontinued their softball program in mid-season.

Playing in their third tournament of the year the Lady Norse traveled to Manhattan, Kan., today and tomorrow for the Kansas State Invitational.

The Lady Norse travel to Williston on Monday for a conference twi-night with Eastern before returning home to face Coffeyville, Kan., in a 2:30 p.m. doubleheader on Tuesday.

The game location was changed after beco had a scheduling conflict for last Monday's game in Miami.

Johnson County Invitational
Crowder 1-Lady Norse 0

Freshman Andrea Weatherford finally gave up to 30 consecutive innings of pitching, as the Lady Norse lost 1-0 in the finals of the Johnson County Invitational.

With this loss the Lady Norse dropped to 2-3-1 for the season.

Weatherford gave up a one out single in the top of the fifth after a stolen base by Debby Langan that singled in the only run of the game.

Natasha Flake gave NEO a chance in the bottom of the fifth with a leadoff single. After a sacrifice by Trency, Lafko bunted out at first and Kristal White struck out to end the game.

"Our girls really pulled together as a team considering we have five starters sidelined in injuries," said coach Woody Innis.

Weatherford allowed a total of 27 hits in five complete games during the tournament.

Lady Norse 4-Connors 1

A two-run double by Kristal White and a strong pitching performance by Weatherford carried the Lady Norse to a 4-1 victory over Connors State in the semifinals of the Johnson County Invitational last weekend in Overland Park, Kan.

Weatherford threw a no-hitter at the Cowgirls while improving to 20-5 on the season. She managed only one base runner the entire game because of a gem.

Lady Norse 8-Cross County 0

Fluke, Briley, and Lynda Thomas each collected two hits as the Lady Norse shutout Cross County Community College in the opening round of tournament play last Saturday.

Fluke collected a double and single while Briley and Thomas added two singles each.

Weatherford struck out 15 and walked one while limiting Cross County to a pair of singles.

Lady Norse 5-Lincoln Co. 1

Teresa Treacy and Thomas carried the Lady Norse to a 5-1 victory over Lincoln County, Ill. in the final round of pool play last Friday night in Overland Park, Kan.

Fluke added a double and single to spark the 9 hit NEO attack.

Lady Norse 2-Human City 1

Fluke and Treacy each collected a one-out single as the Lady Norse gamed a 2-1 victory over Kansas City Community College in the second round of pool play.

Lady Norse 3-Crowder 2 2

Sophomore second baseman Lynda Thomas singled and scored on a sacrifice fly as the Lady Norse defeated Crowder 3-2 after the Lady Raiders won the first game 2-1 in Miami.

In the tight game, Thomas started the bottom of the fifth with a single and advanced to second on an errant pickoff try by Crowder pitcher Tina Lata.

Thomas moved to second following a sacrifice bunt by Natasha Flake. Teresa Treacy delivered a bunt single to center which scored Thomas.

In the early going the Lady Norse matched Crowder run for run in the first two innings.

Crowder scored single runs in each inning on singles by Gina Moore and Debby Langan.

Thomas and Treacy collected two hits each to lead the 8 hit Lady Norse attack.

In the first game, Crowder committed four errors by Bessinger and DeGovernment in the second inning and a walk, hit batted and two-out single by Musgrove in the fifth.

For the Lady Norse, the only hit was a one-out single by Briley in the fourth.

Weatherford outdistanced her second loss of the regular season against 14 victories.

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